

TURNER FAMILY CEMETERY.

Location: North of Redan, Redan District,
DeKalb County, Land Lot #98, 16th District.

Recorded May 14, 1932.

This old cemetery, long since abandoned, contains three visible graves, all marked by large piles of stones. Among those buried here are:

JOHN C. TURNER who died in the early 1860's at an advanced age. He was the father of E. A. Turner.

Statement of John Bond, an old citizen of Diamonds District, DeKalb County, May 14, 1932:

NOTE: This cemetery was revisited by the Compiler, in company with Walter M. Curdy, Jr., on Jan. 18, 1969. It is now in a small wooded area on the Mystery Valley Golf Course. Some damage had been done by a bulldozer, but a granite slab was visible which had not been visible in 1932. It is inscribed:

NANCY TURNER

Born April 2nd 1778, 1793 or 1798

Died April 3rd 1830 or 1880.

She was probably the wife of John C. Turner, who, according to the DeKalb census of 1850, was a widower. He died in 1862, age 92. The dates on Nancy's tombstone, very dim, may well be 1778-1830.



DeKalb County, Georgia

Recreation, Parks & Cultural Affairs

Courthouse Square, Decatur, Georgia 30030

March 12, 1984

Mrs. R. L. Green, President
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Cemetery Records
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Atlanta, Georgia 30334

Re: Grave Data

Dear Mrs. Green:

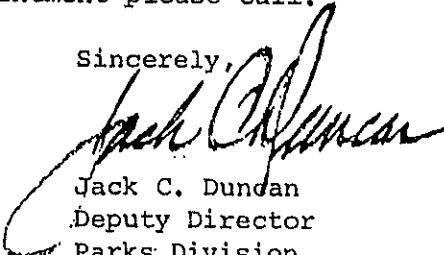
There are several grave sites (approximately two dozen) with rock markers located near #14 green at one of the DeKalb County golf courses, Mystery Valley Golf Course. The course is located at 6094 Shadow Rock Drive in Lithonia, Georgia.

The only marker that we are able to make out at this time has the following information on it:

Nancy Turner
Born: April 21, 1793
Died: April 03, 1830

To view this area you may contact me by telephone at 371-2384. My office is located at 3681 Chestnut Street, Scottdale, Georgia. If you have any questions or wish to make an appointment please call.

Sincerely,


Jack C. Dundan
Deputy Director
Parks Division

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cc: ✓ Dorothy Nix, Historical Society
Peggy Hill, Historical Society