

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We wish to express our gratitude for the many kind words, deeds, and prayers shown during the illness and loss of our loved one. Your kindness will be greatly remembered and highly appreciated. May God's eternal blessing be with you and yours.

The Simmons Family

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Mr. Billy Fred Simmons
Mr. L. J. Simmons
Mr. Willie J. Simmons

Mr. David L. Simmons
Mr. Joe Fred Simmons
Mr. Charles Ray Simmons, Jr.

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Mr. Bobby D. Johnson
Mr. Tony Durham
Mr. Elvin Ellis

Mr. Hubert Durham
Mr. Robert Simmons
Mr. LaRoderick Johnson

THINE EARTHLY BED

Lone Star Cemetery
Oakwood, Texas



Arrangement Entrusted To:

EMANUEL FUNERAL HOME
1721 W. Oak
Palestine, Texas 75801
(214) 729-3188 or 729-5430

EMANUEL FUNERAL HOME #2
713 Third and Monroe
Teague, Texas 75860
(817) 739-2686 or 739-3789

*In Loving Memory
of
Mr. Guy Simmons, Sr.*



SERVICE

Sunday, October 2, 1988
2:00 p.m.

Lone Star Baptist Church
Oakwood, Texas

Rev. Larry Raven, Pastor
Rev. R. C. Emanuel, Officiating



"Only God Knows Why"
God said you were getting weary,
So He did what He thought best.
He came and stood beside you,
And whispered, "Come and rest".
You bade no one a last farewell,
Not even a goodbye.
You were gone before we knew it,
And only God knows why.

LIFE EPITOME
of
Mr. Guy Simmons, Sr.

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt and Anna Durham Simmons
Date of Birth: January 16, 1914 in Freestone County, Texas
Christian Faith: United with Lone Star Baptist Church at an early age.
Married: Mrs. Ruby Mae Johnson, and to this union ten children were born.
Demise: Mr. Simmons was called from labor to reward early Thursday morning, September 29, 1988 at Trinity Valley Medical Center, Palestine, Texas. His wife, Mrs. Ruby M. Simmons preceded him on August 3, 1985, and a son, Mr. Guy Simmons, Jr. on August 24, 1987.

He leaves to cherish his memories:

Seven Sons: Mr. Billy Fred Simmons, Oakwood
Mr. Charles Ray Simmons, Oakwood
Mr. John D. Simmons, Oakwood
Mr. Willie J. Simmons, Fairfield
Mr. Joe Fred Simmons, Elkhart
Mr. L. J. Simmons, Houston
Mr. General Lee Simmons, Houston

Three Daughters: Mrs. Ruby A. Watkins, Oakwood
Miss Bonza M. Simmons, Oakwood
Mrs. Dorothean Owens, Oakwood

One Sister: Mrs. Johnny Mae Smith, Los Angeles, California

Thirty-nine Grandchildren
Thirty-seven Great Grandchildren
and a host of relatives and friends.

- ORDER OF SERVICE -

Processional Ministers, Pallbearers, Family
and Friends

Selection Choir

Prayer Minister

Scripture 23rd Psalm, Minister

Solo Sis. Costello Addison

Resolutions Church and Others

Remarks Limit three minutes, please

Song Choir

Eulogy Rev. R. C. Emanuel

Parting View Funeral Directors

Recessional Ministers, Pallbearers,
Flower Bearers, Casket,
Family and Friends

