



Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson

July 22, 1949 - December 26, 2025

Shirley was born July 22, 1949 in Natchez, the daughter of Concerrilla and John Scott, Sr. She attended Natchez Public Schools and furthered her education at Alcorn State University and Delta State University. She was an educator at Natchez Public Schools for many years. In her spare time, she enjoyed sewing, decorating, traveling, shopping, and spending time with her family.

She is preceded in death by her parents; sister, Evelyn D. Scott Sims; and brother, John A. Scott, Jr.

Shirley leaves to cherish her memories: sons, Van T. Scott and Micheal Simpson; brothers, Paul Scott and Raymond Paige; sisters, Marcella Brown, Willye B. Scott Robinson, Adell Dennis, Doris Jones, and Joyce Scott; grandchildren, Van'trice Scott, Van'Nesia Scott, ZaKiya Coach, Miracle Simpson, MyKayla Simpson, Talia Simpson, Micheal Simpson, Jr., Maddie Simpson, Aubree Simpson, Morgan Simpson, and Amyah Simpson; and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Sunset View Memorial Park Cemetery

1617 Martin Luther King Jr Road
Natchez, MS 39120

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 3. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Melrose Church of Christ
122 Melrose Avenue
Natchez, MS 39120

Funeral

JAN 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

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122 Melrose Avenue
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Burial

JAN 3 (CT)

Sunset View Memorial Park Cemetery
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Tribute Wall

PR

“ *Pallice Redden lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson*



Pallice Redden - January 09 at 05:52 PM

NJ

“ *Rest in Peace Shirley. My sympathy to the family*
Nancy Johnson
Byram, ms



Nancy Johnson - January 09 at 09:03 AM

MM

“ *I was Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson's principal when she taught at Wilkinson County Elementary School, in Woodville, Mississippi*

Mrs. Simpson was a very good and well-organized teacher.

I pray that God will give her family peace and strength during this most difficult time.

Mildred E. McGhee

Mildred E. McGhee - January 02 at 04:28 PM

LF

“ Lorraine F. Franklin sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson



Lorraine F. Franklin - January 02 at 08:33 AM

BE

“ Barbara Evans lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson



Barbara Evans - January 01 at 11:56 PM

AJ

“ Heartfelt condolences to the family. May they find comfort and peace in their shared memories.



Alma Johnson - January 01 at 08:55 PM

LF

Sorry for your loss 🙏🙏🙏

Linda Ferguson - January 02 at 11:23 AM

LF

My Condolences to the family 🙏🙏 She was one of my Daughters elementary teachers ❤️

Linda Ferguson - January 02 at 11:24 AM

BA

“ *Bonnie Rand-Andrews Allen lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson*



Bonnie Rand-Andrews Allen - January 01 at 10:55 AM

MR

“ *Maxine Railey sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson*



Maxine Railey - January 01 at 01:45 AM

CJ

“ *Carsetha Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson*



Carsetha Johnson - December 30, 2025 at 07:52 PM



“ *Jennifer Minor-Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson*



Jennifer Minor-Johnson - December 30, 2025 at 05:32 PM

JD

“ *Jessie Dorsey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson*



Jessie Dorsey - December 30, 2025 at 03:54 PM

JP

“ *Jackie Posey sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson*



Jackie Posey - December 30, 2025 at 12:03 PM

YB

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Ms. Shirley Simpson*



Yvonne Blanton Bell - December 29, 2025 at 06:02 PM

DM

“ *Deepest Sympathy to the family.*



Deedra Madison - December 28, 2025 at 01:41 PM

DM

“ Dorothy Matthews lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson



Dorothy Matthews - December 28, 2025 at 12:23 PM

LM

“ Lyvonne McDougle sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson



Lyvonne McDougle - December 27, 2025 at 11:10 PM

GG

“ Georgia Green lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson



Georgia Green - December 27, 2025 at 09:42 PM

BW

“ Barbara Winston lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson



Barbara Winston - December 27, 2025 at 08:01 PM

DC

“ *Condolences to the family..*



Diane Carter - December 27, 2025 at 02:24 PM

BE

“ *Barbara Evans lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson*



Barbara Evans - December 27, 2025 at 11:20 AM

WH

“ *The West Gate Family extends our Heartfelt Sympathy to the Family of Shirley Simpson.*

May Loving memories ease your loss and bring you comfort.

West Gate Funeral Home - December 27, 2025 at 11:13 AM

WH

“ *West Gate Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Shirley Scott Simpson*



West Gate Funeral Home - December 27, 2025 at 09:44 AM



Rest in peace Mrs. Simpson. I was her Superintendent when she taught in Wilkinson County.

Charles E. Johnson - January 05 at 12:16 AM