



## Cooper and Alexander Family

January 1, 2016

Carolyn Cooper Quarles, 62, her daughter Kimberly, 34, and husband Tony Alexander, 42, and their two daughters, Brianne, 8, and Emily, 6 of Bryant, Alabama went home to be with their Lord and Savior on January 1, 2016. Carolyn was a homemaker, mother, grandmother and care giver to which she has taken care of her mother for the last 6 years until her passing 3 weeks ago. Kimberly was a wife, mother, home maker and employed at Walmart on Signal Mountain Road. She was a friend to everyone she met and she loved her family. Kim married Tony Alexander whom worked at Fire Brick Engineer Co. He was a husband, father, and great provider for his family. Brianne attended the second grade and Emily attended Kindergarten at Bryant Elementary School. The girls enjoyed going to school, playing, were full of life, and lite up the world with their beautiful smiles, that will be forever remembered. Words cannot express the loss that our family, friends, school, coworkers, and community feel. All five of you will be deeply and forever loved and missed. Gone but never forgotten.

Carolyn was preceded in death by daughter Amanda Quarles, father Lindsey Cooper, mother Mary Louise Cooper, sisters Cynthia Harris, and Linda Sue Cooper.

Kimberly was preceded in death by her sister Amanda Quarles and grandmother Mary Cooper.

Tony was preceded in death by his father Ricky Pressley.

Survivors of Carolyn include her daughter Jennifer Quarles Smith of Rainsville, AL; three grandchildren Ray, Harley, and Alexis Smith all of Trenton, GA; three brothers James and Donna Cooper of Flat Rock, AL, John and Karen Cooper of Bryant, AL; David and June Cooper of Rising Fawn, GA, one sister Vicky and Randy Ridgeway of DuQuoin, IL; also several nieces, nephews, and great nieces, nephews.

Survivors of Kimberly include her Sister Jennifer Quarles Smith, half sister Brenda Lucas, two nephews, one niece, also several aunts, uncles, and many cousins.

Surviving Tony include a son Brandon Alexander of South Pittsburg, TN, mother Faye Faircloth of Ellerbe, NC; one brother Wayne Benfield of Ellerbe, NC; one sister Michelle Duncan of Moore County, NC; aunt Debbie Pressley, and uncle Ray Alexander.

Special thanks to the first responders, fire departments, neighbors, the Bryant Community, those who have donated to the GoFundMe account or to Citizens Bank and Trust in Trenton, GA, to the people that have donated their time or opened their home for a meal that was so graciously prepared.

Thank you to the media for their excellent coverage of our family's loss, to Ryan Funeral Home for their caring and attentive detail with the family and especially with the children, to Jerald Byrum of Scottsboro, AL for digging the grave, and a special thank you to Walmart #3659 employees for the touching tribute to Kimberly Alexander, and most of all, Thank You for the prayers for the family.

Graveside services will be held 2:30 PM EST Saturday January 9, 2016 at Bryant Cemetery located on County Road 266, Bryant, AL 35958 with Rev. Wayne Winters officiating. Family will receive friends from 10 AM until 2 PM EST at Ryan Funeral Home and Crematory, Trenton, GA.

# Cemetery Details

## Bryant Cemetery

Co Rd 266  
Bryant, AL 35958

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 9. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Ryan Funeral Home and Crematory  
11415 S Main St  
PO Box 506  
Trenton, GA 30752  
(706) 657-7525  
steven.ryan@ryanfuneralhome.net  
<https://www.ryanfuneralhome.net/>

## Graveside Service

JAN 9. 2:30 PM (CT)

Bryant Cemetery  
Co Rd 266  
Bryant, AL 35958

# Tribute Wall



“ *Cooper and Alexander Family*

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October 09, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for the lost of these good people i pray that God wraped his loving arms around each one said home home my child they will be deeply missed just get ready to meet them on the other side i pray for peace and comfront for family*

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**Pat Brown** - January 09, 2016 at 11:09 AM



“ *Pat Brown lit a candle in memory of Cooper and Alexander Family*



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**Pat Brown** - January 09, 2016 at 11:06 AM

VH

“ It was indeed my pleasure to have worked with Kim at Walmart for 6 years. She always had a smile, was so helpful and we always had a good laugh about something. Nobody could mess up a cash register sale better than I and she was always there to "rescue" the moment.

I hadn't been in the store for a while and stopped by on Christmas eve. To my delighted surprise, Kim was working the "front" and just happened to be near the register I checked out at. Having wished her a Merry Christmas and good things for the New Year, has made this tragedy even more painful for me.

She touched many lives, and my sincerest condolences go out to both families

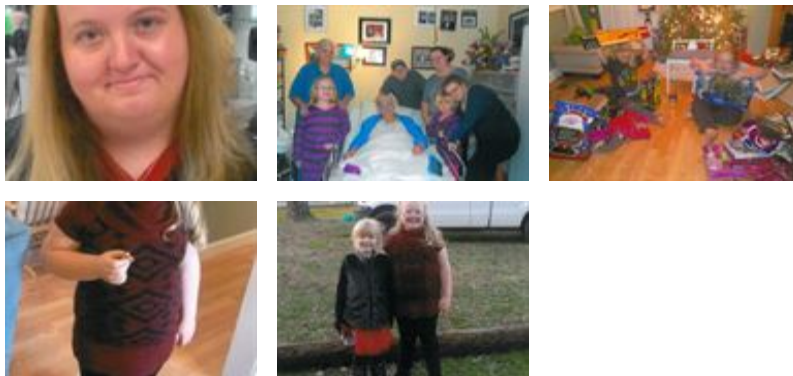
Vivian Hershey

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vivian hershey - January 09, 2016 at 10:37 AM



“ 149 files added to the album LifeTributes



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Ryan Funeral Home - January 09, 2016 at 08:00 AM



“ *Tammy Sarvie sent a virtual gift in memory of Cooper and Alexander Family*



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**Tammy Sarvie** - January 09, 2016 at 07:41 AM



“ *Tammy Sarvie lit a candle in memory of Cooper and Alexander Family*



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**Tammy Sarvie** - January 09, 2016 at 07:40 AM



“ *Prayers for everyone. May they all rest in peace. Meshelle Shadwick and Brandon Alexander*

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**Meshelle Shadwick** - January 08, 2016 at 09:15 PM



“ *Angie Thomas at 3659# purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Cooper and Alexander Family.*



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**Angie Thomas at 3659#** - January 08, 2016 at 03:51 PM

RW

“ *RAMONA WEISS lit a candle in memory of Cooper and Alexander Family*



RAMONA WEISS - January 08, 2016 at 09:41 AM

TC

“ *The Weiss's, The Masterson's, The Wagers, & The Campbells purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Cooper and Alexander Family.*



The Weiss's, The Masterson's, The Wagers, & The Campbells  
- January 08, 2016 at 09:31 AM

KD

“ *Kay Drew lit a candle in memory of Cooper and Alexander Family*



Kay Drew - January 07, 2016 at 04:39 PM



“ *Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cooper and Alexander Family.*



January 07, 2016 at 10:57 AM

NG

“ *Kim, you will be truly missed. Thoroughly enjoyed working with you and laughing about life in general. Prayers to your family and may you and your family RIP.*



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**Nancy Griffith** - January 07, 2016 at 10:16 AM

GH

“ *Prayed for comfort and strength for the family and friends. JESUS TAKE THE WHEEL. He will lead you and guide you day by day.*

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**Gail Hendrix** - January 07, 2016 at 09:20 AM

JD

“ *Julie Daniel lit a candle in memory of Cooper and Alexander Family*



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**Julie Daniel** - January 07, 2016 at 05:40 AM

JU

“ *Kim u and ur family will be deeply miss*



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**Julianna** - January 07, 2016 at 05:38 AM



“ *Margaret McGill lit a candle in memory of Cooper and Alexander Family*



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**Margaret McGill** - January 07, 2016 at 02:46 AM

RG

“ *Brianne and Emily were precious and sweet girls. Their smiles would light up a room . They made friends with everybody they were around.I enjoyed having both of them in my room and will always remember and love them.*

*Love,  
Mrs. Renee*

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**renee godsby** - January 06, 2016 at 07:07 PM