



Millard P. "MP" "Sonny" Cook

October 13, 1934 - January 25, 2019

Millard P. "MP" "Sonny" Cook, 84, of St. Albans went home to be with the Lord on Friday, January 25, 2019 at CAMC Memorial Division, Charleston.

He was born in Nitro to the late George Rosco and Macil Jeffies Cook. He was also preceded in death by 5 sisters, Maxine, Doris, Carol, Jean "Lois" and Patty and 2 brothers, George and Donald "Duck" Cook.

MP was a retired Corporal from the West Virginia State Police with 25 years of service. After his retirement from the State Police, he went to work with the West Virginia Tax Department as an investigator.

Sonny was a Marine veteran, having served during the Korean War. He was also a member of the West Virginia Air National Guard, 130th MAPS, a licensed pilot and a recipient of the Silver Beaver Award from the Boy Scouts of America.

He was a graduate from Nitro High School, class of 1952, a graduate from West Virginia State College, and volunteered as an oil painting instructor at the Nitro Senior Center for over 20 years. He was a member of the Washington Masonic Lodge # 58 A.F & A.M., St. Albans. He loved to read, Mountaineer Football, painting and his cat Ruby.

He was a Good Man.

Surviving is his wife of 61 years, Rosemary; daughters, Myra Treadway and Jill (Eugene) Aliff; son, Phil Cook; brother, Richard "Dick" Cook. Also surviving are his 4 grandchildren, Eric Treadway, Kent Treadway, Paige Harris and Hunter Aliff and 3 great grandchildren, Hailey Treadway, Lucas Stone and Chase Harris.

Funeral service will be held at 1:00 pm, Wednesday, January 30, 2019 at Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, St. Albans with Pastor Claudia Fizer officiating. Burial will be in Donel C. Kinnard Memorial State Veterans Cemetery, Dunbar with Military Honors and Masonic Rites.

Friends may call from 11 to 1:00 pm prior to the funeral service at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to the Charity of your choice.

You may visit Sonny's tribute page at chapmanfuneralhomes.com to share memories or condolences with the family.

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, family owned and located at 409 Sixth Ave., St. Albans is honored to serve the Cook family.

Cemetery Details

Donel C. Kinnard Memorial State Veterans Cemetery

130 Academy Drive
Dunbar, WV 25064

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 30. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home
409 Sixth Avenue
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Funeral Service

JAN 30. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Millard P. "MP" "Sonny" Cook*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *My sincere prayers and sympathy are with you all. He was a fine man and I always remember the love for his wife and family. May our Lord comfort you.*

Belinda Dale-Cunningham - February 05, 2019 at 11:50 AM



“ *Sorry for your lose ! Rosey I'm Sorry couldn't be there for you and kids ! My health won't allow me ! I've got agent orange I have test after test ! I've only got 50% my lungs now ! My thoughts and prayers are with you honey ! Sure miss you folks ! Love you all ! God bless*



charlie staats - February 02, 2019 at 10:29 PM



“ *To Rosemary & family our Sincerest Sympathy! Sonny was a very good friend & we will miss him forever. Our prayers & thoughts are with you all!*



Jerry & Angela Gardner

Jerry & Angela Gardner - January 30, 2019 at 10:55 AM

JS

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy in you loss. Wish we could be with you.*

Love

Janet and Phil Stalnaker

Janet Stalnaker - January 29, 2019 at 06:50 PM

WS

We are out of town and just learned of MP's passing. I enjoyed working with M P on Special Patrol. He was a hard worker and a fine man. Our well wishes to your family.

Wes Shaw

Wes Shaw - January 30, 2019 at 07:38 PM

DC

“ *I AM SO SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS ROSEMARY AND KIDS! HE WAS A VERY GOOD MAN. HE WOULD ALWAYS STOP AND TALK TO ME OR US WHEN WE WERE OUT AND ABOUT. IT HAS BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE WE HAVE SEEN HIM. ALISHA AND SARAH RAN AROUND IN SCHOOL. WE WISH YOU LOVE AND PRAYERS FOR COMFORT. IF THERE IS ANYTHING WE CAN DO JUST CALL WE WILL HELP ANY WAY WE CAN. DANNY AND RENE'E CAIN*

DANNY AND RENE'E CAIN - January 29, 2019 at 06:19 PM

SL

“ Rosemary,

This is Scott Lemon so sorry to hear about Sonny been so long since I've seen or talked to any family. My heart is with you and your girls. It's so hard to lose a family member. Not sure if you knew we lost our youngest daughter in March, it's still very hard the only thing is they are in a better place than we are.

*Love and miss you guys
Scott*

Scott Lemon - January 29, 2019 at 01:26 PM

JB

“ *I knew MP in the 70's when he was on the governor's detail when Jay was governor. I remember thinking back then the very thing that was stated in his obituary: "He was a good man." Of the various troopers who came and went from that detail, MP stood out to me as just a genuine person. I was in my early twenties at the time and he made an impression on me. My condolences to his family. It sounds like he lived a good life both before and after I had the pleasure of knowing him.*

*Jeff Black
South Charleston*

Jeff Black - January 29, 2019 at 12:40 PM

JC

“ *Rosemary, I haven't heard from any of your family for years .I am the sister of Charles Clark who was the pastor at Browns Creek Church .At this time I want to let you know I am very sorry or your loss. Would love to see you and your Mom .Love always Janet Clark Townsend.and the entire Clark Family.*

Janet ClarkTownsend - January 29, 2019 at 11:17 AM

BN

“ Dear Jill and Paige,

We are so sorry for your loss. May your memories comfort you during this difficult time. We will keep you in our thoughts.

Brenda Nicholas & Family

Brenda Nicholas - January 29, 2019 at 09:06 AM



“ SONNY D WAS THE FINEST PERSON I HAVE EVER MET OR EVER WILL. PRAYERS TO THE FAMILY FOR THEIR LOSS.

Cheryl Reed - January 29, 2019 at 08:49 AM



“ Cheryl Reed lit a candle in memory of Millard P. "MP" "Sonny" Cook



Cheryl Reed - January 29, 2019 at 08:47 AM

LN

“ LaDonna & Dave Newman lit a candle in memory of Millard P. "MP" "Sonny" Cook



LaDonna & Dave Newman - January 28, 2019 at 10:37 PM

HC

“ *A good man, indeed. And a good friend.*

H.R. Cogar - January 28, 2019 at 07:05 PM

 Cookie Barton

“ *I worked fir MP st the Tax Department he was a great man always a gentleman. He treated me like a daughter. I will never forget he would stop and get a haircut before he would gone in to work and I would say your late he would say no I stop yo get a haircut it grew in state time do I had it cut in state time. He gave me several paintings he doubted and I still have the hanging and will cherish them forever. He lived his wife and kids so much always bragging on them. Earth lost s great person but it heavens gain.*

Cookie Barton - January 28, 2019 at 04:02 PM

SS

“ *My sincere condolences to M.P's. Family. May God bless you for the loss of your loved one. Steve Snelson retired MDPS.*

Steve Snelson - January 28, 2019 at 02:53 PM