



Mayron Simpson

March 15, 1947 - July 7, 2023

Mayron Marie Simpson passed away peacefully with loved ones by her side on July 7, 2023 in Forney, Texas. Mayron was born on March 15, 1947 in Grand Saline, Texas to Leon Mayron and Merle Marie (Teague) Penny, both of whom have preceded her in death along with her beloved husband, Onie Simpson in 2016.

Mayron could take any object that seemed typical and overlook by the casual observer, and she could turn it into a piece of art. She had a real gift for making trash into treasure. She would use her skills as a designer and decorator and would spruce up any space with her keen eye. Oftentimes you would also see Mayron in her flowerbeds beautifying and making things grow, which she always enjoyed. In the quiet places of Mayron's heart, she would love and cherish times to sit and read the Bible and have peaceful times with Jesus. Above all her earthly treasures, Mayron loved deeply her family, especially her precious grandchildren; yet never to be forgotten was her adoration for her beloved Onie, who she married in 1979 and they spent the best years of their lives together. She will be missed and cherished by those she leaves behind.

Left to cherish Mayron's legacy are her son, Jeff Lankford and wife Julie, grandchildren Allison, Nicole, Matthew, and Jackson, along with great-granddaughter Graison Rogers. Also left to carry on Mayron's love is her brother, A.J. Penny, sister, Nelda Chambley, and nieces, Stacy Tucker, Penny Washington, Chastity Renée Cogbill and Misty Marie Martin.

A public visitation is scheduled for Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at Max Slayton Funeral Chapel, from 5-7 p.m. where family and friends will gather and share memories and stories of Mayron. There will be a private burial at a later date.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (cst)

Max Slayton Funeral Chapel
642 N. Rockwall Ave.
Terrell, TX 75160

Tribute Wall



“ *Mayron Simpson*

October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM



“ *Debbie and I met Mayron the day after we moved in across the street from her in 2018. We enjoyed our visits when we talked and Debbie loved going with Mayron on little shopping runs while I was working at Buc-ee's. I loved helping her any any way possible when she would ask. She was so humble about asking for help but God Put me close to her to help her. She will always be in our hearts and prayers. John and Debbie Rehder*

John and Debbie Rehder - July 11, 2023 at 05:11 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mayron Simpson.*

July 11, 2023 at 04:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mayron Simpson.*



July 11, 2023 at 04:18 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mayron Simpson.*



July 10, 2023 at 06:48 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mayron Simpson.*



July 10, 2023 at 05:56 PM



“ *Gerald and Kaye Hayden purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mayron Simpson.*



Gerald and Kaye Hayden - July 10, 2023 at 02:06 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mayron Simpson.*



July 10, 2023 at 01:32 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mayron Simpson.*



July 10, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *Mayron and I first met back in 1967 when we both went to work for Dallas Power & Light Company in Dallas. We became fast friends and later became roommates. Donna Love also worked with us at DP&L, and the three of us spent many evenings at Merle's house in Wills Point. Mayron was a jewel to all that knew her, and she would be your friend for life. I take so much comfort in knowing that's she's reunited with Onie and Merle and what a joyous reunion that must have been. Sadly, I will not be able to attend Mayron's viewing. Our son-in-law passed away on Thursday, and his service is Tuesday afternoon in Garland.*

Tricia Cole - July 08, 2023 at 10:17 PM



“ *Where do I begin: Mayron and I met at First Missionary Baptist church in Terrell Texas. We were both divorced mother's of little boys, Jeff and Jason. We became fast friends thru the good times and hard times. Even sharing left overs when we could. She was a special person but that doesn't really describe her. I loved her like a sister and regret we didn't have better contact during the past few years. I have special memories of Jeff and Jason playing together at our house. Mayron will be missed. Sincerely, Moonyene Attaway*

Moonyene Attaway - July 08, 2023 at 09:26 PM