

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free.
I'm following the path God has chosen for me.
I took His hand when I heard Him call;
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way;
I've now found peace at the end of day.
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joys.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss:
Oh yes, these things I, too, will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow;
Look for the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full; I savored much:
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.
Perhaps my time seems all too brief;
Don't lengthen your pain with undue grief.
Lift up your heart, and peace to thee.
God wanted me now—He has set me free.

Pallbearers
Family & Friends

Floral Bearers
Family & Friends

Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a floral piece; if so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words that any friend
could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just
thought of us that day. Whatever you did to console our
hearts, we thank you so much, whatever the part.

The Family

"Although it's difficult to see beyond the sorrow, may
looking back in memory help bring you comfort beyond
tomorrow."

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A CELEBRATION OF LIFE



Keith Douglas
SIMMONS

Sunrise
February 17, 1961

Sunset
March 17, 2022

~HOMEGOING SERVICE~
Saturday, March 26, 2022
2:00 PM

TEMPLE OF JESUS CHRIST FAMILY LIFE CENTER
810 Hackney Avenue
Washington, North Carolina 27889

Bishop Jerry Midgett, Officiant
Minister Gerald Woolard, Eulogist

Obituary

KEITH DOUGLAS SIMMONS was born February 17, 1961, to Louvenia Moore in Beaufort County, North Carolina. He departed this life on March 17, 2022, at home surrounded by family.

Keith Douglas Simmons received his formal education in Beaufort County N.C. School system.

Keith accepted Christ as his Savior at a early age and became a member of Temple of Jesus Christ Family Life Center.

Keith Douglas Simmons was united in holy matrimony with Barbara Hopkins April 9th, 1989. Their union was blessed with three children.

Keith was employed by Britthaven /Rivertrace Nursing Home until his health failed. He also worked at Care-O-World has a maintenance man. In his leisure Keith enjoyed fishing, basketball and shooting Pool.

Keith was preceded in death by his brother Milton Simmons; sister-in-law: Doris Pope; two brothers-in-law: James Hopkins, Jr., and Rocky Hopkins; stepfather: Clifton Moore; Mother-in-law: Mary Hopkins; Father-in-law: James Hopkins.

Keith leaves to cherish his memory his Wife: Barbara Ann, Three children: Jerron Hopkins, Sounya Godley (Richard) and Nikki Clemons (Mike) Six grandchildren; Jaki Hopkins, Jalyn Hopkins, Jamont Simmons, Braylon Godley, Aubrielle Godley, and Jaxon Godley. Two Sisters: Barbara Pope (Melvin), and Annette Reddick (Calvin); and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other family and friends.

Precious Memories



Order of Service

Musical Prelude.....Heavenly Arms Music Ministry
ProcessionalClergy & Family
Selection Temple of Jesus Christ Choir
Scripture Readings
 Old Testament Mother Mary Brooks
 New Testament.....Evangelist Ann Levy
Prayer of Comfort Pastor William Acklin
Selection Temple of Jesus Christ Choir
Remarks – Please limit to two minutes Five People
Selection Temple of Jesus Christ Choir
Acknowledgements & Obituary Darriet Downing
Selection Temple of Jesus Christ Choir
Eulogy.....Minister Gerald Woolard
Mortician's Brief ... Heavenly Arms Family Mortuary Staff
Final Viewing

~INTERMENT~
Cedar Hill Cemetery
Washington, NC

