



## I.F. Sims

January 23, 1928 - September 2, 2003

Funeral services for Mr. I.F. "Buddy" Sims Age 75 of Lindale are scheduled for 2:00 P.M. Thursday in the chapel of Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home in Lindale. Bro. Homer Harris Bro. Johnny Anders will officiate and burial will follow in the Lindale City Cemetery under the direction of Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home in Lindale. Mr. Sims died Tuesday morning in a Tyler Hospice Center. He was born January 23, 1928 in Goodwill, Oklahoma and was the son of Ivy Franklin Sims, Sr. and Ocie Zona Gribble Sims. Mr. Sims was formerly of Lufkin before moving to Tyler in 1968 and worked a number of years for J.W. Frazier Automotive and later retired from Dick Reeves Tire Company in 1993. He was a veteran serving in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was a member of the VFW Post #1836 in Lufkin and a member of the Lakeside Church of Christ in South Tyler.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a son Kenneth Wayne Sims in 1998 and by 4 sisters. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Gladys Self Sims of Lindale; 2 daughters and sons-in-law, Kathleen & Dwight Parrish of Lindale and Dianne Sims of Tyler; a sister, Frankie Jo Gibbs of Lindale; 2 grandsons, Lance and Chad Adams both of Tyler; 3 great-grandchildren; the mother of his daughters, Lucille Sills of Tyler and a special niece Sherry Hodnett of Coahoma and numerous nieces and nephews. Pallbearers will be Lance & Chad Adams, Tommy Griffin, Tim Carroll, James Fench, and Dennis Noble. Honorary Pallbearers will be Dick Reeves, Wilson Edwards, Ed Turman, Don

Lewis, Dr. Randy Randall, and Dr. Jason Zagrotsky. The family will receive friends at the funeral home in Lindale Wednesday evening from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. Memorials may be made to Hospice of East Texas Homeplace in Tyler.

# Tribute Wall



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