



Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims

July 20, 1949 - August 24, 2017

Ms. Ruth Thelma Sims, 68, of Peoria, IL passed away peacefully at 11:55 pm on Thursday, August 24, 2017 at Heartland Healthcare Center.

Ruth was born on July 20, 1949 in Springfield, IL to O.C. and Emma (Marshall) Davis. She married John Sims, Sr., and to their union three children was born, John, Jr., Lamont and Laureen.

Ruth was a homemaker. She was an outgoing person who loved to joke and spend time with her family and friends.

Ruth leaves to cherish her most precious memories her loving and devoted children, John, Jr., and Lamont Sims both of Peoria and Laureen (Kevin) McGee of Cummings, GA; three brothers, Roy, Jerry and U.S. Davis all of Peoria and three sisters, Lou Jean Neal, Louella Mann and Mardella Marks all of Peoria; 11 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents and three brothers, Jimmy, Earl and James Davis.

Funeral services will be held at 11 am on Friday, September 1, 2017 at Grace Baptist Church with a visitation one hour prior beginning at 10 am. Pastor Claude L. White, Jr., will officiate. Ruth will be laid to rest at Lutheran Cemetery.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. On line condolences may be made at SimonsMortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Lutheran Cemetery

914 S Pleasant St
Peoria, IL 61604-5954

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Grace Baptist Church
405 N. Richard Pryor Place
Peoria, IL 61605

Funeral Service

SEP 1. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Grace Baptist Church
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Peoria, IL 61605

Tribute Wall



“ *Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims.*



August 31, 2017 at 02:24 PM



“ *My most sincere and thoughtful condolences to the family of Ms. "Ruthie" Thelma Sims. I am sorry for your loss. I pray God be with you all in your time of need. May your love one Rest Peace.* 🕊️



Brendaldreez - August 29, 2017 at 08:46 PM

MA

“ To Lamont and John Sims and family, I am so sorry for your lost, you have my condolence May God be with you and your family at this time just keep the faith and trust in the Lord he will she you and your family through this.



Mary and Micheal Anderson-Farris - August 29, 2017 at 08:10 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims.



August 29, 2017 at 04:50 PM

MR

“ Margie Reynolds purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims.



Margie Reynolds - August 29, 2017 at 10:20 AM

SW

“ Sandra Walker lit a candle in memory of Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims



Sandra Walker - August 29, 2017 at 08:47 AM

AN

“ Angie lit a candle in memory of Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims



Angie - August 28, 2017 at 10:17 PM

AN

“ I very sad to hear off your loss, Laureen, John, and Lamont, and family. May God give you strength and peace during this most difficult time. Love, Angie

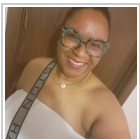
Angie - August 28, 2017 at 10:15 PM

SW

“ Sandra Walker lit a candle in memory of Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims



Sandra Walker - August 28, 2017 at 03:39 PM



“ Nicolette Lovingood lit a candle in memory of Ms. Ruth "Ruthie" Thelma Sims



Nicolette Lovingood - August 27, 2017 at 06:59 PM

MW

To the family of "Ruth/Ruthie/ Sims with deepest sympathy, May GOD comfort and bless you with his love in your time of grief.

Marie Walker - August 31, 2017 at 09:18 PM