



## Cordia Pallie Cooper

July 8, 1928 - December 27, 2014

Cordia Pallie Gossett Cooper, age 86, of Rising Fawn, GA died on Saturday, December 27, 2014. Pallie was the beloved wife of Jeril R. Cooper, Jr., and mother of Jerry, O.P. and Crystal Dawn Cooper. A faithful member of the Rising Fawn United Methodist Church, Pallie especially enjoyed singing in the choir. She was known for her gentle spirit, her love of family, and as an extraordinary cook in the southern tradition. Pallie combined her life as wife and mother with working in the family's grocery and gas business, Cooper & Smith. For several years Pallie volunteered as coach of the girls basketball teams at Rising Fawn School. She was caregiver to her mother, Bonnie Dean Gossett, and to her in-laws, J.R. Cooper, Sr., and Lena Wallin Cooper, in their final years. Pallie was preceded in death by her daughter, Crystal, in 1988, and by her husband, Jeril, in 2002. She is survived by her sister, Martha Lee Gossett Smith (husband, Glenn); sons Jeril R. Cooper, III (wife, Debbie) and O.P. Cooper (wife, Devonne); grandchildren Randy Cooper (wife, Emily), Julie Cooper Floyd (husband, Rusty), Bonnie Cooper Chappell (husband, Michael), Lanta Cooper Carroll (husband, Matt), William Cooper, and Caroline Cooper; and great-grandchildren, Clay, Bo, and Callie Cooper, and Andrew, Kathlena, and Lucy Chappell. Memorial gifts may be made to the Rising Fawn United Methodist Church. Funeral services will be held 4 PM Wednesday, December 31, 2014 at Rising Fawn United Methodist Church. Family will receive friends 4 PM until 9 PM Tuesday at Ryan Funeral Home and one hour prior to service Wednesday at the church. Interment will follow in Hanna Cemetery. Pallbearers are Alan, Steven and Brian Smith (nephews), Freddie Bradford, Ted Rumley, and Roger Woodyard. Honorary pallbearers are Russell Brown, William Brown, Jiles Dean, Jackie Smith, and George Wilson. Arrangements by Ryan Funeral Home, Trenton, GA.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Cordia Pallie Cooper*

October 09, 2023 at 03:12 AM

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“ *Dear Cooper Family, Don and I were so sorry to hear about your loss. We are praying for peace for the family.*  
*Cherie Swader*

**Cherie Swader** - January 01, 2015 at 02:18 PM

FM

“ *So sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you and your family.*

**Faye McCreary** - December 30, 2014 at 06:16 PM

MA

“ *Christian sympathy to the Cooper family. Ms. Cooper will remain a fond memory in all of the lives she touched. Love and prayers go to all of you in the coming days. Mike*

**Mike and Rebecca Aiken** - December 30, 2014 at 04:14 PM

MB

“ *Jerry, OP, & Family....So sorry to hear of your sweet Mothers passing....she was fun, loving & always smiling...an inspiration to me, as to what a lady should be...I know y'all are heartbroken and will be lost without her...cherish all the Memories of being together....& know that she always loved you...Praying for strength and comfort as you go through this sad time...Love Martha*

**Martha West Bradford** - December 29, 2014 at 06:53 PM