



Mr William Grady Sims Jr

July 25, 1950 - December 21, 2019

William Grady Sims, Jr.
Walnut Grove, MS

William Grady Sims, Jr., 69, retired mayor of the City of Walnut Grove, died Saturday, December 21, 2019 at Scott Regional Hospital in Morton.

Visitation is 5 pm to 8 pm Friday, Dec. 27, 2019 at New Hope Baptist Church. Services are 10:00 am Saturday, December 28, 2019 at New Hope Baptist Church with Bro. Duane Jones and Bro. Ron Alford officiating. Burial will follow in the Lindsey Cemetery at Walnut Grove. Wilcox Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Mr. Sims was a native of Durant and a member of New Hope Baptist Church. He served as Mayor for 32 years and was a businessman in Walnut Grove. He was a member of the Gideons and Baptist Association, and a preacher for 35+ years.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Mary Frances Spainfield.

Survivors include: his wife, Gloria Buckle Sims of Walnut Grove; son, Mike Sims of Walnut Grove; daughter, Rebecca Sims Krauza of Tampa, FL; step-sons, Adam Elbatnigi of Chadwick, MO, and Sami Lee Elbatnigi of Walnut Grove; sisters, Ann Keith of Durant, Maxine Roche of Atlanta, GA, and Louise Ingle of Durant; 4 grandchildren, William Paul Krauza, Ann Claire Krauza, Roman Michael Krauza, and Aleah Kelsey Elbatnigi.

Pallbearers are: Bo Thornton, David Ladd, Matt Bethany, James Murphy,

Derrick Young, and Rick Harris.
Honorary pallbearer is Tim Withers.

Cemetery Details

Lindsey Cemetery

Walnut Grove, MS

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 27. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

New Hope
Carthage, MS

Service

DEC 28. 10:00 AM (CT)

New Hope
Carthage, MS

Tribute Wall

HW

“ Grady will be dearly missed by his family and friends. Taken to soon, but God needed him more. My very first part time job when I was in school, he was my boss at the grocery store. He always had a smile on his face . Sending prayers to the family .Love you Gloria,you are a sweetheart.



Hilda Withers - December 27, 2019 at 06:13 AM