



## A.L. Simmons

September 18, 1935 - August 18, 2004

A.L. Simmons went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, August 18, 2004 at the age of 68. He was born on September 26, 1935 in Panhandle, TX to Arthur and Lena Simmons. A.L. was a 1954 graduate of Brackenridge High School in San Antonio. He went on to attend Texas A&M University on a football scholarship where he played for Coach Paul Bryant. He graduated from A&M in 1958 with a degree in business. A.L. served his country as a member of the U.S Army where he was a tank commander in Korea. He was an entrepreneur and a Vice President of Pump Movers, Inc in San Antonio, TX. He was a devoted follower of Gods teachings and served his church as a Life Deacon and active member of Trinity Baptist Church. He is preceded in death by his grandson, Scott J. Wenzel. A.L. is survived by his wife of 12 years Billicarole Simmons; sons, Austin Layne Simmons and wife, Elizabeth, Trey Del Simmons and wife, Stephanie, Arthur Todd Simmons and wife, Anjie; step-sons, Barret Evans and Warren Evans; step-daughter, Sandy Burleson; sisters, Joy Potts, Arthurene Corne, Linda Holland; brother, Wayland Simmons; grandchildren, Morgan, Austin, Kendel, Katelyn, Trinity, John David, Laura, Garrett, Evan, Bear, Billicarole, and Selah. He will be deeply missed by all of his family and friends. He will always be remembered as a kind and gentle person along with his friendly smile and his caring concern for others. Memorial contributions may be made to the Scott J. Wenzel Memorial Scholarship Fund c/o Fellowship of San Antonio, 10500 Heritage #285, San

Antonio, TX 78216.

### Services

Memorial services will be held at 10:00 AM on Saturday, August 21, 2004, at Trinity Baptist Church 319 E. Mulberry.

# Tribute Wall

DR

“ To Wayland and the Girls. From our  
"Community Mission Church Days"

*Brothers and Sisters*

*They are really such mixed blessing. They are all at once  
irritating and loveable. They are unreliable but very often  
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**Don Rancher** - August 26, 2004 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ To all those who loved A.L.-I knew him when we were both children  
living on Culebra Rd. His family was very special to mine. I have  
fond memories of his parents and the time I spent in their home with  
Joy Dean and Authurine. His parents had a great influe

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**Jeanelle Holland Worrell** - August 23, 2004 at 12:00 AM

CE

“ Dear Billicarole,

*David and I found out about A.L. Friday afternoon and needless to  
say were very sorry.*

*I am so glad we did get to visit with him at the Reunion. He was a  
very special person to both David and me. I always felt he was the  
glue tha*

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**Carol and David Edrington** - August 22, 2004 at 12:00 AM

NH

“ *Billiecarole;*  
*We have been out of town and returned Saturday evening only to hear of AL's death. We were so sorry to hear this, but our prayers and thoughts are with you at this time.*

*We will cherish the many memories of our high school years and al*

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**Nancy & Charles Hundley** - August 22, 2004 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *Billicarole and Family,*  
*Darleen and I were shocked and saddened to hear of AL's passing. I really enjoyed talking with him and you at the Brack reunion. I know that he will be missed, but you will see him again. We will be praying for God's Grace and Com*

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**John & Darleen Cook** - August 21, 2004 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ *Billicarole and Family,  
I was a classmate of A.L. at  
Poe Jr High and Brackenridge. I  
played football with him. It seemed  
he was all bone back then. I last  
saw him at the 40th reunion and missed him at the 50th. He was all  
heart and a great man*

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**Jim Roberts** - August 21, 2004 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ *You have Patty and my condolences. I am so happy he made our  
class of 1954 reunion. We will all Miss A. L., but will retain many,  
many great memories of our associations at Brackenridge and A&M*

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**Jack R. Grounds** - August 21, 2004 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ *I was so sorry to hear about A.L. He was a wonderful person. I want  
you to know that you have my deepest sympathy.*

*Sincerely, Ruth Burgess*

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**Ruth Burgess** - August 21, 2004 at 12:00 AM

J'

“ *Al.....you will be missed by all your '58 classmates at Texas A&M.  
See you at our next reunion in Heaven.*

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**John C. Mayfield, Jr. '58** - August 21, 2004 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ *A.L. Simmons*

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**Ray Hurst** - August 21, 2004 at 12:00 AM

R.

“ Although we went separate paths in life, A.L. and I were boyhood friends from Wickes Street in the King William area and later Brackenridge High. He was the second person that I met when I moved to SA. He said in a low voice "I'm A.L. Gisher at least it s

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**R.G.** - August 21, 2004 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Looking at a picture of A.L. and the Poe Jr High School basketball team 1950, we were friends since elementary school. My deepest sympathy to Billicarole and the family. Surely he will be missed but he now walks with the Lord. He was a wonderful friend

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**Clifford Staats** - August 20, 2004 at 12:00 AM