



Mrs. Bobbette Jean Cook

June 20, 1934 - January 12, 2021

In Loving Memory Of:

Bobbette Jean Carey-Cook was born on June 20, 1934. She was the younger child of Eugene and Marion Carey. She was preceded in death by the love of her life, her husband, George W. Cook.

Bobbette attended Northwestern High School in Detroit where she became an avid tennis player. Upon graduation, Bobbette attended Wayne State University.

One day while roller skating, which was one of the many things she loved to do, she met the love of her life, George Cook. Bobbette and George were married for 65 years and from that union they had two kids, Daryl and Cheryl. Bobbette Cook was a very smart and hard working Lady. She retired from United Airlines after 25 years of service.

In 1970, Bobbette and George made history when they purchased their first Baskin Robbins 31 Flavors Ice Cream Store becoming the first black owners of the franchise. A few years later they bought a party store and called it, Cook's Corner. Shortly after they purchased another Baskin Robbins on the Avenue of Fashion. They stayed in business for over 40 years.

Bobbette was a loved and respected wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt, and friend. She loved to travel the world, shop, and spend time with her family. She would frequent places like the cider mill, Belle Isle, and the casino.

Bobbette loved the Lord and belonged to New Prospect Baptist Church under

the leadership of the late Rev. Dr. Wilma R. Johnson.

Bobbette was also a member of The Charity Assembly #38 Order of The Golden Circle.

Cemetery Details

Detroit Memorial Park East

4280 East 13 Mile Road
Warren, MI 48092

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Bobbette Jean Cook*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *I met Bobbette and Priscilla over 70 years ago when I first attended McMichael Intermediate School and we became very close at Northwestern High.*

Throughout the years, we would recall and laugh at how we could not go to dances or parties unless one of their parents drove us. My high school years would not have been so enjoyable had it not been for the Careys. Mr or Mrs Carey would drive from Moore Place where they lived all the way to Hazlett where I lived to pick me up and drop me off.

Our husband's George and Albert got along very well and the four of us were very close throughout the years. I don't have to tell you what a sweet and friendly person she was; if you knew Bobbette then you liked her.

Bob and I often spoke of how blessed she was to have such a devoted daughter in Cheryl. Cheryl, thank you for taking such good care of my best friend.

Verne Chennault

Verne Chennault - January 23, 2021 at 09:44 AM

GT

As i recall all of the blessing s that God has given me ,friendship always tops my list and one name always radiates thru.I remember as a small child going 2 Sampson school seeing Bob on Milford st.,never imagining that she was a part of my destiny!A true sisterhood was on the way and it lasts forever and a day.

Gloryce j.Troup

Gloryce Troup - January 23, 2021 at 10:59 AM

GT

*To Cheryl and family
May our God continue 2 keep u strongly n his care.May all your tears be tears of thanks for giving u a mom such as Bob and a Dad such a George!
How blessed u guys are!*

Gloryce Troup - January 23, 2021 at 11:04 AM

BC

“ I was blessed to grow up with the love, support, and encouragement of my parents and their friends (like the Cooks), my grandparents, aunts and uncles, and the parents of my neighborhood friends. And even in the midst of all that love and support and there was a lot of it, Bobbette stood out. She always made me feel special and for that she holds a special place in my heart.

Bret

Bret R Chennault - January 23, 2021 at 09:39 AM

GT

Very nice commentary, She put the F in friendship was always loyal and was easy to know and love.

Gloryce Troup - February 04, 2023 at 08:04 PM



“ *To the family of Bobbett Cook,*

My sincere condolences to each of you. I worked with Bobbett at United Airline. The world has loss a sweet Soul. May you find comfort in the Holy Scriptures until you see Bobbette again.

May The Lord wrap His loving arms around each you. May He give you peace, comfort and strength.

Remember Love never dies. Bobbette will live on in your hearts until you see her again.

God bless you all.

With the Love of Christ,

Connie Covington

Connie Covington - January 22, 2021 at 01:05 PM



“ *A woman of strength beauty and pride for all.. i can still hear her call my name everytime we visited Shantell come on in here and help me cook...i love you Bobbette xoxo*

Shantell - January 22, 2021 at 12:27 PM

MC

“ I cannot begin to express how much Mrs. Cook meant to my life.

She is part of my earliest memories and she (and the Cook family) seems to have been present in some of the happiest moments from my early childhood. Mrs. Cook was my first crush (at 3 years old) and remained one of my mother's closest friends for life.

I know that Heaven is filled with her gregariousness and laughter today.

Marc Chennault

Marc Chennault - January 22, 2021 at 12:13 PM

VS

“ Cheryl & Family, “Heaven has another Angel”...your mother, Bobbette Coob. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers. Your parents left a rich Legacy for many; I am so grateful for their love, kindness, and generosity they shared with me during our time as Franchises at Baskin-Robbins and so many more during their lifetime. Be Encouraged and know that God is with all of you. With all of my Love, I remain, Velma C. Sanford

Velma C. Sanford - January 22, 2021 at 11:21 AM

SM

“ There are so many memories. Wishing we were there to support the family in this difficult time. Will love and miss you. XOX
The Morris Family

Stephanie Morris - January 22, 2021 at 08:43 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Bobbette Jean Cook.*



January 20, 2021 at 02:37 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Bobbette Jean Cook.*



January 20, 2021 at 09:15 AM



“ *We know this must be a very difficult and demanding time for your family. Continue to rely on God and know that he hears your prayers, because he cares for you. Thinking of you all.*

Evans family - January 20, 2021 at 04:58 AM



“ *Our condolences to the family. May your memories console you and may God sustain you with his precious promise to someday soon reunite us with our love one. With caring thoughts.*

Evans family - January 20, 2021 at 04:56 AM