



William "Willie" Brevard Cooper

December 9, 1935 - March 22, 2015

William Brevard Cooper, 79, of Charlotte, NC passed away on March, 22 2015 at Novant Medical Center Huntersville.

Willie was born December 9, 1935 to the late Bennie and Brevard Cooper. He was preceded in death by his parents, his brother Robert Lee Cooper, and his wife Gloria June Cooper.

Willie worked for Pet Dairy for 44 years where he retired before going to work at Tathwell Printing for 10 years.

He was a member of Long Creek Masonic Lodge #205 for 40 years. He and his wife Barbara have been active members of the Goshen Free Will Baptist Church in Mt Holly where they had stayed involved with the Merry Hearts group and their Sunday School class. They also spent time daily with their walking group the Sole Patrol in Mt Holly and always loved spending time with their friends.

He leaves behind his wife, Barbara Cooper Hester; a daughter Pam (husband Mark) Gambill; step-daughters: Karen (husband Chris) Fox and Deborah Olmstead; a granddaughter Christina Kirby; step-grandchildren: Jimmy (wife Elizabeth) Honeycutt, Aaron Olmstead and Curtis Fox; great grandchildren Gabrielle and William Kirby; and many other close friends and family. He will

be greatly missed by all.

Services celebrating the life and blessing of Willie will be held on Wednesday, March 25, at 2 pm with Dr. Clayton Burch officiating at Goshen Free Will Baptist Church, 1300 West Catawba Ave, Mount Holly, NC 28120. Friends may call upon the family at the church one hour prior to services. Following the service, Willie will be taken to his final place of earthly rest at Oaklawn Cemetery in Charlotte.

Lowe-Neddo Funeral Home has been given the privilege of serving the family. Please take a moment to share memories and photos on this online memorial. Please note that all posts are reviewed and approved before appearing. Thank you for your thoughts, prayers, and acts of kindness, those done and those yet to be. Your care and concern are acknowledged and deeply appreciated.

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn

1612 Oaklawn Ave
Charlotte, NC 28216
<http://charmeck.org/city/charlotte/epm/Services/Landscaping/Pages/Cemeteries.aspx>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 25. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Goshen Free Will Baptist Church
1300 West Catawba Avenue
Mount Holly, NC 28120

Service

MAR 25. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *William "Willie" Brevard Cooper*

October 05, 2023 at 07:26 AM



“ *William "Willie" Brevard Cooper*

October 24, 2022 at 08:52 PM



“ *"Poppy" was very much like a grandparent to myself and many others in our tight-knit class where we attended school with his granddaughter, Christina. I'm sure we made him feel he was "stuck" with us as if related by blood on many an occasion as well! He put up with a LOT of aggravating and tiresome antics from our group from the time I met him in my 6th grade year well into adulthood (that word being used loosely!). He will always be remembered fondly and missed greatly.*

Karly Newton - April 02, 2015 at 09:21 AM



“ *Karly Newton lit a candle in memory of William "Willie" Brevard Cooper*



Karly Newton - April 02, 2015 at 09:13 AM

PG

“ *Peggy Gambill lit a candle in memory of William "Willie" Brevard Cooper*



peggy gambill - March 31, 2015 at 07:40 PM

KA

“ *KathyWilliams lit a candle in memory of William "Willie" Brevard Cooper*



KathyWilliams - March 25, 2015 at 11:28 AM

KA

“ *Our prayers and thought's are with everyone i could not start to share my memory's there are so many he will be very missed love Kathy and Brian Williams*

KathyWilliams - March 25, 2015 at 11:27 AM

PG

“ *Pam Gambill lit a candle in memory of William "Willie" Brevard Cooper*



Pam Gambill - March 25, 2015 at 12:15 AM

BG

“ May the family be comforted by good friends and loving kind gestures that will help them through such a sorrowful period. May the memories that you all shared be a source of healing for you. (Psalms 147:3) I am so sorry that death has brought this pain to your lives.

Barbara Gbaa - March 24, 2015 at 07:54 PM

KE

“ To the family of William Brevard Cooper sorry for the loss of your loved one. May you rely on the God of comfort and all your beautiful memories to get you through your time of sadness. Isaiah 41:10 brings great comfort.

kennedy - March 24, 2015 at 04:48 PM

SS

“ I had the honor of knowing Willie when he made deliveries to us at work. He was a great man and I enjoyed getting to talk to him on occasions. Talked to him when he had his knee surgery in the hospital and kept a check on him once he got home. RIP Willie heaven gained a very special angel.

Sandra Self - March 24, 2015 at 04:31 PM

PG

“ Peggy Gambill sent a virtual gift in memory of William "Willie" Brevard Cooper



Peggy Gambill - March 24, 2015 at 08:34 AM



“ *My poppy was a great man and was lived dearly. He did all he could for as many people as he could. R.I.P. Poppy you are and will forever be deeply loved and remembered.*

Love,

Your great granddaughter Gabrielle

Gabbie Kirby - March 23, 2015 at 08:47 PM

LD

Gabrielle, Pam, Mark, Christina. I'm so sorry for your loss. He always made me laugh and was a sweet person. He always made me feel welcomed, when I would come visit Christina. I lost my dad on the 4th of April and it makes me very sad. Love you all. Lisa Duncan, from Illinois

Lisa Duncan - May 09, 2015 at 10:59 PM