



Robert Elee "Bob" Simmons, Jr.

August 18, 1939 - February 11, 2014

Robert Elee "Bob" Simmons, Jr., 74, of Heber Springs, died Tuesday, February 11, 2014. He was born August 18, 1939 in Judsonia a son of the late Robert and Dorothy Whitter Simmons. He was retired from the construction industry. Bob served the Lord in the General Baptist Church and enjoyed his role as song leader for many years. He enjoyed hunting and fishing but loved spending time with his grandchildren most of all.

He is survived by his son, Greg Simmons (Carmela) of Heber Springs; sister, Dorothy Jean Nixon (E.P.) of Judsonia; 3 grandchildren, Mary Elizabeth Simmons, Adrianna Dawn Simmons and Gregory Elee Simmons, Jr. as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Anna Yvonne LaGrange.

Visitation will be Saturday from 12:30 - 2:00 p.m. at the Olmstead Funeral Home in Heber Springs. A funeral service will follow at 2:00 p.m. with burial in the Evergreen Cemetery in Judsonia. Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home, Bald Knob-Judsonia. www.powellfuneralhome.net.

Tribute Wall

DM

“ *The family of Bob Simmons is in my thoughts and prayers. We worshipped for many years together at Wilburn General Baptist Church. Bob was a talented song leader and soloist. He will be missed by many. He's singing in Heaven's choir now.*

Delores Marshall - February 10, 2016 at 02:46 PM

JW

“ *Dot and family:
We were so sorry to hear about Bobby. He was a special guy. Always remember his laughter and playing basketball with him at your Mom, Dad's house.
Pray you will find peace in that we feel your sorrow and memories of a great (brother) and friend to us.
Brenda and Jerry*

jerry, brenda Wood - February 10, 2016 at 02:46 PM

JB

“ *My prayers are with the family at this time. Bobby has been a special friend for a number of years. He was very nice to my daughter at church camp years ago, it was her first camp and she loved it. We would meet up at Cross County Meets and watch our granddaughters run. He was always so proud of the girls as they ran. He always had a kind word and hug for my daughter, Allison Shuttleworth. I haven't seen him in some time but I do know he was a very special caring man. Prayers are with you.*

Jan Bolding - February 10, 2016 at 02:46 PM

JM

“ *My condolences to you, Greg.*

Julie McSpadden - February 10, 2016 at 02:46 PM