



Hester Lucille Simmons Cosby

December 22, 1929 - September 25, 2018

Hester Lucille Simmons Cosby, age 88, passed away peacefully on Monday, September 24, 2018 at the Heartland of Chillicothe Nursing Home after a short period of illness.

She was born on December 22, 1929 to the late Anderson and Ocie (Harris) Simmons in Beaver, Ohio. She was the youngest of eight children. Hester was a graduate of Waverly High School and a member of the United Community Baptist Church, Limerick Rd., Jackson County.

She is survived by her husband of 69 years, Douglas (Pete) Cosby; three sons: Roger (Martha) Cosby, Rusty (Maria) Cosby and Bo (Monalee) Cosby. She was blessed with 4 grandchildren: Robert (Katessa) Cosby; Jaclyn (Lance) Causey and Melanie (Cardell) Chambers; and Jalyn Cosby. She also leaves 6 great-grandchildren: Anitra, Alana & Brianna Causey; Kalis Cosby; Shai Chambers and Isaiah Cosby.

Hester was preceded in death by her parents, seven siblings and one grandchild.

A funeral service will be held at the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home on Saturday, September 29, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. with Pastor Jorge Anido officiating. Burial to follow at Fairmount Cemetery. Friends will be received at

the funeral home from 12:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. prior to the service.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home.

Condolences may be sent to: www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **29**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home
135 Broadway Street
Jackson, OH 45640
(740) 286-4161

Service

SEP **29**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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135 Broadway Street
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Burial

SEP **29** (ET)

Fairmount Cemetery
12 Fairmont St
Jackson, OH 45640
(740) 286-2090

Tribute Wall

WA

“ *May the Cosby Family and friends be given the faith and strength to get them though their lost. My prayers are with you.*
William Anderson and Family

William Anderson - September 29, 2018 at 03:04 PM

MF

“ *I always enjoyed my visits to Pete and Hesters home. We would talk of the old people whom I did not know. Hester told me stories of my mother and father that has helped me to know them better. She was a beautiful lady, both in looks and spirit. God will surely take good care of her. Debbie and I will be thinking of all her family and hoping they will accept our deepest regrets. Love to you all!*
Mary Freeman-Johnson and Debbie Johnson-Thomas (Harris)

Mary Freeman-Johnson - September 28, 2018 at 09:55 AM

CD

“ *CCI Mental Health Department purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Hester Lucille Simmons Cosby.*



CCI Mental Health Department - September 27, 2018 at 07:00 PM



“ *Deep in our hearts you'll always stay
Love and remember every day*



Julia Lowe - September 27, 2018 at 04:06 PM



“ *My condolences to all of you on the loss of your wife and mother.
She was a very warm
welcoming person who would always make sure I got plenty to eat
when I came to your
family gatherings. May god comfort each of you in your time of
sorrow on the loss of such a wonderful lady.*

Tony Netter

Tony Netter - September 27, 2018 at 12:01 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Hester Lucille Simmons Cosby.*



September 26, 2018 at 06:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Hester Lucille Simmons Cosby.*



September 26, 2018 at 01:34 PM



“ *With deepest sympathies to the family. My thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends. Hester was such a lovely lady. Always a kind word and smile. Trust in the Lord and He will see you through this. If there is anything I can do please let me know. Hester never met a stranger. She treated everyone the same. She had a good heart. I know she is with the Lord and will be smiling down on her family giving silent words of encouragement and love.*

Darlene Ford

Darlene Ford - September 26, 2018 at 08:21 AM



“ *My deepest sympathies to the family of Hess Cosby. My memories of Ms. Cosby are all very sweet and kind. She was so nice and was always with a smile on her face when I talked with her. She will surely be missed by family and friends. There's no doubt in my mind which route she will be traveling, on her journey from this earth.*

Julia Jordan - September 26, 2018 at 01:49 AM