



Joyce S. Cooper

January 15, 1937 - January 20, 2021

Joyce S. Cooper, 84, of Butler, Pa., formerly of Hooker, passed away on Wednesday, January 20, 2021, at New Haven Court after a long period of declining health.

Born in Butler, Pa. on January 15, 1937, she was the daughter of the late Samuel and Lula Mae Sutton Starr.

She was a graduate of the former Hooker High School and had served nearly 30 years at Moniteau as a food service manager. She also served at Meals on Wheels in Boyers, Pa. for over 20 years.

Joyce was a lifelong member of Concord Presbyterian Church at Hooker and was baptized at this church as an infant. She served as an elder, deacon, and member of the choir.

Surviving is 3 daughters; Heather Uhl of Butler, Heidi ("Chip") Brunst of Pleasantville, and Piper (Jeff) Cratty of Oxford, Pa., and 2 sons; Jeffrey D. (Val) of Butler, and Scott S. (Dawn) of Cape May, NJ. She is also survived by 20 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Joyce was preceded in death by her husband, James Dean Cooper, whom she was married to from May 27, 1955, to May 27, 1989. She was also preceded in death by a son, Gregory, and a grandchild.

A limited visitation will be held at 1:30 to 3:30 pm on Sunday, January 24, at Concord Presbyterian Church- Hooker. The funeral service will be at 3:30 pm with the Rev. Bob Edmundson officiating. A private burial will be held on

Monday, January 25, at Concord Cemetery. Arrangements made with H. Jack Buzard Funeral Home of Eau Claire, Pa.

Masks must be worn, and social distancing will be observed per CDC and Health Dept. mandates. If not feeling well, please send a sympathy card to the family.

To view/send condolences, sympathy cards, visit www.buzardfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Concord Cemetery

Previous Events

Gathering of Friends

JAN 24. 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Concord Presbyterian Church
625 Hooker Rd
West Sunbury, PA 16061-1715
(724) 894-2648

Tribute Wall

HA

“ Heidi, Piper & family,
I'm so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. We (Colerich family) loved going to your farm with Grandma (Sylvia Rippey) and running around. Your mom always had a sweet smile for everyone and I remember it well after all these years. Trips to your farm are some of my most treasured memories.

Love, Holly (Colerich) Anderson

Holly Anderson - May 24, 2023 at 04:47 PM

EB

“ Dear Heidi, Piper, Scott, Jeff, and Heather,

Just wanted to extend my sincerest and deepest sympathy to you all in Joyce's passing. She was a lovely lady. I'm sure you will miss her greatly. Will always remember our times at the Emlenton airport on Sunday afternoons and the visits our families had at each other's houses. Will keep you in my thoughts and prayers. Mom (Nancy) and Dad (Carl) extend their sympathy as well.

Love - Edie Sherman Beckwith

Edie Sherman Beckwith - January 27, 2021 at 01:50 PM

SU

“ Our families are forever joined through Heather and Chip, and our shared love of Travis and Erin and their families. Joyce was always at the center of family gatherings. I always picture her holding a baby-all the babies, including my own!

We will keep her in our hearts and minds forever.

Love, Sue Uhl (Glick) and the Uhl Family

Susan Uhl - January 23, 2021 at 01:08 PM

TC

“ *May God Bless you and your family in this time of sorrow and sending prayers to you and your family in this time of sorrow she was wonderful Lady I worked with her sometimes at meals on wheel in Boyers from Tina Cornelius*



Tina Cornelius - January 22, 2021 at 04:35 PM

TO

“ *Our time together is so precious and dear.
No one knows when the last is near*

*What makes each breath precious and easy to bare
The journey is laced with love that we share*

*The struggles and celebrations fade to the past
But the love embroidered in our hearts always last.*

Tom - January 22, 2021 at 03:25 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joyce S. Cooper.*



January 22, 2021 at 03:22 PM

KM

“ my deepest sympathy to the cooper family. it was always a treat to visit the "farm" and spend time with the family. i will always remember "woody" the pet ground hog. aunt joyce always made my visits welcome and fun.

Karen Cooper Miller

Karen Miller - January 22, 2021 at 03:16 PM

DB

“ Sending our sympathy to Joyce's family from the "Class of 55" Concord High School.

Deanna F Bodamer - January 22, 2021 at 01:53 PM

FF

“ From the Faust and Bennett families purchased the Rainbow Reflections Basket for the family of Joyce S. Cooper.



From the Faust and Bennett families - January 22, 2021 at 11:26 AM



“ Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Joyce S. Cooper.



January 22, 2021 at 10:50 AM

JD

“ So sorry for your loss.

Jake D. - January 22, 2021 at 09:33 AM

DC

“ One of our fondest memories was a weekend camping trip Brov & I went on with Aunt Joyce and Uncle Dean. We had a blast! Beyond that were the many subsequent family gatherings for picnics, birthdays, holidays, weddings. Our impromptu visits to see Aunt Joyce were always met with graciousness and hospitality. We will always remember these very pleasant visits and conversations. Although she has left this world, a part of her will stay with us always. With Love and Sympathy, Brov & Dottie

Dottie Cooper - January 22, 2021 at 08:17 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Joyce S. Cooper.



January 22, 2021 at 08:05 AM