



Ronald "Ronnie" Dwaine Cooper

June 8, 1947 - May 10, 2015

Ronald "Ronnie" Dwaine Cooper, 67, went home to be with his Lord and Savior on Sunday, May 10, 2015. Ron loved life, enjoyed traveling, adventure, good food, and good music (especially playing guitar and singing with family & friends). He was quite the character! Ron was a lifelong resident of Apison, TN, 1965 graduate of Ooltewah High School and was a Navy Veteran of the Vietnam War. He retired from CSX Railroad in 1995 after more than 30 years of service as a Conductor and was a member of Apison United Methodist Church. Ron had been physically unable to attend corporate worship for a long time but loved The Lord, and is now rejoicing in heaven with a perfect and healthy body. He was preceded in death by his parents, Doris Dixon Cooper & Delmont Thurston Cooper as well as infant daughter, Shannon Paige Cooper.

Survivors include his loving wife of more than 9 years, Peggy Cooper of Ooltewah, TN; children & spouses, Amy & (James) Creamer of Ringgold, GA, Nikki & (Steven) Johnston of Chattanooga, TN, Ashley Brock and Doug & (Pamela) Cooper all of Ooltewah, TN; step-children, Stacy & (Richard) Spurgeon of Ooltewah, TN and Joe Hendrix of Chattanooga, TN; brother & sister-in-law, David & (Peggy) Cooper of Chattanooga, TN; sister & brother-in-law, Gail & (Ken) Stephens of Chattanooga, TN; 6 grandchildren; 2 step-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00 p.m. Friday, May 15, 2015 in the Fort Oglethorpe Chapel with Pastor Todd Chancey officiating. Burial will be private. The family will receive friends on Friday from 11 a.m. until the time of service at the funeral home. Online guest book at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 15. 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM (ET)

W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel
555 West Cloud Springs Road
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Im so sorry for the lose of Ronnie. Whenever I saw him he always brought a smile to my face. He will be dearly misses by many. He was a very special person and so much fun to be around. Peggy I love and miss seeing you since Im not at Dr. McKenzie's anymore. You will be in my thoughts and prayers. Susan Hurt R.D.H.*

Susan Hurt - May 15, 2015 at 10:53 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronald "Ronnie" Dwaine Cooper.*



May 13, 2015 at 11:25 AM

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“ *To Ronnie's family I enjoyed working with R. D. for many years he will truly be missed. These words of deepest sympathy are sent with the hope that, as time goes by, cherished memories will help bring inner peace, and make your loved one seem still very close to you. May the memories that mean the most to you live forever in your heart.*



Michael Bowden & Family.

Mike Bowden - May 12, 2015 at 10:06 PM

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“ I enjoyed working with R. D. for many years with the CSX he was always fun loving just pleasure to be around.

Jackie T. Galloway

Jack Galloway - May 12, 2015 at 09:38 PM

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“ To Ronnie's family I send my deepest condolences.

Lina Wood Prince - May 12, 2015 at 07:49 PM