



Willie James Cooper

January 23, 1953 - August 14, 2022

Willie James Cooper, son of the late Charlie Cooper and the late Annie Cooper, was born Friday, January 23, 1953, in Louisville, MS.

Willie graduated from Louisville High School where he was awarded a football scholarship to attend Mississippi Valley State College. Later, he graduated from Bible Seminary School. Willie dearly loved his family as well as his friends, and he was passionate about studying and teaching the Bible.

Willie was united in Christian fellowship with Mount Zion Church of God in Christ, Harrisburg, PA, where he served as an Elder and a Teacher.

In Harrisburg, on Sunday, August 14, 2022, at sixty-nine years of age, Willie transitioned from time to eternity joining his parents; his wife, Carol Cooper; and his siblings, Walter Lee, Willis D., Annie Mae, Charlie Jr., Willis Cooper, Hermice Dixon, Nellie, Mary Lee, James, Joe Dan, Sally, Ann Lee, Veterine, Calvin and Gertrude.

Willie leaves a faithful and loving legacy to be honored and cherished by his sister, Charlene Collier of Mechanicsburg, PA; brother, Beason Cooper of Louisville, MS; his children, Latricia Durst and her husband Clarence who Willie loved as his own son, Adriane Cooper and Willie D. Cooper, all of Harrisburg, Gertrude Renee Cooper of Ocean Springs, MS, and Emerson

Jackson and his wife Kendra of Harrisburg. Willie loved and raised as his own daughters, Tanicka Nicole Patterson and Jamishia White. Willie is also survived by his loving grandchildren, Aubrea Troy Thompson, Carol Jean Cooper-Robinson, Cassius Gene Cooper, Gabrielle Renee Cooper, Ella Louise Cooper, A`riel Royalty Cooper, Mar`Layè Gwendolyn White, Jacque Jackson, Jaaliyah Jackson, Tyriek Jackson, Janajah Jackson, Kwale Jackson; devoted niece and nephew, Tiffany and Milton Steele who held a special place in his heart; his not-to-be-forgotten dog Theo; other family members and friends.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES, REFLECTIONS OR SIMPLY LEAVE YOUR NAME.

CLICK ON THE PHOTOS & VIDEOS ON-LINE STREAMING OF SERVICE TAB OR MEDIA TAB (MOBILE) AND TRIBUTE WEBCAST TO VIEW SERVICE.

Cemetery Details

William Howard Day Cemetery

Lincoln and Carlisle Streets
Steelton, PA 17113

Previous Events

Flower Delivery

AUG 27. 8:30 AM (ET)

Wallace Funeral Directors Inc.
106 Agnes St
Harrisburg, PA 17104
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Viewing

AUG 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Wallace Funeral Directors created a Webcast in memory of Willie James Cooper



Wallace Funeral Directors - August 26, 2022 at 02:24 PM

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“ My condolences to the family!! Willie will be missed.

Love, Conyers Family.



Apell Fulwiley - August 26, 2022 at 12:31 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Willie James Cooper.



August 25, 2022 at 03:46 PM

LA

“ Rest in paradise UNC, and we love you.

Carter Family

LaSondra - August 23, 2022 at 10:49 PM

EL

Mr Willie! One of the nicest human beings that I have ever met. You gave me my first job with SECCO May you R.I.P.

Elaine - August 24, 2022 at 10:50 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Willie James Cooper.*



August 21, 2022 at 06:39 PM

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“ *My Condolences to the Cooper family. Mr. Willie has always been family to us and a great Uncle to my nieces and nephews. He started in Harrisburg with my father the late Elder Wilbert Manigault and I have wonderful memories of those times at The House Of Faith & Deliverance Church in Edgemont. May God continue to be with the family. From Amanda Manigault, Sis. Naomi Manigault, Cynthia Manigault-Cooper and the entire Manigault Family.*

Amanda Manigault - August 20, 2022 at 05:01 AM

BW

I am sending my deepest condolences and prayers to the family!! I pray God give you the strength to get through the loss of your love one. Bernice Williams and Family

Bernice Williams - August 20, 2022 at 01:14 PM

LN

To the family of Willie Cooper, My memories of your father will always remain dear to me. God will comfort your hearts. Love you all Louise McClure Neal and family.

Louise McClure Neal - August 20, 2022 at 09:41 PM