



Ray Cooper

September 2, 1953 - November 2, 2009

Services for Mr. Raymond Ray Cooper, age 56, of Winona, are scheduled for 2PM on Thursday, November 5, 2009 in the Lindale First Baptist Church with Bro. Kenny Ray officiating. Interment will follow in the Lindale City Cemetery under the direction of Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Directors in Lindale. Mr. Cooper died on Monday, November 2, 2009 in the Hospice Homeplace in Tyler. He was born on September 2, 1953 in Tyler to Raymond Leonard & Bernice Spier Cooper and lived the majority of his life in the Lindale area. Ray was a graduate of Lindale High School and owned & operated the A&B Brake & Alignment in Tyler. He was preceded in death by his Father, Raymond Leonard Cooper, and loved to hunt, fish, competition shooting, raising cattle, and had a passion for buying, selling & trading.

Survived by: Wife: Mrs. Jenny Cooper of Winona

Daughters & Sons-In-law: Jenny & Ted Douglas of Lindale and Misty & Wayne Lyon of Lindale

Mother: Mrs. Bernice Cooper of Lindale

Sisters: Norma Hauk & husband, John of Jacksonville; Hilma Elliott & husband, Tom

of Plano

Twin Sister: Kay Irby & husband, Buddy of Lewisville

Best Friend & Business Partner: Dorman Jennings of Tyler

6 Grandchildren: Ashley, Mindy, Dalton, Ray, Kaitlyn, & Kelsey

Numerous Nieces & Nephews

Pallbearers: Mac Hutchens, Odie Kennedy, R.E. Smith, David Miller, Mike Jennings, Dale Larry, Matt Kerns, & Mike Crist

Honorary Pallbearers: Les Lake, Luke Rutledge, Woody Woodson, Derrell Cooper, Eddie Sandefer, Jim Chancellor, Latif Mehdizadeh, Gene Davis, & Jerry Whiddon

Family will receive friends from 6PM to 8PM on Wednesday evening at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, 1515 Holcombe Blvd, Houston, Tx 77030, or to Hospice of East Texas, 4111 University Blvd, Tyler, Tx 75701

Tribute Wall



“ *Ray Cooper*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Ray Cooper*

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ *Jenny and Family,
Ray is missed and will be for a long time...we think of him every day especially, his morning phone calls while on his way to work. He was a valued friend. His memory will linger and linger... forever.##imported-begin##Doc and Bennie##imported-end##*

November 20, 2009 at 07:27 PM



“ *We will miss the joy and friendship we experienced with Ray. Ray lived a full life and has now gone for eternal rest. God Bless, Eddie & Linda##imported-begin##Eddie & Linda Sandefer##imported-end##*

November 06, 2009 at 02:41 PM



“ Jenny and Family,
It was so sad to hear of lost of Ray. I know he has struggled these past 2yrs,but he was a strong person. I didn't know him that long but I enjoyed talking and laughing with him. He made some great BBQ. I only wish I had know him longer. I am Dale Larey's brother-in-law. Dale I know is taking this very hard. He always let me know how Ray was doing. Our prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Carl George##imported-end##

November 04, 2009 at 05:54 PM



“ Jenny and girls.....We are sorry for the heartache you are experiencing, but rejoice in knowing Ray is at peace.##imported-begin##Judi Staton##imported-end##

November 04, 2009 at 02:33 PM



“ Jenny and Family..
I was so sad to hear of Ray's passing....Many good stories about him...I am a friend of Brenda and Luke Rutledge..##imported-begin##Nell McKee##imported-end##

November 04, 2009 at 11:59 AM



“ We will miss Ray. He was one of a kind. I know he will miss all of his pig gifts too! He had alot of fun whatever he was doing. He loved shooting,his cows,going to auctions,telling jokes,his friends and his family. I know he is telling jokes in heaven right now!##imported-begin##Steve,Janet, Jessica&Monnica Brown##imported-end##

November 04, 2009 at 10:27 AM



“ We will miss Ray very much and his morning calls, Luke will be lost for some time.

Ray... know you have many friends that are grieving. It was an honor to be your friend.##imported-begin##Luke and Bennie Rutledge##imported-end##

November 03, 2009 at 12:50 PM