

Provided by Leon Randolph Funeral Home

Argentina Simmons Freeman

October 13, 1953 ~ January 14, 2021 (age 67)



Services

VISITATION

Friday

January 22, 2021

4:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Leon Randolph Funeral Home

Washington, NC

CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Saturday

January 23, 2021

1:00 PM

The Wilkinson Center

Belhaven, NC

THE OBITUARY

Argentina Simmons Freeman, affectionately known as Teen, was born on October 13, 1953 in Washington, North Carolina to the late Samuel Simmons, Sr. and Katie Rodgers Simmons. God called Teen home on the night of January 14, 2021 while at her home in Belhaven, North Carolina.

Teen was educated in the Beaufort County School System and held various positions after her graduation. On April 18, 1975, she married the love of her life, David Freeman, Jr., with whom she shared nearly 44 years of love. He preceded her in death less than two years ago. Out of this union, they raised five children: Maurice, Melvin, Marcia, David, and Jeryl.

Teen was a woman of great strength who walked with Christ and confessed Him as her Lord and Savior, which provided her with a secure foundation. She was a loyal and devoted member of St. James Church of Christ Disciples of Christ in Belhaven, NC for many years. She faithfully served as a member of the choir and kitchen committee, which matched her love and passion for cooking.

Teen was known for her delicious meals; her desserts and cheese biscuits were loved by all. She never hesitated to feed anyone and would do so with a great deal of love and pleasure.

Teen was a special type of woman who touched the hearts and minds of countless individuals with her wisdom, kindness, and love. She was a respected member of her community, where she served as a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Teen leaves to cherish her memory five children: Apostle Maurice Simmons (Eugenie) of Hampton, VA; Melvin Simmons (Fabianne) of Durham, NC; Marcia Freeman Peartree (Marcus) of Timberlake, NC; David Freeman, III (Kimberly) of Durham, NC; and Jeryl Freeman (Toya) of Belhaven, NC; 12 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren; four brothers: Deacon William Simmons, Sr. (Carolyn) of Washington, NC; Rev. Carl Simmons (Georgia) of Fayetteville, NC; Pastor Kenneth Simmons (Deborah) of Edward, NC; and Everson Simmons (Lawanda) of Willow Springs, NC; one sister: Marthelia Simmons of Chocowinity, NC; two aunts: Mittie Gore of Hamilton, NC and Evelyn Young of Williamston, NC; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and friends. In addition to her parents and husband, Teen was preceded in death by seven brothers: Phillip Rodgers, Frank, Leon, John Wesley, Milton, Samuel Jr., and Charles Simmons; and three sisters: Betty Lou Guilford, Linda Murphy, and Minister Katie "Pep" Jackson.

Guest Book