



Gerald Cooper

March 30, 1936 - November 16, 2016

Obituary of Gerald Cooper

Sergeant Major/Retired Gerald "Jerry" Cooper of The Villages, FL passed away in his home on Wednesday, November 16, 2016, after a nine-year battle with cancer. Jerry was born in Oak Hill, WV on March 30, 1936 to Virgil and Virginia Cooper. He retired from the United States Army and also, retired from Surry Nuclear Power Plant in Surry, VA. He moved to The Villages in 2005 to pursue his dream of doing nothing but golfing. He was a member of the American Legion Post 347, Vietnam Veterans of American Village Chapter 1036, Retired Military Family Group and various other clubs in The Villages. Left to cherish his loving memories is his wife Josephine Cooper, daughters: Sherri Darlington of Williamsburg, VA, Paula Tackett of Westfield, IN, Kristina Hugate and son-in-law Dr Ron Hugate of Highlands Ranch, CO. He had four grandsons: Justin Darlington, Peyton and Quintin Hugate and Seth Tackett. Three granddaughters: Madison and Morgan Tackett and Isabella Hugate. One great granddaughter, Laylin Darlington.

Visitation and Services

Visitation will be Tuesday, November 22, at Beyers Funeral Home located on route 441 from 5 to 7 p.m. Funeral will be held at Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, VA with full military honors.

Memorial Donation

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be given to The Villages For Hospice 601 Casa Bella, The Villages, FL 32162-9985.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Daddy, Your light will shine on in our hearts forever. Love and miss you. Love, Sherri*

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“ Momma C, Sherri, Paula, Kristina and family....I am so sorry for the loss of your husband, father & grandfather. I have many good memories with the Cooper family on Demetro Dr. You are all in my prayers. RIP Mr Cooper.

Terri Anderson Harrison - November 19, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ THINKING OF JERRY AND THOSE LEFT BEHIND, FIND STRENGTH IN ONE ANOTHER. LOVE, SISTER SHARON

Sharon Cooper Tincher - November 19, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ Gerald Cooper

November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM