



LaTrayale LaVerne Sims

March 27, 1957 - December 31, 2014

On December 31, 2014 while surrounded by her sisters, God came to deliver his child home to Glory.

LaTrayale's life began March 27, 1957, the second daughter of the late Frank Lewis Sims, Sr. and Arlene Wall Sims.

LaTrayale was educated in the Richmond Virginia Public Schools and earned an Associate's Degree in Human Resources and Public Service from J. Sergeant Reynolds Community College. With her education and experience, LaTrayale had a successful career as a Human Resources Manager with Richmond Residential Services.

LaTrayale accepted the Lord as her personal Savior at an early age and served the Lord diligently. She was a committed and dedicated member of Gospel Baptist Church of Richmond, Virginia. There she served as a member of the E. (Elizabeth) T. (Turner) Ushers Ministry, New Members Ministry, and the Trustee Board. LaTrayale also put her talents and gifts to work as the Assistant Clerk/Administrator and would eagerly serve in any other capacity needed. LaTrayale was also a faithful Bible Study and Sunday School attendee. She loved the opportunity to learn more about the Lord.

LaTrayale leaves behind precious memories to her two sisters; Pauline Gordon

of Richmond, Virginia and Darlene Sims-Cornish(Handy)of
Dumfries, Virginia;three brothers;Marion Harris, Frank Sims, and Daniel Sims, all
of Richmond, Virginia;one aunt, Irene Speight of Greenville, North Carolina;one
uncle, Daniel Sims(Charlotte)of Forest Heights, Maryland;special friend, Larry
Edmonds, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and loving friends.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road
Richmond, VA 23223

Previous Events

viewing

JAN **9**. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Service

JAN **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *LaTrayale LaVerne Sims*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Gwendolyn Y. Vincent lit a candle in memory of LaTrayale LaVerne Sims*



Gwendolyn Y. Vincent - January 11, 2015 at 05:13 PM



I am saddened to hear of LaTrayales passing. She always had a smile, and was willing to give an encouraging word and a helping hand when needed. I ran into her back during the summer and was approached with a hug and her infectious smile. My heartfelt prayers and sympathy go out to you, her family. May God continue to strengthen and keep you during this most difficult time.

Gwendolyn Y. Vincent - January 11, 2015 at 05:32 PM



“ *After the clouds, the sunshine; after the winter, the spring; after the shower, the rainbow; for life is a changeable thing. After the night, the morning, bidding all darkness cease, after life's cares and sorrows, the comfort and sweetness of peace.*



Iris Johson - January 08, 2015 at 05:06 PM

TT

“ *Tracie Turner lit a candle in memory of LaTrayale LaVerne Sims*



Tracie Turner - January 08, 2015 at 01:57 PM

TT

Ms. Sims was a sweet and wonderful person. I enjoyed our conversations and her words of encouragements. I miss you and love you. God Bless the family.

Tracie Turner - January 08, 2015 at 02:13 PM

LW

“ *You'll be sadly missed along life's way, quietly remember everyday. No longer in our life to share but in our hearts, you're always there. The tender sense of sadness that comes in saying good-bye for now to someone we love, rest in peace.*

Larry Wilson - January 08, 2015 at 12:07 PM

KH

“ *My dear dear friend. You were always there for me. I love you. I'll always remeber 1st Avenue and how we spent so much time together. God Bless the family.*



karen harris - January 08, 2015 at 06:31 AM

VC

“ *VEVERLY COATES lit a candle in memory of LaTrayale LaVerne Sims*



VEVERLY cOATES - January 07, 2015 at 09:43 AM

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Larry Wilson - January 08, 2015 at 12:05 PM

HR

“ *LaTrayale was one of the first persons I met when coming to the Richmond area. She was a person that always had a smile on her lovely face. I am going to miss that smile. I know that she has gone on to a better place no more pain no more hurt. Love you my friend until we meet again.*



Hazel D Ranson - January 07, 2015 at 06:36 AM

KR

“ *Karen Ross lit a candle in memory of LaTrayale LaVerne Sims*



Karen Ross - January 06, 2015 at 09:49 PM

CR

“ My heart is saddened to hear of the passing of my dear Sistah in Christ, LaTrayale Sims. She was a wonderful blessing to the body of Christ and she will be missed. So glad God allowed our paths to cross for a little while. I will see you on the other side one day LaTrayale. Blessings and sympathy to all of her family, know that she is in the arms of the Lord forever. Rev. Cheryl K. Robinson

Cheryl Robinson - January 06, 2015 at 02:57 PM

DB

“ Denise Bell lit a candle in memory of LaTrayale LaVerne Sims



Denise Bell - January 06, 2015 at 12:31 PM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - January 05, 2015 at 03:47 PM