



Ray Simmons

September 13, 1942 - June 20, 2025

Ray Simmons, 82, of Texico, passed away Friday, June 20, 2025, at his home. He was born September 13, 1942, in Kell, Illinois, the son of George and Alice (Warner) Simmons. On November 8, 1963, in Salem, Illinois, he married Janice Glee Hawkins, and she preceded him in death on December 21, 2021. He is survived by children, J.R. Simmons and wife Darla of Xenia, Illinois, Clay Simmons and wife Sandy of Shorewood, Illinois, and Gala Smith and husband Shaun of Texico; grandchildren, Laken Robbins, Jessica Chen, Maria Schippel, Felisha Ashlock, and Alicia Williams; great-grandchildren, Hunter Gambill, Colton Gambill, Maggie May Schippel, Adrian Mora, and Ariella Knowls; and brother, Jack Simmons.

In addition to his wife, Janice Simmons, he was preceded in death by his parents, George and Alice Simmons; and sisters, Pat and June Simmons.

Graveside funeral services for Mr. Simmons will be held at 11:00 a.m.

Wednesday, June 25, 2025, at Union Chapel Cemetery. Memorial gifts may be made to the Union Chapel Cemetery, and will be accepted at the service, or by mail to the Osborn Funeral Home, P.O. Box 130, Dix, Illinois 62830.

Online condolences may be made at www.osbornfuneral.com, or on the Osborn Funeral Home Facebook page.

Cemetery Details

UNION CHAPEL CEMETERY

21018 N. TOLLE LN
TEXICO, IL 62889
(618) 755-9763

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JUN **25**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Wayne n Vickie and all of us. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ray Simmons.



Wayne n Vickie and all of us. - June 23, 2025 at 09:27 AM

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“ Wayne n Vickie and all of us. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ray Simmons.

Wayne n Vickie and all of us. - June 23, 2025 at 09:27 AM

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“ Anita Lake lit a candle in memory of Ray Simmons



Anita Lake - June 22, 2025 at 09:56 PM