



Robert W. Cooper

November 9, 1931 - May 3, 2014

Robert W. Cooper November 9, 1931 - May 3, 2014 Robert William Cooper, 82, of Tully, New York, died Saturday, May 3, 2014 at Fahey Rehabilitation Center in Syracuse, New York. He enjoyed a 23 year retirement at his home in Tully, New York after retiring from Chrysler New Process Gear where he was employed as a machine setup man for 27 years. He invested the early years of retirement outdoors developing land on which he and his wife would eventually build their retirement home. Later he would go for walks on his land often followed by pet geese who would try and peck the bird seed out of his pocket. In 1952, he enlisted in the US Army and served as an infantry soldier in Korea during the Korean War. Later he served as Sunday school superintendent and was on the board of Deacons and Trustees of the First Baptist Church in Tully. His immediate family are wife of 56 years, Rita; daughter, Robin; sons, Robert E. and Rhett; and dog, Mik all of the Tully, New York and Syracuse area. He also has a sister, Jane Fuller of Bryan, Texas; brothers, Leland of Fort Myers, Florida and Kirk of Clifton Springs, New York and 5-1/2 grandchildren (1 in process). At ease soldier. A private service will be held for the family and close friends on Sunday, May 11, 2014 at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, Inc., 2584 Field Lane, Lafayette, NY 13084. Contributions may be made to Tully Ambulance, 1 Railroad Street, Tully, NY 13159.

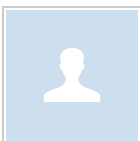
Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert W. Cooper*

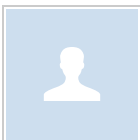


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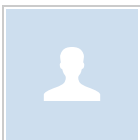
“ *Chuck and I want to express our deepest sympathies to the Cooper family during this time.*

May 07, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Cooper Family, We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Bob was a sweet man and will truly be missed. Our prayers are with all of you as you mourn your loss. God Bless and may wonderful memories always be with you. Love in Christ.*

May 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *To the Cooper Family. I am saddened to hear of Robert's passing. I worked with him at NPG where he was my set-up man. I always appreciated his help. He was never too busy to give me hand when I needed it. Never complaining, always with a smile. Great guy. He will be missed.*

May 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *My heart breaks for all of you. Uncle Bob was a wonderful man. I always felt welcome in his presence. I will miss this kind man. My prayers are with all of you. Love you all, Laura*

May 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Aunt Rita, Bob, Robin & Rhett, So sorry to lose Uncle Bob. I have not forgotten the trips we took when I was small, the player piano in your living room in Tully, and how amazing it was that Uncle Bob could play the piano so well! I miss you all. You are in our thoughts and prayers, today and always. Our Chancellor (Golden Retriever) is with Uncle Bob in heaven now. I know they are already good friends!*

May 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Rita and Family: So very sorry to read that your dear husband and father has passed on. It's been many years since we worked together at Firemen's Fund but I do remember you well. So very sorry for your loss. "Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, love leaves a memory no one can steal." From a headstone in Ireland. May the wonderful memories help you all thru this most difficult time. God Bless!*

May 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *To the Cooper Family are condolences We will kept You in are prayers.*

May 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM