



Josephine Simmons

January 25, 1920 - November 27, 2009

Josephine Simmons, widow of Oliver Walton Simmons, died on November 27, 2009. She was born Josephine Beall Shannon to H.B. and Leila Caldwell Shannon on January 25, 1920 in East Point, Georgia. In addition to her husband, two brothers, H.B. Shannon, Jr., and W.C. Shannon predeceased her. Three sons survive her. They are John Walton Simmons and his wife Patsy, of Spartanburg, SC; Robert Lewis Simmons and his wife Susan, of Fort Worth, TX; and William Russell Simmons, of Atlanta, GA. There are six grandchildren; John Jr., Todd, Andrew, Jennifer, Scott and Will; and 12 great-grandchildren. Josephine grew up in East Point, Georgia and graduated from Russell High School, before attending Oglethorpe University. After marrying Walton and living with family during his military service, they started their family in East Point. In 1949, they moved to Riverdale, GA., and experienced farm life. In 1958, they moved to Jonesboro, GA., and remained there until moving in 2000 to an assisted living home. A memorial service and celebration will be held at 1:00 PM on Monday, November 30th, 2009 at Peachtree Road United Methodist Church in Atlanta. Rev. Bill Britt, Rev. Don Harp, and Rev. Ron Greer will conduct the service. There will be a private graveside service earlier with children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren being Pallbearers. The family will visit with friends after the memorial service. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Peachtree Road United Methodist, 3180 Peachtree Rd., NW, Atlanta, GA 30305; or to the Committee on Spiritual Formation, Central United Methodist Church, 233 N. Church

Street, Spartanburg, SC 29306. Arrangements by Tim Stewart Funeral Home,
300 Simonton Road, SW, Lawrenceville, GA 30045. 770-962-3100. Please
sign the online guest registry at www.stewartfh.com

Previous Events

Service

NOV **30**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Peachtree Road United Methodist Church
3180 Peachtree Rd, NW
Atlanta, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Josephine Simmons*

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“ *My deepest sympathy to the entire Simmons family. My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Lally Ross##imported-end##*

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