



## Olan Simpkins

September 15, 2006

Olan Parsons Simpkins of Rock Hall, Maryland died September 15, 2006 in Chestertown, Maryland. He was 77.

Mr. Simpkins was born in Rock Hall on September 13, 1929 to the late Olan Davidson and Martha Parsons Simpkins. He graduated from Rock Hall High School and went into farming. He participated in the Chestertown Farmers Market for over 25 years and also had a stand at Dixon's Auction in Crumpton. He loved to farm, growing and selling produce, and collecting toy tractors. Mr. Simpkins also enjoyed traveling with his good friend, Joe Gsell to Pennsylvania and the Mid-West. He was a member of Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church. Mr. Simpkins was a very family oriented man and loved gathering at the holidays with family and friends.

Mr. Simpkins is survived by three sisters: Martha Elmira Simpkins of Rock Hall, Maryland, Anna Mariam Gamble of Shrewsbury, Pennsylvania, and Laura A. Herz of New Castle, Delaware; seven nieces; two nephews, and his dog, Ms. Sarah. He was predeceased by a brother, Franklin David Simpkins. Funeral services will be held Sunday, September 17, 2006 at 2 p.m. at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, 130 Speer Road, Chestertown, Maryland. Family and friends may call one hour prior. Those serving as pallbearers will be Joe Gsell, Mike Gsell, Olan H. Simpkins, Jack Baxter, Samuel Rogers and Gilbert Mabrey. Honorary pallbearers will be John Gsell and Quenton Dulin. Reverend Bill Dore will officiate. Internment will follow in Chester Cemetery, Chestertown, Maryland. In lieu of flowers, the

family suggests contribution be made to the charity of your choice.  
Arrangements by Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home,  
Chestertown, Maryland.

# Tribute Wall



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