Homegoing Service Celebrating The Life Of

Jerry Willie Simmons

Sunrise
June 30, 1924
Sunset
December 10, 2021

Service Tuesday, December 14, 2021 • 10:00 am

First Baptist Church 929 Dill Avenue Linden, New Jersey <u>Rev. Dr.</u> Derrick R. Dumas, Pastor

Life Reflections

Jerry Willie Simmons was born on June 30, 1924 in Daisetta, Texas, son of Mary and Jerry Simmons. He was raised and educated in Texas.

On April 21,1943, Jerry was inducted into the United States Army. He served in Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes and Rhineland and received 4 Bronze Service Stars during World War II. He earned an honorable discharge on December 4, 1945 in Liege, Belgium.

In 1950, Jerry relocated to New Jersey where he would live in Newark and Vauxhall before moving to Roselle.

On October 24, 1964, Jerry was united in marriage to the love of his life, Mamie Archie and they remained happily married until her death in December of 2003.

He was a faithful member of First Baptist Church in Linden where he was a member of the Usher Board and worked with the Men's Society of the church.

Jerry loved baseball and playing the Pick It lottery.

Jerry Willie Simmons departed this life on Friday, December 10, 2021 at Plaza Heathcare and Rehabilitation Center in Elizabeth, New Jersey at the age of 97. He was predeceased by his beloved wife, Mamie Archie Simmons; his son, Jerald Neal and 6 siblings.

He leaves to cherish fond memories, 7 grandchildren, Amiel, Pamiela and Almica Clark and William, Ruby, Shawn and Jahaade Davis; 6 great grandchildren; his niece, Ernestine Cummins; his best friend, Mike McNeal and a host of other relatives and friends.

Lovingly and Sorrowfully, The Family

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Flag Presentation
United States Army Honor Guard

Selection

Scriptures
Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Words of Comfort

Family Tribute

Acknowledgment of Condolences

Reading of the Obituary

Selection

Eulogy Rev. Dr. Derrick R. Dumas

Recessional

Interment

Rosedale Cemetery Linden, New Jersey

Services Entrusted To:

G. G. Woody Funeral Home, LLC

206 East Eighth Avenue Roselle, New Jersey 07203 www.ggwoodyfuneralhome.com

"Where Our Sympathy Expresses Itself Through Sincere Service"

PallbearersFamily and Friends of **Jerry Willie Simmons**



Acknowledgement

The family of Jerry Willie Simmons would like to express our sincere appreciation for the many thoughtful acts of kindness, support and concern extended to us during our time of bereavement. Thank you and may God richly bless you.