



Mr. Lynn Simmons

August 31, 1941 - October 9, 2021

Graveside services for Mr. Lynn Simmons, 80, of Henderson, will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 14, 2021, at Zion Hill Cemetery with Rev. Jimmy Simmons and Rev. David Gatlin officiating. Interment will follow under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

The family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. until service time on Thursday, at Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church.

Mr. Simmons passed from this life on October 9, 2021, at his residence. He was born August 31, 1941, in Henderson to the late Noble & Mittie (Gary) Simmons. Lynn graduated from Laneville schools and went on to a long career with the Texas Department of Transportation from which he retired. He later worked for, and retired from, the Carlisle Transfer Station. Mr. Simmons was a long-time member of the Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 60 years, Nancy Griffith Simmons; brothers, George Noble Simmons and Joe Simmons; and brother-in-law, Wyatt Griffith.

Survivors include his son, Tommy Simmons of Henderson; sister, Mary Simmons McMurray of Arlington; sisters-in-law, Syble Griffith and Ann Simmons of Henderson; as well as a host of cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Wayne Griffith, Harriet Craig, Jody Simmons, David Simmons, George Wesley Simmons, and Harold Howell. Honorary pallbearers will be George Brady, James "Slick" Allred, Barney "Shorty" Cleavenger, Louis Sanders, Albert Shepperd, Arthur Clark, Harlan Clark, and Fonza Clark.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at www.crawfordacrim.com.

Cemetery Details

Zion Hill Cemetery

CR 368
Minden, TX 75680

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **14**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church
CR 368
Minden, TX 75680

Graveside

OCT **14**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

TH

“ *Terrie Harman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Terrie Harman - October 15, 2021 at 04:24 PM

JC

“ *Jerri Armstrong Clark lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Jerri Armstrong Clark - October 14, 2021 at 05:16 PM

DS

“ *Donna Saffell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Donna Saffell - October 14, 2021 at 03:20 PM

AP

“ *Angela Price lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Angela Price - October 13, 2021 at 10:24 PM

JJ

“ Jason & Susan Jarrell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons



Jason & Susan Jarrell - October 13, 2021 at 08:42 PM

JB

“ Jeff Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons



Jeff Brown - October 13, 2021 at 08:22 PM

AL

“ I spent days and days talking with Mr. Simmons for a feature story in the paper, going through photo album after photo album. I learned about his childhood, and Tommy's. I learned so much about Nancy and their life together. I also learned how lost he was without her. How the mere mention of her name would bring him to tears. I made a friend in those interviews. Lynn never failed to call me after a good opinion piece or well-written article. He would always make the time to tell me I'd done well with one story or another. He always wanted me to know that even though he barely knew me he enjoyed my work, even promising to laminate my story and mix it in with 60 years of love and history in his memory box. He would keep me on the phone for an hour but I loved those phone calls. I wept when I heard of his passing but praised God knowing he's now with his beloved once again, just beyond the moon.

Amber Lollar - October 13, 2021 at 03:07 PM

SK

“ Had many conversations with Mr. Simmons while visiting him at the landfill. He and my Dad worked together briefly at Trailmobile in Longview back in the 70's. He had some neat stories that I enjoyed listening to.



Stephen Kimbrell - October 13, 2021 at 06:50 AM



“ Tommy I sure did enjoy know both your Dad and Mom. I started throwing there paper when I was in high school then again in 1993. Lynn was still working for the State then always enjoyed visiting with him.

Prayers

Donna Dorsey Aaron

Donna Aaron - October 13, 2021 at 01:25 AM

MH

“ Missy Hacker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons



Missy Hacker - October 12, 2021 at 09:43 PM

GB

“ Lynn was a great friend and will be truly missed. 🙏



George Brady - October 12, 2021 at 05:16 PM

PG

“ *Praying for you, Tommy.
Rex and Patrice Gage*



Patrice Gage - October 12, 2021 at 04:39 PM

MW

“ *Mike Walters lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Lynn Simmons*



Mike Walters - October 12, 2021 at 02:41 PM

RR

“ *Rodney And Angie Riley lit a candle in
memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Rodney and Angie Riley - October 12, 2021 at 12:33 PM

DB

“ *Will surely miss him such a nice man and
neighbor . Damon Bassett*



Damon Bassett - October 12, 2021 at 11:35 AM

CH

“ Charles Helton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons



Charles Helton - October 12, 2021 at 11:10 AM

DK

“ Lynn was my best friend years ago in school at Laneville. Last saw him at Herchel's in Henderson. Lynn was a good man and I'm sorry he has passed on. My condolences to all his family. Dan Kelton

Dan Kelton - October 12, 2021 at 10:32 AM

KL

“ Karl Randy Lambeth lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons



Karl Randy Lambeth - October 12, 2021 at 08:36 AM

TR

“ Twela Ropp lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons



Twela Ropp - October 11, 2021 at 10:49 PM

PW

“ *Pat Wear lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Pat wear - October 11, 2021 at 08:56 PM

TC

“ *Tony And Anita Cavaliere lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Tony and Anita Cavaliere - October 11, 2021 at 08:07 PM



“ *I have known Lynn almost all our lives he was a very gentle man he was always happy and smiled every time I saw him I will miss him ! God has carried an Angel home Rest In Peace my dear friend*

Margie Woolverton - October 11, 2021 at 06:36 PM

AL

“ *Annette Lochridge lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Annette Lochridge - October 11, 2021 at 06:35 PM

TH

“ *Trey Hacker family*



Trey Hacker - October 11, 2021 at 06:23 PM

JH

“ *Jack And Barbara Hammett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Jack and Barbara Hammett - October 11, 2021 at 05:58 PM

JH

“ *Lynn was one of a kind. He had many a story to tell. I enjoyed visiting with him when he worked at The Dump in Carlisle. If you were a stranger after a few minutes with Lynn you were no stranger anymore. He has gone now to be with his wife to whom he missed very much. Rest in peace my friend.*

Barbara Hammett

Jack and Barbara Hammett - October 11, 2021 at 05:57 PM

JH

“ *Jack And Barbara Hammett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Jack and Barbara Hammett - October 11, 2021 at 05:51 PM

MC

“ *Melissa Clayton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Melissa Clayton - October 11, 2021 at 04:49 PM

JR

“ *Jayda Ramirez lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Jayda Ramirez - October 11, 2021 at 03:58 PM



“ *Barbara J Jolley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lynn Simmons*



Barbara J Jolley - October 11, 2021 at 03:38 PM