



George Heyward Simmons, Jr.

July 14, 1933 - September 8, 2023

George Heyward Simmons, Jr., 90 years of age, passed on Friday, September 8, 2023 at PruittHealth Southwood.

George was born July 14, 1933 in Jacksonville, Florida to parents George Simmons, Sr. and May Ruth Freeman Simmons. He joined the United States Army at age 20. He later received a business degree from Chipola College. He married the love of his life, Nancy Ellen Cochrane, on April 1, 1963 in Tampa, Florida. George worked in vehicle sales for many years. He was also involved with Springtime Tallahassee. George will be remembered for his love for the Florida State University Seminoles - attending many of their in-town and out-of-town football games.

Survivors include his children Dale Ellen Ulrich (David Ulrich), Caryn Laurel Alfsen (Greg Alfsen), Keith Eugene Simmons (Stephanie Simmons), Scott Bradley Simmons (Charlotte Simmons), Sandra Kay Papka (John Papka); 10 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in passing by his parents and his wife.

A visitation will be held at Bevis Funeral Home on Thursday, September 14, 2023 from 1:00- 2:00 pm. He will be privately interred at Roselawn Cemetery in Tallahassee, Florida.

Breanna Green of Bevis Funeral Home (850-385-2193 or www.bevisfh.com) is assisting the family with their arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Cemetery

815 West Piedmont Drive
Tallahassee, FL 32308

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 14. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory
200 John Knox Rd
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 385-2193

Tribute Wall

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“ *Nomarys Castaneda lit a candle in memory of George Heyward Simmons, Jr.*



Nomarys Castaneda - September 12, 2023 at 09:07 AM

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“ *My second Dad, big George! I grew up from punk kid to college kid needing summer money. I needed the Koon's Ford executive sales manager to cover for me when I revved up a new mustang on wash rack, broke rear axle;(He and Nancy were bedrock elements of my life, my parents loved them sooo much. My sympathy to the clan, I will always have his memories near in my heart. He will be missed, and Gator fans can rest easier now;)*

Pat Morgan - September 11, 2023 at 04:21 PM