

## FLOWER ATTENDANTS

Family and Friends

## PALLBEARERS

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## INTERMENT

Cedar Hill Cemetery

Dawson, Georgia

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

*The family of the late Mr. Gregory T. Simmons gratefully acknowledges, with sincere appreciation, all of the kind acts of sympathy during our bereavement.*

*Our loss did not allow us to walk smooth paths, nor bear an easy load.*

*But with your prayers, cards, flowers, food and calls,  
we found strength and fortitude to climb the rock strewn road.*

*You gave us such courage and support that we did not  
scale the hardest peaks alone.*

*Unselfishly, you helped us transform every stumbling block into a stepping stone.*

*For these, we are very grateful and say thanks.*

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## A CELEBRATION OF *Life* FOR



# MR. GREGORY *Tyrone Simmons*

SUNRISE

May 9, 1972

SUNSET

November 28, 2024

Saturday, December 7, 2024  
2:00 PM

ROSE HILL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

315 Williams Clubhouse Road

Dawson, Georgia 39842

Reverend John E. Thomas, Pastor  
Reverend Willard O. Weston, Officiating

# His Story

As recorded in the Book of Ecclesiastes,

*“To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose: a time to be born and time to die  
– All in the fulfillment of God’s Devine Will must be done.”*

Mr. Gregory Tyrone Simmons was born on May 9, 1972, to Patricia Ann Simmons and Willie B. Simmons, Sr. He accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior at an early age and joined Rose Hill Missionary Baptist Church in Graves, Georgia.

Greg was educated in the Terrell County school system. After high school, Greg was employed by several companies: Cargill, The Tree Farm, McClesky Mills, and Olam.

Greg’s life was a testament to unwavering faith and boundless compassion. He touched countless lives with his kindness, and his friendship to all has left an indelible mark on his community.

Early Thursday, November 28, 2024, Greg answered the Master’s call and entered eternal rest. He was preceded in death by his son, Gregory T. Simmons, Jr; father, Willie B. Simmons, Sr.; grandparents, Charlie Will Rogers, Sr., Laura Mae Rogers, Booker T. Simmons, Sr., and Annie Ree Simmons; aunts, Fannie L. Mobley and Laurantette Thomas; and uncles, Bennie Rogers, Leon Rogers, Sr., Elder Max Simmons, Booker T. Simmons, Jimmy Green and Charles Rodgers.

Greg leaves behind a legacy of love and cherished memories to: his mother, Patricia Simmons; siblings, Latonya Simmons (Serence), Cortney (DeMarcus) Harvey, Kizzy (Cordero) Thomas, and Willie B. Simmons, Jr.; aunts, Mary Ann Brinson, Valerie (Barry) Davis, Betty Simmons, Virginia Broner, Mary Ann (Michael) Bridges, Helen (Eddie) Allen, Joyce (Chris) Waller, Shirley Simmons (Troy), and Susan Simmons (Ernest); uncles, Charlie Rogers, Jr., Johnny Brinson, McArthur (Geraldine) Rogers, Kenneth (Matilda) Rogers, Kenneth Humphries, Tommy (Stephanie) Rogers, Charlie Ford, Larry Thomas, and Johnny Simmons; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends, to include a very special friend, Betty Walton, and best friend, Freddie Sherman.

# Order of Celebration

Prelude

Processional

Final Viewing

Devotion..... Deacon Ronnie Lewis  
Deacon Michael Bridges

Solo.....Sister Jeanette Jackson

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament..... Reverend John E. Thomas

New Testament..... Reverend Willard O. Weston

Reflections..... *Limit Two Minutes*

Solo

Eulogy ..... Reverend Willard O. Weston

Acknowledgements

Committal Ritual

## MY LAST REQUEST

*Don't remember just good times, but remember all the bad.*

*For life is full of many things, some happy and some sad.*

*But if you must do something, then I have one last request.*

*Forgive me for the wrongs I've done*

*And with the love that's left,*

*Thank God for my soul's resting.*

*Thank God for all who love me,*

*Praise God who loved me best.*