



Keith Simmons

June 12, 1949 - May 14, 2021

Keith Simmons passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on May 14, 2021 at the age of 71. A lifelong resident of Stamford, Connecticut he was born on June 12, 1949 in Stamford, Connecticut to Leon and Anna Lee Mitchell Simmons. Keith received an Associate Degree in Criminal Justice from Norwalk Community College and worked for years as an Assistant Director at AIC, retiring and finding great joy in praising God and participating in fellowship. Keith was a member of Union Baptist Church 805 Newfield Ave., Stamford, Connecticut under the leadership of Rev. Dr. Robert W. Perry. Keith received numerous Community Service Awards and Recognition over the years; Forty Years of service from Committee on Training & Education, 2006, Jackie Robinson Park of Fame, Inc., 2008, Dr. Yerwood - Stamford Branch NAACP, 2009, Public Leadership Citation from State of Connecticut, Office of the Treasurer, 2009, Official Citation from State of Connecticut, Office of the Attorney General, 2009, New England States & Eastern Canada, Daughters of I.B.P.O. Elks of the World, 2009, New York City Council Citation, 2012, Philanthropic Achievement from the State of Connecticut General Assembly, 2016 and The Helpers Club Scholarship Foundation, Inc., 2016. His memory will be treasured by six sons; Spencer Simmons (Alanna), Dwan Simmons, J'Von Harris (Kisha), Sedrick Blackmon (Marsha), Teddy Blackmon (Yafah), Ryan Blackmon (Pamela), one daughter; Audrey Way, two God daughters; De'Nasia Ray and Shanae Addison, four sisters; Gail Brown (Robert), Brenda Sherriod (Edward), Jacqueline Simmons, Rayanne Johnson-Vaughn, twelve

grandchildren, fiancée; Renee Cummings Blackmon, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Keith is predeceased by his former wife; Mattie Simmons, grandson; Avery Simmons, two brothers; William Atterberry and Leon Simmons, Jr.

Visitation will be held on Thursday May 20, 2021 from 10:00AM -12:00PM followed by a service of celebration at 12:00PM at Union Baptist Church, 805 Newfield Ave., Stamford, CT. Interment will be private

Cemetery Details

Private

Tribute Wall

LF

“ *Leslie Banks & Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Keith Simmons.*



Leslie Banks & Family - May 19, 2021 at 12:49 PM

DA

“ *To Renee, Audrey, Gail and the rest of the Simmon's family,*

My deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one, you all know better than others what a tremendously wonderful spirit Keithy was. He will be loved and missed always. Hold on to God's hand and he will see you through this difficult time and remember all of the memories that you were able to create and that will bring you joy, laughter and smiles. Hugs and love being sent to all of you. Keeping you lifted in prayer.



Warmest regards,

Donna L. Aekins

Donna L. Aekins - May 19, 2021 at 11:34 AM

RS

“ To the Entire Simmons/Cummings Family,
There are not enough words to express the various feelings that I know you and the entire community of Stamford and surrounding are experiencing at this moment...As much as he poured out, as much as he loved, as much as he acted out his compassion and caring in ministering to those he encountered towards a more meaningful life, again no words can tell it all! He was and always will be my go to big brother and I thank God that everyone of you lent him to all of us who have become the better for his life! We shall all miss him, but I am assured that God, momma, poppa, granny, LEELEE and so many others have welcomed his now rested spirit with open arms! It hurts, oh it hurts, BUT GOD....He is another one of our precious angels now, watching over all of us!!! Love you all❤️❤️❤️❤️🙏🙏🙏🙏
Your Sister-In-Spirit, Rev Dr Dawn C Snell and Family
Stamford



Rev Dr Dawn C Snell - May 19, 2021 at 06:35 AM

LH

“ Lorraine Hunter-Brown lit a candle in memory of Keith Simmons



Lorraine Hunter-Brown - May 18, 2021 at 09:08 PM

LH

To the family of Keith Simmons and Renee Cummings, We are sorry for your loss, just know he is in a better place with the Lord, no more suffering and no more pain he is at rest now.

Lorraine Hunter-Brown - May 18, 2021 at 09:12 PM

LW

“ *To Mrs. Gail Brown, Simmons & Cummings Family.*

May God continue to bless you all during your time of sorrow. Keith will truly be missed he has touch so many heart's.

Grace, Mercy and Peace!



LINDA WILLS - May 18, 2021 at 07:59 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Keith Simmons.*



May 18, 2021 at 05:17 PM