



## Stanhope Edward Simpson Sr.

January 7, 1951 - April 23, 2024

To view the service via Youtube please use the link below:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HMPTGgayKoM>

To view the service via Facebook please use the link below:

<https://www.facebook.com/ZandersFuneralLIVE/>

Stanhope Edward Simpson, Sr., affectionately known as "Stan", was born January 7, 1951 in St. Elizabeth, Jamaica to parents, King George and Violet Wiltshire.

As a young man, Stanhope immigrated to the United States in the 1980's in pursuit of the American dream. He dedicated many years of his life to working at Disney and Conoley Citrus, where he was known for his strong work ethic and unwavering commitment to excellence.

After settling in Winter Haven, Florida, Stan married his first wife, Gwen with whom he had a daughter, Barakah. Years later, he moved to Winter Garden, Florida and found love once again with his second wife, Versie, with whom he had two sons, Stanhope, Jr. and Stanford.

He also welcomed his daughters, Candita, Natyna, Yvonne, and Mildred from Jamaica to live with him, providing them with a loving and caring home as they established themselves in their new country.

Stan was a pillar of strength and support for his family, always putting their needs above his own. He leaves behind a legacy of love, kindness, and resilience that will continue to inspire all who knew him.

A Time to Rest

"I fought a good fight and finished my course; I have kept the faith. Henceforth, a crown of righteousness is laid up for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that

day: and not to me only, but unto all of them also that love is appearing. ~ 2 Timothy 4:7-8

Stan was preceded in death by his Father, King George; Mother, Violet Wiltshire; First Wife, Gwendalyn Simpson; and Second Wife, Versie Delight Smith.

Left to cherish his precious memory and continue in his legacy: his Sons: Stanhope E. Simpson, Jr. of Winter Garden, Florida and Stanford Simpson of Orlando, Florida; Daughters: Barakah Simpson Smith (Lonnell) of Ocoee, Florida, Candita Simpson Ferguson (Garry) of London, United Kingdom, Mildred Simpson (Joye) of Oakland, Florida, Natyna Simpson Salmon (Ricky) of Orlando, Florida, and Yvonne Simpson of Winter Garden, Florida; Brothers: Easton Simpson, Noel Simpson, Weston Simpson, Carol Holiness, Charles Holiness, Dan Holiness, Ken Holiness, and Leonard Holiness; Sisters: Gloria Simpson and Joyce Simpson; 11 Grandchildren; 2 Great Grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, other loving relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Apopka Memorial Cemetery

Intersection of W. 13th Street and Marvin C.  
Zanders Avenue  
Apopka, FL 32703

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 10.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Church of Christ at Ninth Street  
97 Ninth Street  
Winter Garden, FL 34778

## Service

**MAY 11.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Church of Christ at Ninth Street  
97 Ninth Street  
Winter Garden, FL 34787

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My loving uncle Hope, I'm going to miss our conversation, whenever we use to talk it's for hours, we gist, we laugh and we talk about everything. Heaven have gain a wonderful human and I hope you're at peace. I love you and I will miss you. You're (blackgal) sophia*



**sophia lewis** - May 11, 2024 at 10:24 AM

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“ *Turner Family lit a candle in memory of Stanhope Edward Simpson Sr.*



**Turner family** - May 10, 2024 at 09:26 AM

MS

“ *MONICA DENISE SCOTT lit a candle in memory of Stanhope Edward Simpson Sr.*



**MONICA DENISE SCOTT** - May 05, 2024 at 05:09 PM

TF

“ *The Brown Family lit a candle in memory of Stanhope Edward Simpson Sr.*



**The Brown Family** - May 01, 2024 at 04:39 PM

HF

“ *Hugh Cooper & Family lit a candle in memory of Stanhope Edward Simpson Sr.*



**Hugh Cooper & Family** - May 01, 2024 at 04:38 PM



*Rose Reeves & Family lit a candle in memory of Stanhope Simpson Sr. RIP*

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**Rose Reeves** - May 03, 2024 at 03:55 PM