

**Obituaries**

**Loretta Simmons**



sister aunt, cousin, and friend; she is and will be truly missed by all.

Loretta Simmons was born in Cleveland, Texas March 31, 1947 where she grew up and later moved to Houston. She met and married John Simmons and they made Reklaw their home. She was employed at Rusk State Hospital for many years. Eventually they lived in Houston for awhile but Reklaw remained their home where she was overcome by the loss that ended her earthly life. She passed away April 8, 2015 in Jacksonville, Texas.

Loretta Cook Simmons was preceded in death by her mother Grace Scott, father John Cook and sister Dorothy King. At the loss of her parents, she asked her in-laws R. L. and Elmira Simmons to be her parents and they preceded her in death along with brother-in-law Onzie Simmons.

Loretta is survived by her loving husband John Simmons whom she married June 31, 1972, their three children whom she adored Demetric Scott (Felicia) and their 7 children Brandon, Jasmine, Jayland, Patrick, Chris, Jasmine, and

Turquoise; Roosevelt Miles Jr. (Penny) and their 6 children Quinton, Tamarcus, Ashley, Corey, Chris and Cody. Terry Miles (Teresa) and their 7 children Lashonda, Derrion, Lamecia, Laquisha, Timberly, Shala, and TJ. 12 great-grandchildren, aunt Maize Watson, 11 brothers-in-law and 12 sisters-in-law: Bobby Simmons, Robert & Rhonda Simmons, James and Joyce Simmons, Zen and Regina Simmons, Sylvia Simmons, Tim and Marcie Simmons, Rickey and Ethel Simmons, Kathy and Larry Lewis, Stephone and Gabrielle Simmons, Faye and Lester Gray, Ondra Simmons, Normel and Rueben Chatman, and Mickey and Micheala Simmons. The Poole's and many many more family members and friends.

Services will be under the direction of Williams Funeral Home and officiated by Brother Sam Ford.

**Robert A. O. Fadojutimi, Ph.D.**



LONGVIEW- Robert A. O. Fadojutimi, Ph.D., went home to be with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ Monday, May 4, 2015. He was born May 22, 1951, in Ondo, Nigeria, to Gabriel and Dorcas Fadojutimi. He attended Methodist Boys Grammar School in Lagos, Nigeria. After high school, he served in the Nigerian Navy and was trained as a radio engineer. He attended school in India under the auspices of the Nigerian Navy.

After his military service, he worked for the Nigerian Radio Corporation. He then came to Florida Institute of Technology (FIT). While at FIT, he worked for Harris Corporation. He moved from Florida to work for Vertex Communications (now General Dynamics), in Kilgore, Texas.

He graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering and a masters degree in Business

University in Longview, Texas. He earned his Doctor of Philosophy in Management degree from Walden University.

Robert founded East Texas Review newspaper, the home of infinityplus magazine and KIDS PRESS. He was an engineer and international businessman for most of his career. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Left to cherish the memory of his earthly life and looking forward to being re-united with him in eternity are his loving wife, Joycelyne; daughter, Rhoda; son, Olu; grandson, Oghenekome; and his sisters, brothers, aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces, and in-laws in Nigeria, Texas, California and Minnesota.

Viewing of the body will be noon-7 p.m. Friday, May 15, 2015, at Stanmore Funeral Home, 1105 Martin Luther King Boulevard, Longview, Texas. The celebration of Roberts life will be 11:30 a.m. Saturday, May 16, 2015, at Bethel Temple, 1400 South Mobberly Avenue, Longview, Texas. Robert lived a wonderful and caring life. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather and friend. His faith in God was strong and is a comfort to those he leaves behind

**Marilyn Bradley Harris**



Marilyn Bradley Harris was born to the late Mr. Louis Bradley and Mrs. Daisy Williams Hogg August 14, 1935 and passed away on May 4, 2015. She was preceded in death by her parents; brother William Lewis and one sister Glenda Bradley Freeney. She was raised in Rusk and was a member of the George W. Bradford class of 1954-55. She united with Mt. Olive Baptist Church at an early age. Marilyn moved to Dallas and united

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