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Charles Leroy Simms Jr, 66, of Frederick, MD, was called home on January 16, 2024. Charles, affectionately known as “Chuckie” or “Luckie,” was born on April 8, 1957, to Elsie Simms and the late Leroy Simms. He was joined in Holy Matrimony to his “Boo,” Janice Simms.

Chuckie graduated from Walkersville High School in 1975, where he was named “Most Athletic” by his senior class. He was known for his basketball talent, as well as his wristbands and high socks. He enjoyed watching his favorite westerns at home, ensuring his car was always spotless, and he loved to travel. He was employed by Tamko Roofing Company for 17 years when he fell ill.

Chuckie was a New Dimension Worship Center member in Walkersville under the leadership of the late Pastor Alexander Hardy and First Lady Barbara Hardy.

Chuckie leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Janice Simms; his mother, Elsie Simms of Walkersville, MD; his children; daughter Lotoya Gee (Larry) of Frederick, MD; sons Charles Simms (Mandy) of Walkersville, MD and Michael Morris (Shanay) of Hagerstown, MD; Stepchildren, Erica Naylor (Chris), Monique, and Larry Pryor all of Texas. Siblings Corey Simms (Renee) of Florida and Bernard Simms (Alda) of Frederick, MD. Special aunt Pamela Mallory of Hagerstown, MD. 20 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, a host of nieces and nephews, his special granddaughters Eva and Camya, great-granddaughter Madison, and godson Ricky.

He was preceded in death by his father, Leroy Simms; brother, Tyrone (Snake) Morrison; sister, Althea (Penny) Guliford, Grandparents Hank & Maude Morrison and John & Gertrude Simms.

Celebration services will be held on Tuesday, January 23, 2024, at Resthaven Funeral Home in Frederick, MD. The viewing will begin at 2:00 PM. The service will begin at 3:00 PM, followed by a celebration of life reception in the Monocacy Lounge at Resthaven.

A private burial will be held on Wednesday, January 24, 2024, at Resthaven Memorial Gardens.



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The family would like to express their gratitude to Frederick Hospice Care, Lauren and Erica for their unwavering care and support.



Events


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Visitation

 **Tuesday**, January 23, 2024


 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM ET


 **Resthaven Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.**
9501-B Catoctin Mountain Highway, Frederick MD
21701



Funeral Service

 **Tuesday**, January 23, 2024

 3:00 PM ET


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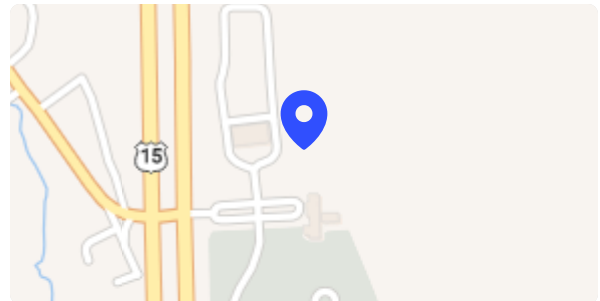


Reception

 **Tuesday**, January 23, 2024

 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM ET

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Tribute Wall

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Resthaven Memorial Gardens shared a **Webcast Video**.



January 23 at 10:53 AM



Kimberly Gibson posted:

My condolences to Janice and the Simms family. My fondest memory of Chuckie was when he danced. He had that dance that Martin did on the TV show, it was hilarious. He always had the ability to make me laugh. He could make anything funny. I will always remember him. Rest in peace!Kim Gibson

January 31 at 9:11 PM



Dave Rohrer posted:

My deepest sympathies to the family of Charles. Chuck and I graduated the same year from WHS. I remember him to be a good man. Anytime one saw Chuck, at any time, knew he always had a smile on his face and a great sense of humor. I recall when he made the basketball team and I truly believe he added excitement to the game and gave his fellow students something good to cheer about. Like many, we all grew up and our school life was behind us, but the name of Chuck Simms lived on. He was a young man who left a lasting impression on those who knew him best. I know his family and friends will miss this gentleman but will always have those special memories of the times shared and they will carry that with them for the rest of their own lives. I wish these folks God's speed as they move forward. Thank you, Chuck, for the memories.

January 25 at 8:50 AM



Lorraine Moten lit a candle in honor of Charles.



January 23 at 2:38 PM

LM Lorraine Moten January 23 at 2:45 PM

Beautiful celebration of life. All I could think of today is how you always called me cuz, gave me a hug and then that smile. We sure did share a ton of laughter and Snake would make it worse. Im so glad I have cherished memories of you. RIP dear Chuckie RIP. ❤️



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Phyllis Weedon lit a candle in honor of Charles.

To Mrs Elsie, Toy and family, you have my deepest sympathy. Phyllis Weedon

January 23 at 12:13 PM



Nina Peeks posted:

Condolences to the Simms family. I will cherish the memories we had growing up in Mount Pleasant together. Rest In Paradise Chuckie. 😊

January 23 at 11:02 AM



Joan Thomas posted:

To the family: I have very fond memories of growing up in Mt. Pleasant with Chuckie, "Snake" and Penny. Rest in heavenly peace my friend. Joan Dailey

January 23 at 9:23 AM



Ronnie & Jay Beard (Waverly Crew) lit a candle in honor of Charles.

To family of Charles Simms, He was a man that the blind taught him to see and the deaf to hear for his words and memories will live on. For this is not goodbye only goodnight until you meet him again.

January 23 at 8:55 AM



John Chaney lit a candle in honor of Charles.

Chuckie was a real good person and I had the utmost respect for the man he became! Much Love & Respect 🙏🙏🙏❤️

January 23 at 3:04 AM





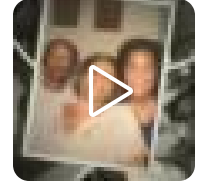
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Resthaven Memorial Gardens shared an album called **Charles Simms Tribute Video.**



January 22 at 5:01 PM



John Chaney January 23 at 3:09 AM

Nice



Kimothy J Holland posted:

My brother God given you a moment of peace. Heavenly Angels 😊 lifted you away from the darkness of this world 🌍. And the great family reunion will take place when God sends his son back to bring us home . I love you bro we'll meet again with new bodies and renew spirit 🙏 until Heaven lifts us up rest in the midst of God's children... kimothy Holland

January 22 at 12:03 PM



Kimberly Fredericks lit a candle in honor of Charles.

My heartfelt condolences and prayers to Ms. Elsie, Janice Simms and Toya GeeMay God's Grace and Mercy comfort you during this difficult time

January 22 at 9:35 AM



Bob Onley lit a candle in honor of Charles.

He will be with you in spirit now, Toy. ----but you will meet up again someday.We love you and we're so sorry . Our sincere condolences to all of the family.Aunt Joy and Uncle Bob

January 21 at 4:35 PM



Larry Smith lit a candle in honor of Charles.

"Rest in Peace"

January 21 at 10:47 AM





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Karen Bowie lit a candle in honor of Charles.



January 21 at 9:19 AM



Dwight Brown shared a photo to the **Tribute Photos** album.



January 21 at 7:33 AM



Dwight Brown January 21 at 7:38 AM

Dear Bernie, Corey and Family, I hope this letter finds you in the peace of solace during this incredibly difficult time. It is with deep sorrow and a heavy heart that I extend my heartfelt condolences to you and your family on the passing of your brother Chuckie. It was a pleasure getting to know Chuckie (another member of your wonderful family) during my time at TAMKO. As you know, he was very dedicated, always happy to talk to you and always a great person to be around. I want you to know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this challenging period. Grieving is a personal journey, and each person copes in their own way. Please remember that you are not alone; your friends and family are here to offer support, love, and understanding. May your brother rest in eternal peace, and may you find strength and resilience in the loving memories you shared. As you navigate this challenging journey of grief, may the support of friends and family serve as a source of comfort. With deepest sympathy and unwavering support, Dwight Brown



Karen Hall lit a candle in honor of Charles.

Praying God's peace and strength for my nieces and all of Charles family and friends.



January 20 at 3:10 PM



Patricia Mitchell lit a candle in honor of Charles.



January 20 at 2:19 PM



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Charles & Dolores Whims lit a candle in honor of Charles.

January 20 at 12:34 PM



Anonymous sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Simms family.

January 20 at 9:55 AM



Michelle Mcclary lit a candle in honor of Charles.

January 20 at 7:38 AM



Doris Disney lit a candle in honor of Charles.

January 20 at 4:56 AM



Diane Mahammitt lit a candle in honor of Charles.

Rest in God's peace

January 19 at 12:22 PM





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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Charles by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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