



Kenneth "Jake" Cooper

March 27, 1942 - August 24, 2016

Kenneth "Jake" Cooper, 74, of Travelers Rest, passed away Wednesday at Greenville Memorial Hospital.

Born in Washington, D. C., he was a son of the late Ellsworth and Lura Speakes Cooper. He was retired from Bell Atlantic/Verizon, U.S. Army Veteran with the 32nd Medical Corp in Vietnam, member of the American Legion, graduated from North Greenville College and Mars Hill, and was a member of White Oak Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife of 46 years: Nellie Ashe Cooper; son: Brent Cooper; brother: Frank Cooper and his wife Yvonne; sister: Esther Ways.

The family will receive friends Saturday afternoon from 3pm until 4pm at White Oak Baptist Church.

Memorial services will be held Saturday afternoon at 4pm at White Oak Baptist Church.

The family will be at the home.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Gideon's International, P.O. Box 69, Travelers Rest, SC 29690.

Cemetery Details

Private Burial

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 27. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

White Oak Baptist Church
1805 Wade Hampton Blvd.
Greenville, SC

Church Service

AUG 27. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ One of the best memories I have of Jake is from when he was young. Granny would tell the story of how he was so upset when he did not get a chocolate cross for Easter. He wanted to know why he did not get a "Grave Yard". I giggle every Easter when I see the chocolate crosses. Jake was such a wonderful man. He cared deeply for family, friends, and everyone he met. He was friendly, loving and caring. My head is sad for Nell, Brent, and the entire family, but my heart is happy for Jake. He is in Heaven with Mom, Betty, Carol and Ward. The Heavens are alive with music. They all loved to sing, and I know they are singing loudly today. Rest in Peace, dear Uncle, until we all meet again in the Kingdom of God, you will remain in our hearts and our prayers. We love you very much.

Tammie Harris

Tammie Harris - August 26, 2016 at 06:41 AM

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“ I remember meeting Mr. JAKE when I started working at White Oak CDC. He was always there really in the mornings to greet the children with a smile. He always had a great sense of humor as well! He cared for others very much and would stop and see how you were doing or even make your day better! Everyone loved Mr. JAKE! Miss Nell, and Brent, and family, will be praying here in WA State for your family and all. Wish I could be there for the visitation and service.

Thinking of the hymn, Victory in Jesus and In The Sweet By and By.

Joy (Redman) Wetterlund, "Miss Joy", former employee of White Oak CDC

So many memories there!



Joy Wetterlund - August 26, 2016 at 12:43 AM