



## CLARA B. SIMMONS

September 10, 1941 - July 13, 2024

Clara B. Simmons, 82, of Lanexa, VA passed away Saturday, July 13, 2024. She was preceded in death by her parents, Isadore and Helen Lucas Bryant. She is survived by her husband of 55 years, James S. Simmons Sr.; her three sons, Joseph Bryant (Rhonda), Stuart Bryant (Hope), & James Simmons Jr.; her brother, Simuel Bryant; her sister, Evelyn Bryant; her grandchildren, Jamon Pace, Aisha Nash, Marcus Bryant, (Theresa) Jamar Smith, C'mone Simmons, Nneka Simmons, (Garnett) Miah Simmons (Michelle), Benjamin Ramirez, Seth Ramirez, Selena Morin, Christopher Morin, Lindsey Morin, Audrey Morin, Araceli Morin, Armando Morin; seven great grandchildren; two nieces, Maudine Webber, and Gerald Webber; nephews, Andy Bryant, Warren Bryant, Damani Bryant, Dante Bryant and Jerod Simmons.

Clara was a devoted member of Ebenezer Baptist Church, and in her free time, she volunteered at the Providence Forge Library. She attended Benjamin Graves Jr. High School and graduated from Maggie L. Walker High School. She took up a career in health care and worked as a Registered nurse, from which she retired.

Clara was a very kind soul who loved to listen to any variety of music. She spent her free time enjoying painting, reading, birdwatching, crocheting, and always working on arts and crafts with her grandchildren. You could find her navigating through The Travel Channel, as she loved the virtual travel experience it brought to her. She loved spending time with her family, especially all her grandchildren, who she loved dearly.

The family receive friends on Wednesday, July 24, 2024, from 4:00 to 8:00 PM in the Providence Forge Chapel of Vincent Funeral Home 9923 Pocahontas Trail Providence Forge VA 23140 where funeral services will be held 1:00 PM Thursday, July 25, 2024. Interment will follow in Ebenezer Baptist Church Cemetery 14410 Rockahock Rd, Lanexa, VA 23089.

# Cemetery Details

## Ebenezer Baptist Church

14410 Rockahock Road  
Lanexa, VA 23089

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JUL 24. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, Providence Forge Chapel  
9923 Pocahontas Trail  
Providence Forge, VA 23140  
(804) 966-7075

## Funeral Service

JUL 25. 1:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, Providence Forge Chapel  
9923 Pocahontas Trail  
Providence Forge, VA 23140  
(804) 966-7075

# Tribute Wall

BH

“ So sorry to hear of Clara's passing.. We worked several years together at Richmond Memorial Hospital. 🙏that God will continue to give you strength and comfort.

Betty Hyde - July 26, 2024 at 06:55 PM

NC

“ Norman & Vicki Crowder lit a candle in memory of CLARA B. SIMMONS



Norman & Vicki Crowder - July 24, 2024 at 04:28 PM

TW

“ Simmons Family, we were very saddened to hear of the passing of Mrs. Simmons and we extend our deepest sympathies. She will certainly be missed. We send our love and prayers to the entire family. 🙏🕊️

Tsedale Wallace - July 21, 2024 at 06:44 PM

JC

“ JoAnn& Brandon Christian

You are in our thoughts and prayers.Earth has no sorrow Heaven can't heal.

JoAnn Christian - July 19, 2024 at 04:10 AM

TW

“ To James Jr. and family, I am so sorry to hear about Mrs. Simmons passing. Praying for your strength and peace. 🙏🕊️



Tjonda Wallace - July 19, 2024 at 12:28 AM

EC

“ Edward & Brenda Christian lit a candle in memory of CLARA B. SIMMONS



Edward & Brenda Christian - July 18, 2024 at 09:43 PM

JH

Sorry for the lost.To know, Clara,was to love her. Blessings of peace and comfort to the family.

Jerline B Holmes - July 21, 2024 at 01:02 PM

CC

“ To Mr. Simmons and family..We are sorry for your loss...Heavens gain....We will keep you in prayer.

Alease, Stefon and Charlene Christian



Charlene Christian - July 18, 2024 at 08:06 PM

WA

“ Wanda Akrie-Feltus lit a candle in memory of  
CLARA B. SIMMONS



Wanda Akrie-Feltus - July 18, 2024 at 11:59 AM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss



Thomas Widgeon - July 17, 2024 at 05:51 AM

PC

“ The Lanexa Community and the Ebenezer Baptist Church loved Momma Simmons. She was so kind and compassionate. Her smile and love filled the room when she entered. We will miss this kind and sweet lady. I am so happy to have her artwork in my home. My sincere and heartfelt condolences to the Simmons family. 🙏🌺🙏



Peg and Kelvin Christian - July 16, 2024 at 10:18 PM

CR

“ To the family sorry for your loss she was a kind soul everyone loved her. she will be missed but never forgotten.

Carolyn Randall - July 16, 2024 at 04:16 PM

GL

“ My condolences to the entire family. Beautiful Lady (that made sure she had on her lipstick, different earrings, fashion eyeglasses, purses and kept her nails done) and wonderful Grandmother "Granny" to my children. Rest peacefully.  
~Jeronn and Garnett Lightfoot

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**Garnett Lightfoot** - July 15, 2024 at 04:15 PM

JJ

*C'Mone and family my condolences goes out to you'll, she is at peace.*

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**Juliet Johnson** - July 15, 2024 at 05:02 PM

TL

*To the Simmons Family, what a beautiful soul and always gave the best hugs ever. Teresa Lemons*

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**Teresa Lemons** - July 15, 2024 at 06:46 PM

CS

*sending love and sympathy may the memories in your heart help to ease some of the pain .... thinking of you with love and emotion with deep sympathy ...love forever ... your neice in atlanta ga ... cecelia simmons-knight*

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**cecelia simmons-knight** - July 16, 2024 at 07:10 AM

HW

*We are going to miss those big hugs and we are going to miss you RIP.*

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**Hazel Wynn** - July 16, 2024 at 03:10 PM

LG

*I'm going to miss your big hugs and your sweet smile.*

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**Laura Green** - July 16, 2024 at 03:12 PM



*I graduated from MLW with Clara and worked with her at RMH. She was a wonderful person and I will miss her. The family has Mt deepest sympathy.*

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**Lillie Greene Epps** - July 26, 2024 at 07:03 PM