



## Charlie Simmons Sr.

September 28, 2016

Charlie Simmons Sr., 89, passed away September 28, 2016 at Mercy St. Vincent Hospital. Born in Demopolis, AL, he was a diesel mechanic for Superior Transfer until their closing. He was also the owner of Belmont Automotive. Charlie Sr. was a 60 year member of Spring Street Baptist Church where he served as a deacon and sang with the male chorus. He loved to fish and hunt.

His beloved wife of almost 70 years, Ruth Simmons, preceded him in death August 30, 2015.

He leaves to cherish his memory three sons, Charlie (Aurelia) Simmons Jr., Jay and Terry Simmons; four daughters, Barbara Brooks, Gloria, Delphine and Kim Simmons; two sisters, Ollie (Sammie) Jones, Minnie (Jim) Wise; brother, Jose (Queen); 8 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren and other relatives and many friends.

Visitation will be Friday 6 - 8 p.m. Dale-Riggs Funeral Home Chapel, with family hour Saturday 10 a.m. followed by funeral services at 11 a.m. Greater St. Mary's Baptist Church, Rev. Robert Lyons pastor, Rev. Anthony E. Richardson pastor of Spring St. Baptist Church officiant. Interment Historic Woodlawn Cemetery.

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“ *I'm truly going to miss my Uncle Charlie!! The best uncle ever. He opened his home, his heart and shared his wisdom. He was cherished by me and his memory will be as well.  
My love and prayers go out to all my cousins. I love you all!!*

*Tina(Sterling) Besteda-Jones*

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