



## Gerald Owen Cook

March 24, 1935 - February 11, 2022

Gerald Owen Cook, 86, passed away February 11, 2022.

A native of Spartanburg, the son of the late Ottis Owen and Florence Matilda Caldwell Cook; he was a U.S. Army Veteran, a retired Data Processing Manager of Spartan Foods; a member of Nazareth Presbyterian Church and served 32 years on the Spartanburg County School Board – District 5 as well as President of the SC School Board Association.

Surviving are his wife, Jane Snoddy Cook of the home; two sons, Lawrence Cook (Sherry) of Indian Trail, North Carolina and Peden Cook (Donna) of Moore and two grandsons, Trent and Benjamin.

He was also predeceased by one sister, Leo Cook Myers.

A graveside service will be held 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 16, 2022, conducted by Pastor - Reverend Julie Schaaf at Nazareth Presbyterian Church Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Nazareth Presbyterian Church, 680 Nazareth Church Road, Moore, SC 29369.

The family will be at the home.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com).

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

FEB 16. 2:00 PM (ET)

Nazareth Prebyterian Church Cemetery  
680 Nazareth Church Road  
Moore, SC 29369

# Tribute Wall

RE

“ Gerald was a treasure to work with. A true gentleman.

Rick Eitel - February 17, 2022 at 07:09 PM

PY

“ Jane and Family  
I was so sorry to hear of your loss.  
I will keep you all in my prayers, praying for  
Gods comfort and peace.



Patricia Yoder - February 16, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the  
family of Gerald Owen Cook.



February 15, 2022 at 01:51 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the  
family of Gerald Owen Cook.



February 14, 2022 at 10:22 PM

WB

“ Jane - I was so sorry to hear of Gerald's passing. You and the family have my deepest condolences. Please let me know if there is anything I can do for you. I have a conflict at 2:00 on Wednesday but may be able to change it and get to the service.

Wally Barre

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**Wally Barre** - February 14, 2022 at 03:25 PM

CV

“ Gerald was such a wonderful gentleman and a great school board member. He will missed by all who knew him. Love and prayers for his family

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**candi vaughn** - February 14, 2022 at 03:13 PM

TF

“ The Hamson Family purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Gerald Owen Cook.



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**The Hamson Family** - February 14, 2022 at 01:53 PM

KA

“ Outstanding school board member, great father, and super person. He will be missed. Jane, Lawrence, and Peden sending you love and prayers. Kathy Good

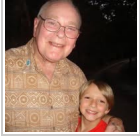
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**KathyGood** - February 13, 2022 at 10:14 PM

LD

“ Gerald was a wonderful man. Praying for Jane and family.  
Lisa and John Dill

Lisa Dill - February 13, 2022 at 07:32 PM



“ Frank Mayfield lit a candle in memory of  
Gerald Owen Cook



Frank Mayfield - February 13, 2022 at 04:43 PM

SC

“ I am sorry to hear of the passing of Mr. Cook. He was a sweet, kind  
man with a friendly personality. I remember Lawrence and Paden so  
well, especially Paden, seeing him with my cousin David. Prayers  
and love to you all.

Shirley Schuff Clopton - February 13, 2022 at 02:05 PM

RL

“ I enjoyed working with him at Reeves, he was a fine man

Richard Lane - February 12, 2022 at 09:27 PM

DH

“ I enjoyed working with Jerry at Spartan Foods for years & know that  
he will be greatly missed. Prayers to the family!  
Debbie Horton

Debbie Horton - February 12, 2022 at 04:31 PM



“ Jane, I am so sorry.



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**Judy Walker** - February 12, 2022 at 02:51 PM