



### *Pallbearers*

Clayton Lawrence, II  
Jabri Chandler  
Isaac Miles

Janari Glover  
Clayton Lawrence, III  
Adrien Starr

### *Honorary Pallbearers*

Albert Gordon  
Joseph Chandler, Jr.  
Lawrence Collins, Jr.

Alvin Chandler  
Donnell Riggs  
James Kofa, Jr.

### *Flower Bearers*

Felicia Lawrence  
Eugenia Lawrence  
Quatisha Moore

Natosha Moore  
LaTrice Lawrence  
Omariana Franklin

### *Honorary Flower Bearers*

Gloria Glover  
Patricia Laster

Sandra Riggs  
Lawanda Collins

Xiomata Riggs



### *Interment*

Hillcrest Memory Gardens  
12813 N.E. 50th Street  
Spencer, Oklahoma 73084

Please drive with your lights on for safety and fasten your seat belts.

### *Acknowledgement*

Thank you for all your acts of kindness and your expression of sympathy during the illness and homegoing of Linda Collins. May God bless each and everyone of you.

The Family

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# Obituary

Linda Sue Collins was born May 9, 1950 to Lawrence Collins and Virginia Mae Festerman Collins in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, she was the 5th child of 7 children, both parents preceded her in death.

She married John Riggs II and of this union 5 children were born, 3 children preceded her in death, John Riggs III, Julius Riggs, and Regina Riggs.

She later married James Kofa Sr., who came into her life during a dark time and gave her peace. He loved and accepted her and her children as his own. To this union one son was born.

She went back in time with a special friend Raymond Rucker who became one of the loves of her life, who tried to keep a smile on her face which hadn't been there for a long while, of this union one child was born. Raymond preceded her in death.

Linda accepted Christ at an early age and loved the Lord. She attended Oklahoma City Public Schools. She attended Metro Tech and received her license for health care. Linda has always been a caregiver and loved helping the elderly. She also worked for the Board of Education for a number of years and retired from there.

Linda was one of the sweetest, kindest people you could meet or know. So very soft spoken, anyone who knew knows she rarely raised her voice.

Linda leaves to cherish her memory, 2 sons, Donnell Riggs and James Kofa Jr.; two daughters Sandra Riggs and Lawanda Collins; 4 brothers, Albert Gordon, Joseph Chandler, Lawrence Collins; Frank Collins, Nathaniel Gordon and Major Collins who preceded her in death; 2 sisters, Gloria Glover and Patricia LeVeen; Daughter-in-Law Xiomara Riggs; 12 Grandchildren, 22 Great Grandchildren and 1 Great great grandchild. A host of relatives and friends.

## Special Honors and Thanks

A special thank you to Xiomara Riggs her daughter- in-law who took special care of her and gave her much love, we thank her for becoming a part of our family and having a compassionate heart. We all love you Xiomara!

A special thank you to Sheran Robinson our extended family and sister who has been there for her and gave her much love and cared for her. We give her our sincere thank you for being there for our sister and having a compassionate heart. We all love you Sheran!



*God saw you were getting tired  
And a cure was not to be,  
So He put His arms around you  
And whispered "Come to Me."  
With tearful eyes we watched you,  
And saw you pass away;  
And though we love you dearly,  
We could not make you stay.  
A golden heart stopped beating,  
Hard working hands were put to rest.  
God broke our hearts to prove to us  
He only takes the best.*

*Love,  
Your family*

## Order of Service

Processional . . . . . Ministers, Funeral Directors, Family  
Solo . . . . . Jeanette Clark - "Tomorrow"  
Prayer . . . . . Rev. Roosevelt Simpkins  
Music Selection . . . . . "Never Would have Made It"  
Moment of Reflection . . . . . Donnell Riggs  
Solo . . . . . Quatisha Moore- "I Won't Complain"  
Remarks . . . . . Please limit to 2 minutes  
Music Selection . . . . "There's a Leak In This Old Building"  
Eulogy . . . . . Rev. Roosevelt Simpkins  
Video Reflections . . . . Temple & Sons Funeral Directors  
Recessional

