



MS. EDNA EARL ALFORD SIMPSON

August 1, 1945 - March 30, 2026

Funeral service for Ms. Edna Earl Alford Simpson will be held at 2 PM Thursday, April 2, 2026, at John E. Stephens Chapel with Rev. Kiah Hitt and Rev. John Stephens officiating. Interment will be in Sandtown Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 12-2 PM Thursday, April 2, 2026, at John E. Stephens Chapel.

Ms. Simpson, 80, passed away on Monday, March 30, 2026, at her home. She was a member of Trinity Baptist Church in Pearl. Her hobbies included fishing, hunting, taking her grandkids to the park and working on word find puzzles.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Bobby Simpson, Sr.; parents, James Earl and Maggie Lavern Cannon Alford; sisters, Chelsea T. Kilgore and 2 infants; brothers, Charles, Robert, Franklin, Wayne Alford.

Survivors include daughter, Maggie Nell Simpson Clark (Randy) of Florence; son, Bobby G. Simpson, Jr. (Tara) of Pearl; sisters, Clara Sullivan (John) of Philadelphia, Thressa Martin of Pearl, Patsy Brown (Terry) of Georgia; brother, James Ladale Alford (Gail) of Philadelphia; (11) grandchildren, (9) great-grandchildren, host of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers are Jeremy Alford, Corey Simpson, Samuel Simpson, Michael

Smith, Eli Simpson, Nathan Simpson.

Cemetery Details

Sandtown Cemetery

Hwy 482
Philadelphia, MS

Previous Events

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Tribute Wall

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“ I was really surprised that Ms. Edna had passed away. I first met her when she worked at the small military store at Thompson Airfield in Jackson. She and I had several conversations when I would stop by there, that's when I found out she knew my husband. She was a feisty and yet a sweet lady at that time. I just loved her to death. I wanted to come to see her off but, I wasn't feeling very well. Thinking and praying for her family. Heaven received another wonderful angel.

Susan Shoffner - April 04 at 11:16 AM