

A Life Well Lived



Thank You

Words cannot express how deeply we appreciate everything you have done to help us get through this difficult time. Your enduring love and support will always be remembered by the family.

Interment

*Sandhills State Veterans Cemetery
8220 Bragg Blvd Fort Bragg, NC 28310*

Professional Services Entrusted To:



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Delestine Stevenson Sims

August 8, 1950 ~ November 10, 2020

*Monday, November 23, 2020
12:00 Noon*

*Unity Chapel at Cliffdale
1037 71st School Road
Fayetteville, NC 28314*

Pastor T.W. Campbell, Eulogist

Delestine's Story

Our beloved, Delestine S. Sims, age 70, unexpectedly transitioned to eternal rest, Tuesday, November 10, 2020. Delestine was born August 8, 1950 in Baxley, GA to the late J.B. Thomas and Willie Mae Stevenson. Although no longer with us, Delestine will forever be remembered for her warmth, compassion for others and being the "life" of the party.

Delestine affectionately known as "Memaw, Ms. Dee, Momma Dee" was a member of Manna Church in Fayetteville, NC where she was an active member in the prayer group and book club. In her leisure she loved cooking, entertaining, shopping and traveling. Her travels took her to Germany, Puerto Rico, and Paris, France.

Delestine took pride in being a "Woman of the House." She was an awesome mom who loved spending time with her family, talking to others and drinking her coffee. She NEVER met a stranger. Christmas was her favorite holiday. Some of her other interests were being the best "food connoisseur" on the planet. She was full of laughter, love and good company.

She has finished her course and now rest with Our Heavenly Father and her family that proceeded her in death. In addition to her parents, other members include her two brothers Artis Stevenson and Roosevelt Bowman.

Our family will cherish Delestine's memory and will hold her dear to our hearts. She is survived by her husband of 49 years, Robert Sims Fayetteville, NC; her children: Angela Jackson, Fayetteville, NC; Rodney (Joyce) Sims Knoxville, TN; Robert (Gina) Sims Hampton, GA; Sylvia Taylor-Jones (Monerville) Fayetteville, NC; her siblings: Rosetta (Mack) Wooten, Chauncey, GA; Annie Bell Wiggins, Helen, GA; Larry Ogden "Sonny", Rome, GA; her grandchildren: Rodney Sims Jr, Brandon Sims, DeVante Cowan, Miles Taylor, Paige Riley, Sydney Sims, Robbie Sims and Autumn Sims; and her great grandchildren: Jayden, Danilo and Amari. She also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

Order of Celebration

Mr. Chester McKenzie, Presiding

Prelude

Soft Music

Processional

Reverend/Ministers/The Family

Song of Comfort

Mr. Chester McKenzie

Prayer of Comfort

Rev. Della Smith

The Scripture

Rev. Della Smith

Acknowledge & Reading of the Obituary

Mr. Chester McKenzie

Reflections (2 minutes)

Family/Friends

Solo

Min. Franklin Patterson

The Eulogy

Pastor T.W. Campbell

Refuge Community Church, Fayetteville, NC

Closing Prayer

Rev. Della Smith

Recessional