



Carmen Simons

July 27, 1930 - July 18, 2019

Carmen Simons, 88, Auburn, Kansas (formerly of Topeka) passed away Thursday, July 18, 2019.

Carmen was born July 27, 1930, in Topeka to Joseph and Anastasia Reynoso. On January 25, 1951, she and Cletus Simons were united in marriage, settling in Topeka in 1957 and were members of Mater Dei Holy Name Church.

Carmen's family and her faith meant everything to her. She was a loving wife and mother, and a wonderful homemaker. She was dearly loved and will be greatly missed.

Grateful to have shared her life are her children, Gary Simons, Joseph Simons (Jan), Pat Simons (Sharon), Carol Main (Frank) and Tim Simons (Beth); 10 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren; her brother, Richard Reynoso; and sister, Mary McNeal; and many nieces and nephews. Carmen was preceded in death by her dear husband, Clete, on December 18, 2016, and her brothers, John, Joseph, Ralph and Raymond Reynoso.

A service celebrating Carmen's life will be Wednesday, July 24, at 10 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Inurnment will follow at Mount Calvary

Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Parkinson's Disease Foundation or Alzheimer's Association, sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

801 SW Westchester Rd
Topeka, KS 66606

Previous Events

A Celebration of Life

JUL 24. 10:00 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
312 NE Freeman Ave
Topeka, KS 66616

Tribute Wall



“ *Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Carmen Simons*



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - July 23, 2019 at 06:27 PM

TF

I would like to send me condolences to the simons family the the loss of such a great family member I know she will be greatly missed Rest In Peace May god bless

tim oconnor family - July 23, 2019 at 10:24 PM

SF

*Dear Tim and family,
I just heard today of your Mom's passing. As I watched the video in memory of your Mom, I see where the beautiful brown eyes came from in the family. I pray that the comfort of the Holy Spirit surround all the family at this sad time. May the wonderful memories and the knowledge of eternal life where there will be no tears nor pain bring you peace. I will keep all in my prayers. ~Sherry Volz Fergel*

Sherry Fergel - July 30, 2019 at 08:16 PM



“ *Carmen Simons*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM

KA

“ Tim and Carol I'm so sorry to hear about your mom's passing. I just found out or I would have been there. She was a very caring and loving woman. I know she will be greatly missed. Love , Kathy reed

Kathy Anderson - September 18, 2019 at 12:42 PM

GL

“ Tim and family...I am so sorry to hear about your mom. We used to go see her after school at Holy Name and she was so sweet to us. Please know I am thinking about you and praying for your family at this time. Much love, Germaine Rundell Leuszler

Germaine Leuszler - July 28, 2019 at 01:22 AM

JB

“ Carol and Tim and Rest of the Simons Family,
My Deepest Sympathy is with all of you during this time of sorrow.
My prayers are with all of you! Bless you all and remember to keep memories alive of her for generations to come. God Bless!

Judy and Jim (Foster) Barnes
Memphis, TN

Judy Barnes - July 24, 2019 at 04:35 PM

RH

“ Gary, Joe, Pat, Carol, Tim & Family,
Sorry to hear of Carmen's Passing. She is reunited with Clete and hopefully lookin out for all of us.
Roger and Marie Howard

Roger Howard - July 23, 2019 at 11:23 PM

DE

“ Prayers and thoughts for the Simon family! Sorry unable to attend the funeral. The Mike O'Connor Family 🙏

diane Eakes - July 23, 2019 at 09:57 PM

EF

“ Edward Jones Region 36 Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Carmen Simons.



Edward Jones Region 36 Family - July 23, 2019 at 01:46 PM

JS

“ Gary, Joe, Pat, Carol & Tim (and family)

Please accept our sincere sympathy for your loss. We trust Carmen and Clete are hand in hand and smiling down on you all.

Jim, Ruth and Nate Seal

Jim Seal - July 23, 2019 at 11:24 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Carmen Simons.



July 22, 2019 at 11:06 AM

VH

“ Sorry to hear of your mother's passing. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Vickie (Jones) Hasenkamp

Vickie Hasenkamp - July 21, 2019 at 10:48 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Carmen Simons.



July 21, 2019 at 09:33 PM

MM

“ Melba McNamara lit a candle in memory of Carmen Simons



Melba McNamara - July 20, 2019 at 02:39 PM

LM

“ Love Dick & Melba purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Carmen Simons.



Love Dick & Melba - July 20, 2019 at 02:14 PM

PS

“ Oh, how I adored our phone conversations . You Are an amazing woman and have created a wonderful family. I have so much respect for you. I know you will be missed dearly. Thank you for being such a inspiration to me. I know your journey into Heaven is complete. You entered the kingdom of God the day after my mother “Geri Vanover .” You are lying together right now . Your services are the same day . How ironic. Two great women in the same place at the same time . Very special to me. We will see you all again . I look forward to many more conversations. Peace Carmen 🙏 Jesus Christ , Son of God please have mercy on her soul.

Pamela Schmidt - July 20, 2019 at 12:05 PM



I am sorry to hear of your Mothers passing. Our Mothers were friends for many years and Carmen was always so kind and caring. God bless you all with comfort and lasting memories. Dayla Bagley

Dayla Bagley - July 21, 2019 at 11:35 AM

RH

“ So sorry thoughts and prayers for the Simon family.

Rick Heere

Rick Heere - July 20, 2019 at 09:02 AM