



Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade

April 4, 1971 - February 18, 2021

Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade, 49, of Peoria, IL transitioned from this life to her heavenly home at 11:15 am Thursday, February 18, 2021 at her residence.

Sonja was born on April 4, 1971 in Peoria, IL to Veronica (Wade) Walker and Mickel Simmons.

Sonja was a 1988 graduate of Woodruff High School. She worked as a landscaper for Peoria Park District for many years. She enjoyed cooking and her favorite dish was Lasagna. Sonja had a caring spirit and especially loved her grandchildren and family. She took care of her grandmother, mother and daughters. Sonja was a member of St. Paul Baptist Church. She was active with the Hidden Manna food pantry at New Beginnings Ministry.

Sonja leaves to cherish her most precious memories, her mother, Veronica Walker; one son, Ashton Newell; two daughters, Ashley Davis and Mackenzie Catton all of Peoria, IL; two brothers, Mickel Simmons of Memphis, TN and Everett Winder of Peoria, IL; two sisters, Renee (Tyrone) Simmons Allen of Peoria, IL and Tiffany (Mark) Hawkins of Memphis, TN; three grandchildren, Le'Asia Crayton, Lamar Crayton, Jr., and Quest Robinson and a host of nieces, nephews, other family and friends who adored her. She is preceded in death by her father; her brother, Derrick Simmons; her sister, Shonda Bailey Webster; and her grandmother, Frieda Wade; and her great-grandmother, Mabel Green.

A private funeral service will be held at 12 noon on Friday, February 26, 2021

at Simons Mortuary Chapel with a visitation beginning prior at 11 am. Pastor Deveraux Hubbard of St. Paul Baptist Church will officiate.

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

The service will be live streamed on Simons Mortuary's Website or Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/Simons-Mortuary-232095303487150> promptly AT THE TIME OF THE SERVICE.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, social distancing and attendance, funerals are limited to 50 family members of the decedents, not including the staff at Simons Mortuary.

The chapel can socially distance and seat no more than 50 or less people. All others will be able to flow through prior to beginning of the service.

To be consistent with recommendations from the National Funeral Directors Association (NFDA), funeral home directors have been instructed and should follow CDC guidelines on gatherings, including those directly related to funerals, visitations, or graveside services. Funerals are limited to no more than 50 of the decedent's immediate family members.

*In an effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19, we ask that everyone in attendance: wear a face mask and refrain from hugging, kissing and shaking hands (as hard as it is to see someone you care about and not touch them).

*It is our responsibility as a Funeral Directors, to do everything we can to advise families in order to honor our beloved Families and to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation!

Previous Events

Funeral Service

FEB **26**. 12:00 AM (CT)

Simons Mortuary Chapel
912 W. John H. Gwynn, Jr. Ave.
Peoria, IL 61605
(309) 674-2638
info@simonsmortuary.com
<https://simonsmortuary.com>

Visitation

FEB **26**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade*



Simons Mortuary - February 24, 2021 at 05:29 PM

AB

Sonja you were by best friend, you always made me laugh and was there for me through so much. Until we meet again I will carry you in my heart and soul. Love you G.

Angela Baum - February 26, 2021 at 01:55 PM

GL

What a beautiful video thank you so much. Jerry Leblanc

Gerald LeBlanc - February 26, 2021 at 03:31 PM

JA

Beautiful Service. Our Angel is now in Heaven. ❤️Auntie Jackie

Jackie - February 26, 2021 at 08:57 PM



“ *Mickel Simmons lit a candle in memory of Sonja Wade*



Mickel Simmons - February 18, 2025 at 11:33 PM



“ *Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *Sonja Latina Marie Wade my one and only true love my soul mate you gave me the best 18 years of my life you will be sorely missed .may you rest in peace darling. Love Jerry LeBlanc*

Gerald LeBlanc - February 26, 2021 at 10:27 AM



“ *Our love and prayers are with you 🙏🌹🥺 - From the Holloway Family*

Fran Holloway - February 25, 2021 at 07:54 PM



“ *Detrick Dee Dee Green lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade*



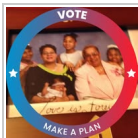
Detrick Dee Dee Green - February 25, 2021 at 03:19 PM

RF

“ *Rena Horton & Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade*



Rena Horton & Family - February 25, 2021 at 11:13 AM



“ *Evelyn Tate-Clayton lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade*



Evelyn Tate-Clayton - February 24, 2021 at 12:18 PM

CC

“ *Corey Cornish lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade*



Corey Cornish - February 23, 2021 at 07:07 PM

DP

“ *Condolences to the family of Sonja Wade.*

Darryl Pegues - February 23, 2021 at 07:59 AM

DW

“ Sorry for your lost praying for family and friends May the grace of our lord and savior Jesus Christ be with you all Amen rip in Jesus name amen



Dorotha Williams - February 22, 2021 at 11:16 PM

DS

“ DEBRINA SMITH lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sonja LaTina Marie Wade



DEBRINA SMITH - February 22, 2021 at 09:51 PM