

Pallbearers  
Family and Friends

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On The Wings of Prayer

Just close your eyes and open your heart  
And feel our worries and care depart,  
Just yield yourself to the Father above  
And let Him hold you secure in His love...  
For life on earth grows more involved  
With endless problems that can't be solved-  
But God only asks us to do our best,  
Then He will "take over" and finish the rest...  
So when you are tired, discouraged, and blue,  
There's always one door that is open to you-  
And that is the door to "The House of Prayer"  
And you'll find God waiting to meet you there...

Acknowledgement

We, the family of the late Frank Christopher Sims, would like to thank each of you for your many acts of kindness and love shown to us, during the passing of our loved one. We pray that the Lord blesses each of you in a very special way.

**Services Entrusted To:**

Taylor Street Chapel  
1831 Taylor Street  
Columbia, SC 29201  
(803)771-7799

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-Owner & Director-

**Leevy's**

FUNERAL HOME

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9120 Garners Ferry Road  
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*A Service of Victory*  
*Celebrating the Life*  
*of*  
*Mr. Frank Christopher Sims*



*Wednesday, November 9, 2022*  
*11:00 a.m.*

*Leevy's Funeral Home Chapel*  
*1831 Taylor Street*  
*Columbia, South Carolina*

*Reverend Dr. Blakely N. Scott*  
*- Officiating -*

## Obituary

Mr. Frank Christopher Sims was born on December 7, 1951, in Columbia, South Carolina. He was the second child of Doctor David and Hattie J. Sims, of Gadsden, South Carolina. He departed his life on Wednesday, November 2, 2022.

Frank was educated in the public schools of Richland County, South Carolina. He graduated from Hopkins High School, class of 1969. He graduated from Benedict College in 1973. After his formal education, he became employed with Blue Cross Blue Shield of South Carolina. He continued his work with his father on the farm, because he enjoyed farming, along with working in the other small family businesses.

Frank became mentally disable in his late twenties. He resided at the family home until 2012. It was then he was enrolled into an assisted living facility. It was after medical complications that he was moved to Magnolia Manor, now known as Midland Health and Rehabilitation Center.

At an early age, he was baptized at the St. Mark Baptist Church, Gadsden South Carolina.

Frank was preceded in death by his parents, Doctor David Sims and Hattie J. Sims.

Frank leaves to mourn his passing: his siblings, Doctor M. Sims (Evelyn), of Gadsden, SC Herbert W. Sims (Sandra), of Blythewood, SC, Margaret V. Sims, William E. Sims, and Hattie C. Sims, all of Gadsden, SC; brothers, Larry Brown (Helen), of Gadsden, SC Anthony Brown (Jacquiline), of Hopkins, SC, Natanael Brown, of Charleston, SC and Willis Brown, of Eastover, SC; nephews Jeremy D. Sims, Matthew D. Sims, of the home; niece, Kristen S. Sims; one aunt, Ester Ruth Sims; other family members and friends.

## Order of Service

Prelude.....	Dr. Justine Morrall <i>The Life Church, Charleston, SC</i>
Processional	
Viewing.....	Funeral Directors
Opening Hymn.....	Dr. Justine Morrall “What A Friend We Have In Jesus”
Old Testament.....	Dr. David Burrell <i>The Life Church, Charleston, SC</i>
New Testament.....	Reverend Bobby Gordon <i>Orange Grove United Methodist Church, Bamberg, SC</i>
Prayer.....	Dr. Thomas J. Bowman, Sr. <i>Retired Elder, United Methodist Church</i>
Musical Selection.....	Dr. Marshalita Sims, <i>Cousin</i> Evangelist Kimolet Mitchell, <i>Cousin</i>
Reflections.....	Mr. Hayward Bannister, <i>Friend</i> Ms. Alexis Harley, <i>Midland Health Rehabilitation Center</i> Mr. Herbert Sims, <i>Brother</i>
Musical Selection.....	Evangelist Kimolet Mitchell, <i>Cousin</i> Dr. Marshalita Sims, <i>Cousin</i>
Words of Comfort.....	Reverend Dr. Blakely N. Scott <i>Pastor, First Nazareth Baptist Church</i>

Recessional

Postlude



## Committal, Benediction, and Interment

**St. Mark Baptist Church**  
1456 St. Marks Road  
Gadsden, South Carolina

**Repast: 167 Pleasant View Road Blythewood, South Carolina**