



Reginald Joseph Simms, Jr.

February 2, 1960 - December 4, 2014

HE FIRST OF THREE CHILDREN BORN TO THE LATE REGINALD SR.
AND THE
LATE CLARA SIMMS ON FEBRUARY 12, 1960. EVERYONE KNOWS HIM
AS REGGIE.

A MAN OF FEW WORDS, WHO WAS WELL LIKED AND LOVED BY ALL
THOSE
WHO CAME TO KNOW HIM.

AS A YOUNG BOY HE CONFESSED CHRIST AND WAS BAPTIZED AT THE
ZION
BAPTIST CHURCH WHERE THE LATE MOSES WILLIAMS WAS PASTOR.
HIS
EARLY RELIGIOUS EXPERIENCE WAS ENCOURAGED AND NURTURED
BY HIS
MATERNAL GRANDMOTHER THE LATE NELLIE DRUMGOOLE. SHE
MADE SURE
HE AND HIS SIBLINGS ATTENDED SUNDAY SCHOOL AND CHURCH
SERVICES.
HIS PATERNAL GRANDMOTHER THE LATE EMMA SIMMS WOULD QUIZ
HIM
ON DIFFERENT BIBLICAL STORIES. HIS GRANDMOTHERS, MOTHER
AND AUNTS

BERNEICE GOSS AND ELIVRA JONES WERE HIS INSPIRATIONAL LEADERS IN LIFE. HIS FATHER GAVE HIM THE TOOLS HE NEEDED TO BECOME A MAN, STRONG WORK ETHIC, FAMILY VALUES AND WHAT IS TO BE CALLED FATHER. THROUGH THESE INDIVIDUALS HE LEARNED LIFES PRECIOUS VALUES. SO IT WAS EVIDENT THAT THESE INDIVIDUALS PAVED THE FOUNDATION TO WHAT BECAME A GOOD PERSON, FATHER AND HUSBAND.

REGINALD LOVED HIS MUSIC, LISTENING TO JAZZ AND GOSPEL. HIS FAVORITE JAZZ ARTIST IS JOHN COLTRANE AND HIS FAVORITE GOSPEL SINGERS ARE MAHALIA JACKSON AND TRAMAINÉ HAWKINS. REGINALD, A 1977 GRADUATE OF BALTIMORE CITY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL, ATTENDED THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND BALTIMORE COUNTY FOR 3 YEARS. WHILE ATTENDING COLLEGE FULL TIME, HE WORKED FULL TIME, TO COVER TUITION, BOOKS, HOUSING AND PERSONAL EXPENSES. HE WORKED IN THE FOOD SERVICE INDUSTRY WHERE HE EXCELLED FROM CREW MEMBER TO RUNNING HIS OWN RESTAURANT AS GENERAL MANAGER IN 1 YEAR. THERE IN THE INDUSTRY HE MET MANY EXCITING PEOPLE, ONE OF WHICH WAS SHEILA SIMPSON. SHEILA

CAUGHT

HIS EYE, HE WAS DETERMINED TO MAKE HER HIS SOUL MATE. THEY
DATED,
FELL IN LOVE. DURING THEIR COURTSHIP CAME PATRICE, REGINALD
III AND
MARRIAGE.

AS PREVIOUSLY STATED REGINALD HAD A STRONG INFLUENCE OF
STRONG
WOMEN IN HIS LIFE. THEY DISPLAYED TO HIM WHAT LOVE IS AND
HOW TO
LOVE. GOD SENT HIM HIS ANGEL SHEILA, REGINALD GAVE HER A
STANDING
OVATION FOR HER LOVE CONSTANTLY IN THEIR SHARED LIFE
TOGETHER.
THAT IS WHY THIS A CELEBRATION OF LOVE, LIFE AND VICTORY!!!!

REGINALD LEAVES BEHIND HIS ANGEL OF LOVE, WIFE SHEILA, TWO
CHILDREN
PATRICE AND REGINALD III, ONE SISTER CYNTHIA, THREE BROTHERS
HERBERT,
KENNETH AND SEAN, TWO BROTHER-IN-LAWS JAMES AND GILBERT,
SEVEN
SISTER-IN-LAWS ANNETTE, DARLENE, YOLANDA, TONYA, TERESA,
TIFFANY AND
KEISHA, NIECES, NEPHEWS, AND A HOST OF OTHER FAMILY AND
FRIENDS;
AND MAN'S BEST FRIEND, WISHBONE.

Cemetery Details

Garden of Faith Cemetery

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC 11. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
info@marchfh.com

Wake

DEC 12. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Reginald Joseph Simms, Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *With Deepest condolences to Herbert Simms and Family. From my family to yours. Keisha and family*



QUENTONYA ALEXANDER - December 11, 2014 at 11:17 AM



My family sent the Beautiful in Blue flower arrangement also for the Simms Family

QUENTONYA ALEXANDER - December 11, 2014 at 11:19 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Reginald Joseph Simms, Jr..*



December 10, 2014 at 05:35 PM

ME

“ Cindy my deepest condolences go out to you in the loss of your brother, and also to your entire family. May the Lord keep and strengthen you all during this time. Keeping your family in my prayers. Be encouraged by the Word of God found in John 11:19-27.



Margie Epps - December 10, 2014 at 07:02 AM

SB

“ Stephen Butler (AKA Boo). purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Reginald Joseph Simms, Jr..



Stephen Butler (AKA Boo). - December 09, 2014 at 11:56 AM

QT

“ Quest Transport purchased the Peaceful White Lies Basket for the family of Reginald Joseph Simms, Jr..



Quest Transport - December 08, 2014 at 11:41 AM

DA

“ Please accept my heartfelt sympathy in the loss of your loved one . May the fond memories shared with him and the resurrection hope Jesus spoke of in the Bible at John 5 : 28,29 be a source of comfort doing this time of grief and pain .

Delores Allen - December 08, 2014 at 04:32 AM

LF

“ Our family would like to express condolences to The Simms Family. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's Word The Bible where He assures us at 1 Corinthians 15:26 that "death will be brought to nothing". Our prayers are with your family.

linn family - December 07, 2014 at 12:25 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 - December 07, 2014 at 11:28 AM

BF

Cindy, Herbie and Kenneth and to the wife and family We pray you all comfort and peace. We were close coming up and had good times. Time and life separated us. We got to see one another at the family reunion once a year at least. For Reggie we will see him no more on this our earthly home but we will see him again in our heavenly home. Gone too soon. I know he is saying, " don't cry for me, rejoice for I am in a better place, Hold on to and cherish our moments, love and our journey". Though he leave you, he shall always be with you, in a whisper, a scent, a phrase spoken, that funny thing or a breath. Reggie is in good company with Aunt Claire and Uncle Reggie and so many family members who went before. He is not alone and He wants all of you to live knowing he watches over you and God keeps you. God made No mistake. We love you and pray for you.

With Our deepest sympathy we offer our heartfelt condolences.

The Wright Family (your cousins from Aunt Erma)

Beth & family - December 12, 2014 at 12:52 AM