



DeAndre` Jamar Simms

April 27, 1990 - September 15, 2025

On Saturday, September 20, 2025, our beloved son, brother, father, and friend, DeAndre` Jamar Simms, departed this life at the age of 35. He was born on April 27, 1990, to Wallisha Simms and Myron Miller.

DeAndre`s life was a journey of trials, resilience, and redemption. Though he faced many challenges early on, he refused to let hardship define him, and through perseverance and personal growth, he was reformed and renewed. He chose a new path—one centered on love, responsibility, and purpose.

The greatest joy and accomplishment of his life was becoming the proud father of his daughter, Malayah Bailee-Marie Simms. She was his inspiration and his pride, and he devoted himself fully to giving her the love, protection, and guidance every child deserves. He didn't shy away from showering her with endless gifts to show his affection he had for her and continued to make plans to ensure her betterment for her future.

DeAndre` also cherished his family deeply. He was a loving brother to Darrell Lamond Mitchell Jr., Jamisha Julia-Patrice Swinson, Andrea Wooten, Meonte Hines, Myron Miller Jr., Mykiah Hines, Tekia Jackson, and a devoted son to his mother and father. He showed endless affection to his siblings. He was especially loved by his grandmother, Patricia Ann Simms, his aunt, Twanna Nicole Grannum, and his cousins, Jade Nicole Grannum and Cedric

Grannum. To his friends, he was known as a man of loyalty—someone who stood firmly by those he loved, through good times and bad. He was a man of principle, never letting slight transgressions come between him and his rooted connection he had to others. He will be remembered for his strength of spirit, his laughter, and the way he turned adversity into a testimony of change. Though his time on this earth was far too brief, the impact of his love and the lessons of his life will endure. His story is one of transformation, resilience, and unwavering devotion to those closest to him.

DeAndre` leaves to cherish his memory: his beloved daughter, Malayah Bailee-Marie Simms; his mother, Wallisha Simms; his father, Myron Miller; his siblings, Darrell Lamond Mitchell Jr., Jamisha Julia-Patricia Swinson, Andrea Wooten, Meonte Hines, Myron Miller Jr., Mykiah Hines, Tekia Jackson, and a host of family members and friends who will forever hold him in their hearts.

“Though he may be gone from our sight, he will never be gone from our hearts.”

Cemetery Details

Meadowridge Cemetery

7250 Washington Blve
Elkridge, MD 21075

Previous Events

Public Viewing

OCT 2. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Life Tribute Center - Randallstown
5616 Old Court Rd
Windsor Mill, MD 21244
(410) 655-0110

Wake

OCT 3. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

OCT 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Marshall-March Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of DeAndre` Jamar Simms*



March Life Tribute Centers - September 24, 2025 at 10:34 AM

TA

“ *SORRY FOR LOSS I KEEP YOUR FAMILY IN PRAYER FROM SHOCK TRAUMA TAMMY ARMSTEAD*

tammy armstead - October 01, 2025 at 01:44 PM



“ *Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of DeAndre` Jamar Simms.*



October 01, 2025 at 06:30 AM

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“ *Andrea L Smith purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of DeAndre` Jamar Simms.*



Andrea L Smith - September 30, 2025 at 08:18 PM

MC

“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love, and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Life Tribute Center - September 24, 2025 at 10:40 AM



Dre Dre Dre...never a dull moment. Words can't express my pain but I am at peace with Gods decision! I would never want to see you suffering.

To the March Family ~ I'm humbly grateful the March Family is preparing my nephew! Thank you in advance from the bottom of my heart 💕

Twanna Sanders - September 25, 2025 at 01:35 PM

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Family,

Words cannot fully express the sorrow I feel over the loss of our beloved cousin, Dre. This is a deep and painful moment for all of us, and my heart aches alongside yours.

I pray that during this time of grief, this senseless tragedy, we are drawn closer together — bound by love, respect, and compassion for one another.

May this heartbreak remind us of the importance of family, and may it strengthen the ties that hold us together. Dre's love will continue to shine through his daughter, family and close friends. He was and still is a beautiful soul.

Though we may not always understand why things happen the way they do, I believe that God is always near — even in our pain. Lean on Him, for His love is everlasting, and He will carry us through this as well.

Please know that I love each and every one of you dearly — to the moon and back.

*With all my love and deepest sympathy,
Annette Gray-Thom*

Annette Gray-Thom - October 03, 2025 at 10:45 AM