



## John "Jack" O. Cooper

October 22, 1944 - August 2, 2018

John "Jack" Oliver Cooper of Centreville, MD passed away peacefully at his home on August 2, 2018. He was 73.

Born in Baltimore on October 22, 1944, he was the son of the late John Oliver Cooper and Mary Coursey Cooper. Jack enlisted in the U.S. Army and served from 1962 until his honorable discharge in 1965. In 1966, he married the former Theresa Eleanor Sylvester, and the couple made their home in Cape St. Claire and later moved to the Eastern Shore residing in Centreville. Jack began his career in automotive repair working as an auto technician and advanced through the years to become a service manager and ultimately a business owner. He owned Annapolis Car Care and in 1993 opened and operated Chesapeake Auto Repair Service in Centreville until he retired in 2015. He was currently working at AutoZone as a commercial driver.

He is survived by his loving wife, Theresa; his children, Jack Cooper (Donna Zane) and Steven Cooper (Michelle); and grandchildren Anthony C. Cole and Aimee Cooper.

A Celebration of Life will be held at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home on Tuesday, August 7, 2018 from 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm, with military honors at 4:00 pm.

In lieu of flowers, Jack's family asks that memorial contributions be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 ([www.stjude.org](http://www.stjude.org)), or to the animal rescue of your choice.

# Previous Events

## **Celebration of Life**

AUG 7. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location  
408 South Liberty Street  
Centreville, MD 21617  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John "Jack" O. Cooper*



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - August 07, 2018 at 09:01 AM



“ *John "Jack" O. Cooper*

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *John "Jack" O. Cooper*

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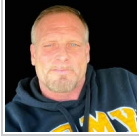
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“ *John "Jack" O. Cooper*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



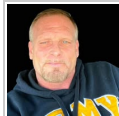
“ Most would think I'd be well over your passing Pop, there's not A DAY that goes by that I don't think of you. I didn't realize how much wisdom you passed on to me. I've never experienced heartbreak and pain the way I do almost daily. I try to remember all the life lessons you taught me. Most people tell me how you left us was peaceful, I just wish I had the opportunity to say goodbye, that hurts the most. I wish I could have a 5-minute conversation with you! I love you Pop please keep watch over our family and me, I miss you!

Jack Cooper - August 29, 2022 at 05:31 AM

MR

“ Theresa, Jack and Steven, I am so very sorry to hear of Jack's passing. I have very fond memories of the years that I spent with him (and the rest you guys). He was always such a kind, honorable and loving father, friend, husband and Person. Always a smile and kind word for everyone. He will be missed greatly by many and will always hold a place in my heart. Prayers to you all in this difficult time. ❤️

Michelle Rucks - September 10, 2018 at 08:07 PM



Michelle, thank you for your kind words My Pop really liked you a lot he had the utmost respect for you and how you stood by our sides when we were at our worst. thank you for not forgetting

Jack Cooper - August 29, 2022 at 05:35 AM

LP

“ Lisa Plummer lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" O. Cooper



Lisa Plummer - August 07, 2018 at 12:55 PM

TL

“ I am so sorry to hear about Jack passing. I learned a lot from Jack he was more than a boss to me. I always considered him and Theresa family to me. I have a lot of great memories of Jack. My heart is broken. My prayers go out to Theresa, Jackie, Donna, Steven, Michelle and Amy. Love you and I will always miss you, Jack . Tim Lawson

Tim Lawson - August 06, 2018 at 08:44 PM

CS

“ All of us here at Chesapeake Auto Repair Service will miss seeing you. You always had a smile and kind word, and we will always remember you. Our prayers go out to your family.

Chesapeake Auto Repair Service - August 06, 2018 at 04:49 PM

MR

“ Mike Ross lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" O. Cooper



Mike Ross - August 06, 2018 at 07:25 AM

MR

“ It truly saddens us to hear of the passing of Jack. He lives a lot of good memories. He was hilarious and his humor will surely be missed.

Mike Ross

Mike Ross - August 06, 2018 at 07:24 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of John "Jack" O. Cooper.*



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August 05, 2018 at 11:13 AM



“ *Uncle Jack, you are one of the most loving and kindest people in our family. I am so very sad for you to leave us so soon. Your light and life will truly be carried on in the wonderful family you leave behind. Can still see you twisting those curls, love you and miss you.*



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**Cindy Perry-Whitcomb** - August 04, 2018 at 05:32 PM



“ *Thinking of Jack's family at this time. May God give you the love and strength to get through these sad days. God bless each one of you. Jack will be missed by many. Gene and Lynda Palmatary*

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**Gene and Lynda Palmatary** - August 04, 2018 at 02:21 PM



“ *Gene And Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of John "Jack" O. Cooper*



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**Gene and Lynda Palmatary** - August 04, 2018 at 02:19 PM

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Steve Cooper - August 04, 2018 at 12:11 PM



“ Cathy Lozupone lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" O. Cooper



Cathy Lozupone - August 04, 2018 at 11:47 AM



*He was the kindest funniest cutest man you made me laugh and very patient with me and kind. but never be another man like that he was a terrific man and terrific father. Can truly be missed God bless you may you rest in peace I was blessed to have known him.*

Cathy Lozupone - August 04, 2018 at 11:49 AM

SC

*Thank you for the kind words Cathy. He will be missed by many!*

Steve Cooper - August 04, 2018 at 12:12 PM

DC

“ David And June Clark lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" O. Cooper



David and June Clark - August 03, 2018 at 08:59 PM

KA

“ *JACK IT WAS A HONOR AND A PLEASURE TO GET TO KNOW YOU AND YOUR FAMILY YOU WILL BE SORELY MISSED. SET BACK AND HAVE A COLD ONE YOU DESERVE IT.*  
*KENNY ALLEN AND FAMILY*



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**Kenny allen** - August 03, 2018 at 07:14 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of John "Jack" O. Cooper.*



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August 03, 2018 at 06:40 PM

GC

“ *Gene Beville Kent Island Abbey Carpet lit a candle in memory of John "Jack" O. Cooper*



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**Gene Beville Kent Island Abbey Carpet** - August 03, 2018 at 05:54 PM

JN

“ *Uncle Jack, I love you...rest in peace and wait patiently for us. I'm sure you were welcome with open arms and much love from those who waited for you to finish up here.. as you leave tears flowing back home. Til we meet again...*

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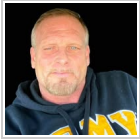
**Janet Keith, Neice** - August 03, 2018 at 05:48 PM

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Steven Cooper - August 03, 2018 at 05:23 PM



“ Just the best father and person I've ever known. You will forever live in my heart and memory. I love you Dad

Jack Cooper - August 03, 2018 at 05:17 PM

BF

So sorry for your loss Jack. Prayers for comfort for your family💕💕

Beth Folderauer - August 03, 2018 at 05:39 PM