

Honoring The Legacy of



“LOU”

Louie Edwin Sims

MARCH 26, 1943 - JANUARY 16, 2022

“Do not marvel at this; for the hour is coming in which all who are in the graves will hear His voice and come forth—those who have done good, to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil, to the resurrection of condemnation.”

(John 5:28-29)

His Loving Journey

"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever."

(Psalm 23:1-6)



Louie "Lou" Sims was born on March 26, 1943 in Petrey, Alabama to Cora Mai Foster. Lou passed away peacefully in his sleep.

Lou attended Utah Technical College and worked for Kennecott Copper Mines until his retirement. After his retirement, he persuaded his passion working on cars until he retired again.

In 2005, he married Lillie Guillory.

Lou entered into eternal rest on Sunday, January 16, 2022. He is preceded in death by his mother, Cora Mai Sims; brother, John Arthur Sims; son, Darrell Edwin Sims; granddaughter, Shekema Sims; and step son, Christopher Broussard.

He leaves to cherish his memory to his loving wife, Lillie Sims; sister, Barbara Adams; sons, Anthony Sims, Antowin Sims; daughters, Earl Jean Sims, Stacy Sims and Toya Sims; step sons, Adam Tyrine and Kenneth; grandchildren, Haley, Akoni, Tiana, Eric, Tanessia, Dimmick, Olivia, Sharnae, Jordan, Kiara, Kenya, Montague, Laquan, Janye, DeShaun, Reynaldo "LJ", CaTina, CaDiedra, Tyrion, Christopher, Taylor, CaZanna; nieces, Rashida, Traunza; nephew, Marc Adams; godson, Tristian Gore; and a host of other loving relatives and friends. He is gone but never forgotten.

Order of Service

Processional
Clergy and Family

Scripture
Appointee

Prayer of Comfort
Appointee

Expressions
(Two Minutes Please)

Reading of the Obituary
(Read Silently)

Funeral Directors in Charge

Recessional
Clergy and Family



HIS JOURNEY HAS JUST BEGUN

Don't think of him as gone away his journey's just begun,
life holds so many facets this earth is only one.

Just think of him as resting from the sorrows and the tears
in a place of warmth and comfort where there are no days and years.

Think how he must be wishing that we could know today
how nothing but our sadness can really pass away.
And think of him as living in the hearts of those he touched
for nothing loved is ever lost and he was loved so much.





Expressions of Love

WHEN I LOST YOU...

I wish I could see you one more time,
Come walking through the door...

But I know that is impossible,
I will hear your voice no more.

I know you can feel my tears
And you don't want me to cry,
Yet my heart is broken because

I can't understand why
Someone so precious had to die.

I pray that God will give me
the strength

And somehow get me through...

As I struggle with the heartache
That came when I lost you.

Love your wife, Lillie



WE WILL MISS YOU

God saw that you were weary so He did what He knew best.
He came and stood beside you and whispered, "Come and rest."

You bid no one a last farewell not even a goodbye,

You were gone before we knew it and only God knows why.

A million times we needed you, a million times we cried.

If love alone could have saved you, you never would have died.

In life we loved you dearly, in death we love you still.

In our hearts you hold a place no one could ever fill.

It broke our hearts to lose you but you didn't go alone,

For part of us went with you the day God took you home.

A golden heart stopped beating, hardworking hands at rest.

God broke our hearts to prove to us He only takes the best.

Your Loving Children

Expressions of Love

A TRIBUTE TO PAPA

What will I do now we can't hear your voice,
What will I do when I go to your house and you're not there.
When will I do when I pass your room
And you're not lying in there.
I wish you could have stayed longer,
I miss your hugs and laughter.
I will remember your wise words.
And forever hold them in my heart.
Because now is the time for us to be apart,
I will always remember your love,
The only difference is now
You will be sending hugs from above.
I will always remember you for the nice
Warm things you did that had "Papa's touch."
You will be missed oh so much.

Love your Grandchildren and Great Grandchildren

MESSAGE FROM HEAVEN

As I sit in heaven and watch you everyday,
I try to let you know with signs I never went away.
I hear you when you're laughing, and watch you as you sleep.
I even place my arms around you to calm you as you weep.
I see you wish the days away, begging to have me home.
So I try to send you signs so you know you are not alone.
Don't feel guilty that you have life that was denied to me.
Heaven is truly beautiful, just you wait and see.
So live your life, laugh again, enjoy yourself, be free.
Then I know with every breath you take
You'll be taking one for me.

Love you all, Lou

Our Sincerest Gratitude...

"Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted..."

The family of Louie "Lou" Sims wish to express our sincere appreciation to each of you for every expression of love and concern extended to us during this period of transition. As we, his family begin our new lives with only our many memories that we hold close to our hearts, we ask God's help and yours. Your words have encouraged our sad hearts and your prayers have increased our faith. We gratefully acknowledge all the cards, flowers, calls, visits and all other acts of heartfelt expressions of sympathy. We thank you so much for whatever you did to console our hearts.

- The Family

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