



Mack "M. C." Cook, Sr.

April 19, 1924 - May 29, 2013

Mack "M. C." Cook, age 89 of Johns Creek, passed away May 29, 2013. M.C. was born and raised in Alpharetta, GA one of 15 children. He was retired from The City of Atlanta and he enjoyed gardening, church, and his work. M.C. was also a master of the bar-b-q grill, specializing in ribs. He is preceded in death by his wife of over 45 years, Marvine Barneswell Cook.

He is survived by his daughters, Earlina Cook, of Johns Creek and Jackie (husband, Fredrick) Austin, of Woodstock; sons, Mack (wife, Uvonna) Cook, of Lawrenceville, and Nelvin Cook, of Atlanta; step-daughter, JoAnn (husband, Robert) Owens, of Marietta; 9 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; sister, Mary Cook, of Atlanta; brother, Charles Cook, of Atlanta.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, June 8, 11:00 AM at St. James UMC. Dr. Michael T. McQueen officiating. Interment will follow at Green Lawn Cemetery. The family will receive friends Friday evening, 6:00 – 8:00 PM at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to St. James UMC Building Campaign 3000 Webb Bridge Rd Alpharetta, GA 30009.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors and Crematory
12050 Crabapple Road
Roswell, GA

Service

JUN 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. James United Methodist Church
3000 Webb Bridge Road
Alpharetta, GA

Tribute Wall



“ Mack "M. C." Cook, Sr.

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ Bro Cook was an exemplary servant and leader in the faith community at SJUMC for many years. I will miss his warm smile and gentle countenance. My condolences to the family who will miss him much more I feel certain. Rest in Peace...##imported-begin##Shevawn Broxton Young##imported-end##

June 07, 2013 at 03:57 PM



“ To the Cook Family: My thoughts and prayers are with you during your time of bereavement. I didn't have the chance to know your Dad like many others but he has surely left a wonderful legacy behind. Cherish your memories and the love you shared while he was here. It's a blessing to read and hear how he touched so many lives. He is one of the patriarchs of St. James that will be remembered for a very long time. He continues to live through you. Love you much.##imported-begin##Lynne Green##imported-end##

June 07, 2013 at 01:20 PM



“ Uncle M.C. you have been blessed many years and now given total peace. May the family and friends be given the comfort needed and cherish the memories.
Wells Family- Nancy,Lamoniki,Largondo,
Grands & Ggson.##imported-begin##Nancy Wells##imported-end##

June 06, 2013 at 02:59 PM



“ Earlina,

Please know that you are in my thoughts during your time of sorrow. May God continue to keep you in His tender, loving care.##imported-begin##Halimah Shaheed##imported-end##

June 06, 2013 at 10:49 AM



“ You all will continue to be in my thoughts and prayers. As the song say, "One day at a time, sweet Jesus".

May The Lord rest His peace and unspeakable joy upon you all for such a time as this.

Blessings?##imported-begin##Jessie Flowers##imported-end##

June 05, 2013 at 10:16 PM



“ Jackie God bless you and your family during this time. Per our recent conversations, your dad was in a good place and he was ready to go home to be with the Lord and his wife. I pray the Lord will continue to confront you and your family.

Love you,

Marcine##imported-begin##Marcine Jordan##imported-end##

June 05, 2013 at 06:10 PM



“ To the Cook Family: may you cling to the joy in his life and the laughter he shared.##imported-begin##merrilyn parks##imported-end##

June 05, 2013 at 10:38 AM



“ To the Cook Family. Please know that your dad was a good friend and was held in high esteem by my wife and I. So many fond memories of attending baseball games with him and some of the other men from the church and just sitting around talking. We loved him and will miss him very much. Stay strong in the Lord Cook Family and we pray that God will give you peace during this time of trial.

Bill and Cheryl Hardison##imported-begin##Bill and Cheryl Hardison##imported-end##

June 05, 2013 at 12:09 AM



“ My sincere sympathy to the family.##imported-begin##Anne Barnwell Edwards##imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 04:51 PM



“ Jackie: So sorry to hear about your father. Please know that I am praying for you and your family. May you feel God's love surround you my dear friend. Blessings,
Charlene Holmes##imported-begin##Charlene Holmes##imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 04:28 PM



“ Earlene may you and your family know the peace and comfort of GOD's love. Brother Cook is now resting safely in the arms of Our Savior##imported-begin##Linda Morgan-Mc Iver##imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 01:44 PM



“ Meet You At The Gate

*A beautiful garden now stands alone,
missing the one who nurtured it
But now he's gone,
His flowers still bloom, and the sun it still shines,
But the rain is like tear drops, for the ones left behind,
The weeds lay waiting to take the gardens beauty away,
But the beautiful memories of its keeper are in our hearts to stay,
he loved every flower even some that were weeds,
So much love he would plant with each little seed,
But just like his flowers he was part of Gods plan,
So when it was his time he reached down his hand,
He look through the Garden searching for the best,
That's when he found Mack, it was his time to rest,
It was hard for those who loved him, to just let him go,
But God had a spot in his garden, that needed a gentle soul,
So when you start missing Mack, remember if you just wait,
When God has a spot in his garden, He'll meet you at the gate....*

To the Cook Family, you have My Deepest Sympathy; in the passing of your father.

I'm here to help in any way; be strong like he would want you to be.##imported-begin##Catherine Coleman##imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 01:17 PM



“ Sincere sympathy to the Cook family in a loss that will be felt by many. May God continue to bless you.

Amazed by His Grace....

Gary and Bette Butler##imported-begin##Gary and Bette Butler##imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 01:11 PM



“ To Earlina and the entire Cook Family, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Bro. Cook. His memory will always be in the hearts of his family and friends. His church family will also remember him because he will forever be in the history of St. James UMC in Alpharetta. Brother Cook was one of several young men who was responsible for climbing on the roof of our new church back in 1963 and placing the steeple/chimney on the new edifice. I just loved hearing this story repeated over the years. It brought a smile to my face. I love you Brother Cook and you will be truly missed.##imported-begin##Sandra F. Fisher##imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 01:09 PM



“ Jackie, I am so sorry to hear about your father passing. I will certainly be thinking of you and your family and praying for your comfort and peace during this time of loss. You are loved dearly.##imported-begin##Susan Tatum Mortimer##imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 11:41 AM



“ *"Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles..." (2 Cor 1:3-4)*

God Bless You and Your Family.

Kathy Stewart###imported-begin###Kathy Stewart###imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 10:50 AM



“ *To the entire family,my sincere sympathy during this time of bereavement. We will continue to keep you uplifted in prayer and may God continue to be with you.###imported-begin###Zenas Brookins###imported-end##*

June 04, 2013 at 08:48 AM



“ *Sorrowfully regreting "POPS" passing. Earlina,Jackie-I know your Mom was waiting at the Pearly Gate with a Sweet Potato pie in hand to go alone with his Ribs and Fish, real SOUL FOOD by "THE COOK'S" now serving in Heaven. POP will be Truly missed. I lost my direction when I received a call informing me of his passing, it was his smiling face and memory of his kind words that lead me back home.The Greatest knowledge of all is knowing hes in Gods Care. May his loving kindness and memories comfort you'll and the family now and for the days to come,I Pray for your Strength in your time of Sorrow.*

Please don't hesitate to call me I answer anytime.

Love; Patrice###imported-begin###Patrice Harrison###imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 07:32 AM



“ My sincere sympathy goes out to the entire family during this time of bereavement. May God continue to be with you. Quiet :)###imported-begin##Linda Whatley###imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 07:16 AM



“ Earlina, Jackie and Family, We are keeping you in our thoughts and Prayers. For this is a time for gathering all the best of a good life into the pages of memory, to be held in the heart forever. Holding you close in thought and Praying that memories will bring you Peace and Comfort.###imported-begin##John & Mary Mobley###imported-end##

June 04, 2013 at 04:52 AM



“ Earlina, Jackie and family, please know that we send our condolences and deepest sympathy to the passing of "POP" Cook. We love you and continue to pray for comfort and peace for you and your family at this time. Please hold on to the memories and allow those to heal you as you grieve. God is with you all as you go through the valley of death and his comfort and peace is upon your family. We love you and are here if you need anything. Deepest Sympathy, Barbara.###imported-begin##Barbara and Frank Hunter###imported-end##

June 02, 2013 at 08:41 PM



“ To the Cook family, so sorry your loved one has fallen a sleep in death. Please read the promise that's made at "John 5:28,29"###imported-begin##sandra Rhodes###imported-end##

June 01, 2013 at 12:32 PM



“ So sorry to hear of MC passing he was a fine man always liked to talk to him and hear his stories. I know my papa and Mc are already telling stories. My papa was Harry K Mansell he loved Mc like a brother.###imported-begin##Ray Talley##imported-end##

May 30, 2013 at 08:34 PM



“ Even though I did not know Mack personally, I really wanted to express my condolences to you and your family. God’s word the bible speaks of a time when death will be a thing of the past. Revelation 21:3, 4 is a comforting scripture that I wanted to share with you during your time of sadness.###imported-begin##fc##imported-end##

May 30, 2013 at 07:53 PM