



## Marybell Simms

November 29, 1923 - May 15, 2020

Marybell Simms was born November 29, 1923, and departed this life on Friday, May 15, 2020, at the age of 96. Marybell was born and raised in Annapolis, Maryland and was preceded in death by her Father and Mother; Charles and Rosie Simms.

Marybell was educated in the Anne Arundel County public school systems and was a member of First Baptist Church of Annapolis; where she was baptized at a young age. She was a believer of God and ensured that her family was rooted and grounded in the word of God. She worked as a Laundry Attendant at the U.S. Naval Academy and retired on January 5, 1989. Marybell was a strong and independent woman and raised six beautiful children with the support of her parents. Marybell dedicated her life to ensuring that her children were well cared for. She believed in the unity of family and not only did she raise her children but went on to assist in the upbringing of several generations. Marybell Simms was a pillar in her family and will forever be missed.

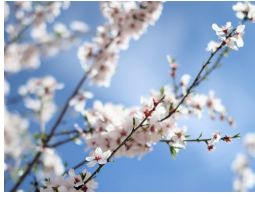
Marybell was preceded in death by her daughter Lucille Coates (Sissy), her 3 brothers; David Simms (Mary Simms), Charles Simms Jr., and Samuel Simms (Lucille Simms). She leaves to cherish her memories; Two siblings; Elizabeth Simms and Nina Mae Simms; 5 children, James Harris (Maryland Harris), Sylvia Hawkins (Duane Hawkins) and Sharon White, all of Annapolis, Diane Jordan (Bernice Jordan) and Henrietta Gee both of North Carolina; 14 grandchildren; 36 great-great grandchildren; and 7 great-great-great grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and a special friend of the family, Bernadette Pruitt.

# Comments

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“ A webcast video has been added.



**Lasting Tributes** - May 21, 2020 at 04:24 PM



“ Thanks for sharing, R. I. P. Aunt Marybell. My sincere condolences to the family in the loss of your love one.

**Tershea Harris-Young** - May 22, 2020 at 12:26 PM



“ I remember I used to come over and watch TV with you. We would laugh and joke about those old black and white movies. Idk I just felt like I had to see you and check on you. You will be missed dearly. I love you Aunt Bell.

**Gerrell** - May 22, 2020 at 01:29 PM



“ Red Poinsettia (Silk Cemetery Flowers) was purchased for the family of Marybell Simms.



May 22, 2020 at 01:26 PM



“ I just really loved being there with her....watching old movies with Elvis, Jerry Lewis and and not my favorite but one of hers John Wayne. I was pretty lucky to have so much family being around when i was younger. Multiple Aunts, cousins and two grandmothers. Marybell Simms was more than just grabdma to me. She was my other mother and probably my best friend. I will miss here dearly but definitely understand why God decided to take her home.

**Dennis Ray Mial Jr** - May 22, 2020 at 10:12 AM