



## Catherine Sims Rosser Courington

November 16, 1936 - January 21, 2024

Catherine was born in Bessemer, Alabama to Maggie Cargile Sims and Martin Cleo Sims on November 16, 1936. She passed away surrounded by her family on Sunday, January 21, 2024. She was a faithful member of Crossroad Baptist Church for almost 50 years, serving as the Children's Minister for many years. She is preceded in death by her mother and father; baby sister, Esther Sims; brother, James T. Sims; husband of 52 years, Billy Rosser; son, James (Jimmy) L. Rosser; husband of 12 years, V. C. Courington.

She is survived by her children and grandchildren: Diane (Tim) Decker; Reggie (Kacie) Rosser; James Rosser; Maggie Decker Polk; Dustin Decker; sister, Melba (Eugene) Donaldson; 9 great-grandchildren; 6 great great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and friends. The funeral service for Catherine will be held Thursday, January 25, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. at Crossroad Baptist Church with burial following at Highland Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends Thursday from 10:00 a.m. until service time at the church.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Crossroad Baptist Church Senior Adult Ministry: 744 Dee Hendrix Rd., Hueytown, Alabama 35023.

# Cemetery Details

## Highland Memorial Gardens

3115 18th Ave  
Bessemer, AL 35020

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

JAN 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Crossroad Baptist Church  
744 Dee Hendrix Rd  
Bessemer, AL 35023-7305  
(205) 425-5811

## Funeral Service

JAN 25. 11:00 AM.

Crossroad Baptist Church

# Tribute Wall



“ *Catherine was such a beautiful, sweet soul. I loved her, and Jerry shared a great friendship with her as cousins. Blessings to all her family as they celebrate Catherine's life and home going.* ”

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**Ethel Crowder** - January 24, 2024 at 01:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Catherine Sims Rosser Courington.* ”



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January 23, 2024 at 02:47 PM