



## Jerry Wayne Cooper

June 29, 1981 - October 28, 2017

Jerry Wayne “Jai” Cooper, 36 of Mulga, Alabama passed away Saturday, October 28, 2017. He was born in Shelbyville, Tennessee but had lived in the North Georgia area for most of his life and was a member of North Highlands Baptist Church in Hueytown, AL. Jai enjoyed fishing and was the Owner & Operator of Welcome Home Resale, where his passion for restoring furniture and the love of antiques truly inspired him. He was a loving and devoted son, brother and friend who will be truly missed by all who knew him.

Survivors include his parents, Jerry & Carolyn Cooper; sister, Jessica Cooper all of Rock Spring, GA; partner, Silas Campbell of Birmingham, AL and numerous extended family & friends.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 1, 2017 in the Fort Oglethorpe Chapel with Pastor Joe Kitchens officiating. Burial will follow in the Tennessee-Georgia Memorial Park. The family will receive friends from 12 Noon until the time of service on Wednesday at the funeral home. Online guest book at [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com). Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

# Cemetery Details

## Tennessee/Georgia Memorial Park

724 Hogan Rd.  
Rossville, GA 30741  
(706) 866-5533

# Tribute Wall

FW

“ I barely got to meet him and seeing him a few times at my aunt's house this man always had a smile on his face and look so much like his mother sorry god had to take you at a young age you will be missed



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**florence walker** - November 01, 2017 at 07:48 PM

GC

“ Jai:  
I will miss your smile, your stories, your sincerity, and the love you had for your fellow man. You always found the good in people even if they did not know it. Your friendship was special through the years. Our trip to Florida is one that I shall never forget. Please hug and kiss my mom and dad when they meet you at the pearly gates, and tell them I love them. They loved you too. Thank you for bringing Silas into our lives. Today is a sad day for us, but rejoice that you no longer suffer the heartaches of this world. It a welcome bonus for me to know that another angel is looking out for me. Until we meet again. I love you Jai.

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**Geoffrey Chadwyche** - November 01, 2017 at 03:19 PM

SL

“ *Jai,  
your smile melted many hearts. I loved to  
hear you laugh, your love for Christ was  
strong. I am so blessed to have known you.  
Frankie and I loved you deeply. We also love  
Silas and will wrap our prayers and love around him, your family  
and the Campbell's. You are now walking the streets of gold. you  
always said we could never have too much glitter in our lives. I love  
you. Susan*



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**Susan Love** - November 01, 2017 at 01:36 PM

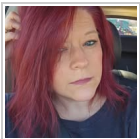
SL

“ *Susan Love lit a candle in memory of Jerry  
Wayne Cooper*



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**Susan Love** - November 01, 2017 at 01:32 PM



“ *My favorite thing about Wayne was his smile and amazing  
personality. He was a great friend in high school and still today. He  
was one of the funniest people and always made me laugh when  
we talked. From our senior trip to years after high school those  
pictures I treasure the most.*

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**Rachel Wilbanks** - November 01, 2017 at 07:50 AM

BS

“ So sorry for your loss, I am praying for comfort for the family.. I remember Wayne as a child coming over and playing with my kids .. Such a sweet boy ( man).. Loved him and his family...



**Bobbie Smith** - October 31, 2017 at 03:18 PM

TM

“ I didn't get to know Jai very long but in the short amount of time he made a huge impact on my life he seemed more like a big brother than a manager and I regret not getting to know him more Jai and Silas were a very inspirational couple to me to give me hope to be that much in love with somebody.



**Trent Martin** - October 31, 2017 at 12:40 PM

SD

“ Wayne has been our friend since he was 12-13. He always was a lot of fun. He will be greatly missed! Love you all and are praying for you as a family.



**sherry Davidson** - October 31, 2017 at 11:54 AM

CD

“ Connie Daniels lit a candle in memory of Jerry Wayne Cooper



**Connie Daniels** - October 30, 2017 at 09:15 PM

CD

*Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you. We understand what you are going through. God will not leave you... He will walk each step with you and carry you when you need rest. May you feel God's supernatural peace and strength.*

**Connie Daniels** - October 30, 2017 at 09:17 PM

CG

*“ Jai was a great Man with a big heart. Jai had a smile on his face everytime I saw him he always told me how pretty I was and how he loved my hair . I will miss his sweet soul and loving personality. Love you Jai fly high love Connie Dylan and Austin you will be missed, by all.*

**connie garrison** - October 30, 2017 at 08:18 PM

YC

*So sorry for your loss.*

**yvonne reed corriher** - October 31, 2017 at 12:52 AM

AK

*“ We are so very sorry, ANN and Bill Keith*



**Ann Keith** - October 30, 2017 at 08:03 PM

CL

*“ Cynthia Leggett sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Wayne Cooper*



**Cynthia Leggett** - October 30, 2017 at 06:45 PM

CL

“ Cynthia Leggett lit a candle in memory of Jerry Wayne Cooper



Cynthia Leggett - October 30, 2017 at 06:44 PM

KH

“ Ken & Judy Hughett lit a candle in memory of Jerry Wayne Cooper



ken & judy hughett - October 30, 2017 at 06:21 PM

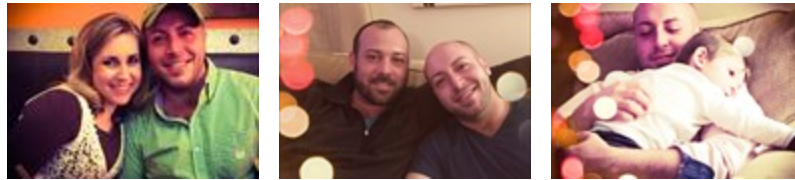
KB

“ There are so many things to be said about Jai. He was the kindest, funniest, most compassionate soul I have ever known. He lived life on purpose and never failed to shine in all that he did. Not a day went by when he didn't make those around him feel loved. For me, Jai was my go to. I could count on him to be there no matter the circumstances or distance. Whether it was an ear to listen, a joke to make me laugh, or to carry me through difficult times in life...he was there. I am beyond blessed to have known Jai and to have called him one of my closest friends. He left a mark on my heart that I will carry with me forever.

Kara Brackett - October 30, 2017 at 02:14 PM

KB

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Kara Brackett - October 30, 2017 at 12:58 PM



“ My heart breaks for you all and I can find no words that can possibly bring the comfort you need right now. Just please know that each of you are in my constant thoughts and prayers.



Janice Morris - October 30, 2017 at 10:42 AM

LR

“ Jai was a unique individual. He always had a smile on his face and kept us laughing. He loved with his whole heart and would do anything you needed him to do. When things didn't go right Jai would say just put a smile on it and keep going. Jai will be greatly missed. Love you so much Jai ,Aunt Leigh

leigh rotenberry - October 30, 2017 at 10:03 AM

AB

“ My memories of you are that you always went out of your way to be kind. So happy with that big, beautiful smile! An amazing sense of humor that could get a laugh from anyone! We would always get caught up in lengthy conversations when we saw one another! Praying for this sweet, precious family!

April Bruce - October 30, 2017 at 08:11 AM



“ *I love you Sunshine.*

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**Liz Hutchison** - October 30, 2017 at 05:11 AM

TB

“ *Jerry, Carolyn and Jessie, please know that I am holding you all up in prayer. I know you are so broken hearted, so I just want God to wrap you each in his loving arms and bring you much needed peace and comfort. My deepest sympathy, Teresa Boyd*

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**Teresa Boyd** - October 29, 2017 at 11:44 PM

TR

“ *Jerry, Carolyn and Jesse,  
My heart is breaking for all of you! I hope that you will lean on God and rest in His arms during this time! You have our prayers and love!  
Buddy and Tammy Roden*

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**Tammy Roden** - October 29, 2017 at 11:20 PM

TW

“ *Jerry and Carolyn, My heart and prayers are with you. May God comfort and keep you. My deepest sympathy. - Tamara Wolk*

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**Tamara Wolk** - October 29, 2017 at 09:17 PM

NS

“ *Jai, some people you meet are just that; however you were different. I felt we hit it off good and when I met Silas I saw two people who were very much in love. You were taken much too soon. My prayers are for your family and those you called your friends. For me you will be missed and thought of often. Fly free ~*

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**Nancy R. Stevenson** - October 29, 2017 at 08:29 PM

NS

“ *Nancy R. Stevenson sent a virtual gift in  
memory of Jerry Wayne Cooper*



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**Nancy R. Stevenson** - October 29, 2017 at 08:16 PM