

A Million Times

A million times we will need you, a million times we have cried;
If love alone could have spared you, you would have never died.
If all the world was ours to give, we would give it, yes, and more,
To see you coming up our steps, and walking through our door.
To hear your voice, to see you smile, to sit
and talk with you awhile;
To be with you the same old way, would be our fondest wish today.
A heart of gold stopped beating two smiling eyes were laid to rest;
God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best.



PIC-COLLAGE

Pallbearers
Family and Friends

Floral Bearers
Family and Friends

You Are Not Forgotten

*You are not forgotten, loved one
Nor will you ever be,
As long as life and memories last
We will remember thee.*

*We miss you now, our hearts are sore
As time goes by, we'll miss you more.
Your loving smile, your gentle face
No one can ever fill your place.*

Expressions of Appreciation

We, the family of Carolyn Dawkins Sims, acknowledges with sincere appreciation your prayers and all acts of kindness shown at our time of bereavement. We thank God for each of you. May His love and peace abide with each of you.

—The Family



Services Entrusted To:

F.B. PRATT & SON FUNERAL HOME
601 South Street • Newberry, South Carolina
(803) 276-1206

Homegoing Services *Celebrating the Life* *of* *Carolyn Dawkins Sims*

Sunrise
August 9, 1948

Sunset
September 27, 2020



Saturday, October 3, 2020
3:00 P.M.

Newberry Memorial Gardens
Newberry, South Carolina

Reverend Jacqueline R. Sims, Officiating

Obituary

*“I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.”
Psalm 121:1*

A Life Journey for Mrs. Carolyn Dawkins Sims began on August 9, 1948. She was born to the late Caldwell and Maude Dean Dawkins. Mrs. Sims transitioned into Eternal Life on Sunday, September 27, 2020, at Prisma Health Richland Hospital.

She was a member of New Beginnings Christian Church. Mrs. Sims was a former employee at White Oak Manor and retired from Newberry County School District as a bus driver after twenty-three years.

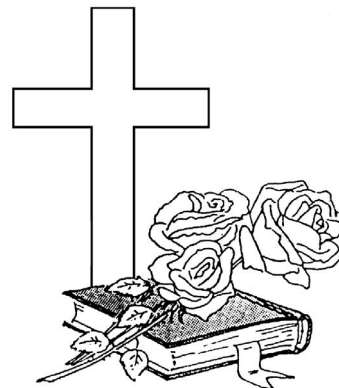
Mrs. Sims was a loving, kind, and generous person to many. After retirement, she enjoyed spending time with her family, taking members of the community to run errands, relaxing on her front porch or just sitting in her truck. She really enjoyed spending time with her adorable great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Sims was predeceased by five brothers, Willie, Tally, Marvin, Eddie Marvin (Boopie) and Eddie Dawkins; mother-in-law, Claudia Sims; father-in-law, George Sims.

Cherishing her memory are her husband of over fifty years, Mr. Lewis Sims; three daughters, Tina L. Sims of Irmo, SC, Santral Dawkins and Pamela Taylor, both of Columbia, SC; four sons, Rendell Sims (Andra), Troy Sims and Samuel Chaplin, all of Newberry, SC, and Kivin O. Suber of Saluda, SC; two sisters, Vivian Dawkins and Dallas D. Suber; two brothers, Tim Dawkins and Videll Dawkins all of Newberry, SC; twenty-three grandchildren; thirty-two great-grandchildren; six sisters-in-law, Mable Reeder, Clara Faye Sims, Martha J. Sims, Barbara Dawkins, Martha Boyd and Mattie Bell Dawkins; four brothers-in-law, Tommie “Tone Lee” Sims, Clarence R. Sims, Russell Suber and Frank Reeder; devoted friends, Takeela Agnew and Mary Ann Robinson; God son, Lyndell Senn (Dena); God grandson, Quamir Ferguson; and many family and friends who will truly miss her.

A Grandmother Gone From Us

Gone from us that smiling face
The cheerful pleasant ways
The heart that won so many friends.
We had a wonderful grandmother
One who never really grew old.
Her smile was made of sunshine
and heart was solid gold.
In bygone, happy days.
A life made beautiful deeds,
a helping hand for others needs.
Yes, we had a wonderful grandmother
and that’s the way it will always be.
To a beautiful life, comes a happy end.
She died as she lived, everyone’s friends.
But take heed, because she’s still keeping an eye on all of us
So let’s make sure she will like what she sees.



Order of Service

Prayer

Scripture

Old Testament

New Testament

Selection

Solo

Words of Comfort..... Rev. Jacqueline R. Sims

Committal and Benediction..... Graveside

Interment.....Newberry Memorial Gardens
Newberry, South Carolina

I Miss You

I miss you in the morning
And when the sunset fades away,
The ache withing my heart
Just will not go away.

My heart fills with love for you
When I think, how much you cared,
As I relive all the happiness
And the joy that we both shared.

Your’re with me every moment
And in every move I make,
Lie the memories I have of you
That I never will forsake.