

Gerald Cooke

November 19, 1936 - August 29, 2018

Gerald L. Cooke, 81, of Fairborn passed away on Wednesday, August 29, 2018. He passed at home, peacefully in his sleep, after a lengthy battle with dementia. He was born November 19, 1936 in Springfield to the late Norman and Olive Cooke. Gerald retired from Navistar after 41 years of dedicated service and he was also an Army Guard Veteran. Gerald is survived by his wife of 51 years, Karen Cooke; two daughters and a son-in-law: Kelly and Michael Wilson of Springfield and Krista Rice of New Carlisle; six grandchildren: Mallory, Caleb, Tyler, Zachary, Cody, and Clare (who he faithfully followed through all of their years in sports), as well as numerous friends and extended family. He was preceded in death by his parents and an infant son, Jeffery. A funeral service will be conducted on Friday, August 31, 2018 at 1:00 PM in Adkins Funeral Home, Enon. Minister Scott Spencer will be officiating the service. Burial will immediately follow the service in the Enon Cemetery. A visitation will be held 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM on Friday, prior to the service, in the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Muscular Dystrophy Association at <https://www.mda.org/>

Cemetery Details

Enon Cemetery

6013 Dayton Springfield Rd
Springfield, OH 45502
(937) 864-2881

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 31. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Funeral Home
7055 Dayton Road
Enon, OH 45323
(937) 864-2288

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Adkins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Gerald Cooke



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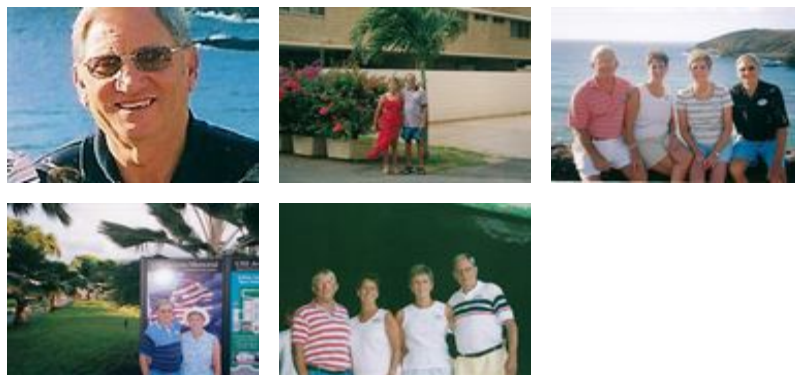
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“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gerald Cooke.*



August 30, 2018 at 09:58 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gerald Cooke.*



August 30, 2018 at 09:24 AM