



## Lavon Tyrone Cooper

July 8, 1963 - January 20, 2019

Lavon Tyrone Cooper Sr., departed this life on Sunday, January 20, 2019, at Nanticoke Memorial Hospital in Seaford, Delaware. He was born on Monday, July 8, 1963, at Milford Memorial Hospital in Milford, Delaware. .

Lavon, known by most as “Tyrone” and to others as “Coop”, graduated from Milford High School in 1981. While there, he excelled in wrestling and track. Over the course of his life, Tyrone worked in many occupations for various companies, including Perdue, Tyson Food, and Black and Decker. He also owned and operated detailing and landscaping businesses in Delaware and Alabama. Tyrone was talented with his hands and loved spending time outdoors. He dreamed of owning a farm like his grandfather, Charles “Bud” Turner, Sr. Caring for animals was his passion; he owned horses, goats, dogs, rabbits and various farm creatures and was always looking to own more. He rarely missed the Delaware State Fair, where he would happily spend hours just looking at the animals.

One of Tyrone’s greatest joys was spending time with his fiancé, Jannelle, and his boys, Ty’Vor and Davon. Despite suffering two strokes, Tyrone stayed active. Although he struggled with diabetes for most of his life, he did not let it stop him from doing the things he enjoyed. Shopping, dining and going to the beach gave him much pleasure. It was not uncommon to see him motoring through acres of grass, sporting his sunglasses and straw hat, while

brandishing his signature smile and friendly wave. Although many knew him for his “tough guy” image, he was truly a teddy bear inside, who would often help others in need. Tyrone was an active member of New Beginnings United Methodist Church in Ridgley, Maryland, where he served as a trustee under Pastor Cornelius Berry.

Tyrone was preceded in death by his mother, Ida C. Cooper; father, Lamont Williams and brother, Jimmy Cooper.

Tyrone has a host of family and friends who will cherish his memory. He leaves his fiancé, Janelle Cann, of Bridgeville, DE; six sons, Lavon Tyrone Cooper, Jr., of Easton, MD, Tyrell Guinn of Dover, DE, Brandon Posey of Bridgeville, DE, Ty’Shawn Cooper of Milford, DE, Ty’Vor Cooper of Bridgeville, DE and Davon Cooper of Bridgeville, DE; four sisters, Patricia McCaleb of Bakersfield, CA, Coretta Cuffee (Jullion) of Dagsboro, DE, Lisa Rudd (Daryl) of Newport News, VA and Nikki Williams of Dover, DE; two brothers, Larry Cooper (Tysha) of Philadelphia, PA, and Julius Lamont Robinson of Dover, DE. “Coop” will be especially missed by his uncle/little brother, Charles “Lil Bud” Turner, Jr. and special grandmother, Rita Turner of Ellendale, DE; a legacy of 11 grandchildren; and countless aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends, to treasure his life.

Lovingly submitted by the Family

# Tribute Wall

KY

“ I will never forget my popop>

Kymerli - October 09, 2019 at 04:14 PM

HF

“ My deepest condolences for the loss of your dear loved one. While nothing will completely take away your grief, by meditating on Gods promises found in the Bible, you can find real hope and the strength to keep going. My family and I have found the scripture at Isaiah 25:8 to be especially comforting. Here it promises that God "will swallow up death forever and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces."

H. Fields - January 27, 2019 at 03:37 PM

IR

“ Sorry for your loss of a loved one. Read Psalms 46:1 for words of comfort and peace.

Irene - January 24, 2019 at 01:53 PM



“ Please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss. Although life at this time is difficult take comfort in knowing that God will fortify you. He will help you & hold on to you with his right hand of righteousness (Isaiah 41:10)

January 23, 2019 at 08:41 AM

JO

“ Dear Family, Grief can be so hard at times, but our cherished memories of Lavon Cooper can help us to cope. Hold tight to those memories. Lean on each other for support. And may you find comfort in God's promise at (John 5: 28, 29).

---

**joyceA** - January 22, 2019 at 05:48 PM

VT

“ My sincere condolences to the family of Lavon Cooper. May you find comfort in your loving memories, and in God's promise to soon "swallow up death forever" and "wipe away the tears from all faces." (Isaiah 25;8) With deepest sympathy,

---

**v. thompson** - January 22, 2019 at 10:07 AM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss Jesus Christ Loves Me We Love You

---

**Thomas Widgeon** - January 21, 2019 at 06:34 PM

JR

“ I would like to express my sympathy in the loss of your dear family member. The death of a loved one is one of the most painful events that can happen. Our loving Heavenly Father understands how you feel because death was not a part of his original purpose for mankind (Genesis 1:28). However, he provides comfort to help soothe the feelings of sadness and grief. Psalm 147:3 says; "He (God) heals the brokenhearted; He binds up their wounds." The wonderful promise for the future at Revelation 21:4 is very comforting. It says; "He (God) will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away." For more comfort please visit our website: [jw.org](http://jw.org) and view the faith strengthening video; *Is There Hope for the Dead?* Click publications then videos.

---

**Jackie R** - January 21, 2019 at 05:55 PM