

A Time To Remember



Amos Everett Cooke

Sunrise: March 14, 1958

Sunset: July 13, 2021

Sacramento Memorial Lawn

6100 Stockton Blvd

Sacramento, CA 95824

Pastor Anthony R. Sadler, Officiating

July 23, 2021 - 10:00 A.M.

Reflections of Life

Amos Everett Cooke was born on March 14, 1958 in Sacramento, California. He was one of four sons of parents Rev. Willie P. Cooke and Sis. Alveda Cooke.

Amos accepted Christ and was baptized at five years' old. He was very active in Shiloh Baptist Church where he grew up under the pastorate of his late father, Rev. Willie P. Cooke. He served on the youth usher board, was a member of the children's choir, the young adult choir and the male chorus. He sang in the Sacramento Community Gospel Choir and was also a member of the Duane Kennedy Singers. He was so looking forward to returning to church and the male chorus which he loved.

Amos attended Hollywood Park Elementary School, Caleb Greenwood Elementary School, Saint Francis Middle School, Christian Brothers High School, and Sacramento City College. He liked many sports and was an avid baseball player in little league and high school. He retired from American River College after 27 years of service.

Amos was a caring and concerned son for his mother and father. The older he became, the more energy he put into seeing about them. He would say he had the best mama and daddy in the world, even though mama was the whipper and daddy was the calming effect.

Amos and Cathy Walker were married in 1986. To this union, Sean Everett Cooke was born. Sean was Amos' pride and joy. They had a very close father and son relationship and were tied at the heart and hip. They would spend hours talking about movies, sports and life in general. Sean often enjoyed his favorite foods that Amos would prepare for him during their times together.

Sean is an only child but had many honorary brothers; as Amos became a father figure to many of Sean's friends. Not only hosting countless sleep overs, but also coaching them while they competed and traveled with the AAU basketball team he organized. Sean was a dedicated and loving son that his father knew he could always depend on.

Amos' current pastor, Rev. Anthony Sadler, was also someone he considered a real brother. From their youth throughout their adulthood, their brotherhood grew stronger, knowing they could lean on each other in times of need.

During his time in the hospital and care facilities, Amos ministered and encouraged many others from his bed and wheelchair. He said he had learned a lot along life's way, and just wanted to live a life being led by God.

Amos is preceded in death by his father Rev. Willie P. Cooke, and his brother Willie H. Cooke. He is survived by his mother Alveda Cooke, his son Sean Cooke, and Sean's mother Cathy W. Cooke; two brothers; Kenneth Cooke and David Cooke; three sister-in-laws: Deoris Cooke, Denise Jefferson and Nicole Causey; four nieces; Myshawn C. Cooke, Aletta R. Cooke, Nadeia Causey and Deidra Jefferson; five nephews; Brandon Jefferson, D. Bernard Causey, Jr., Avery Jefferson, Maurice Causey and Virgil McClendon.

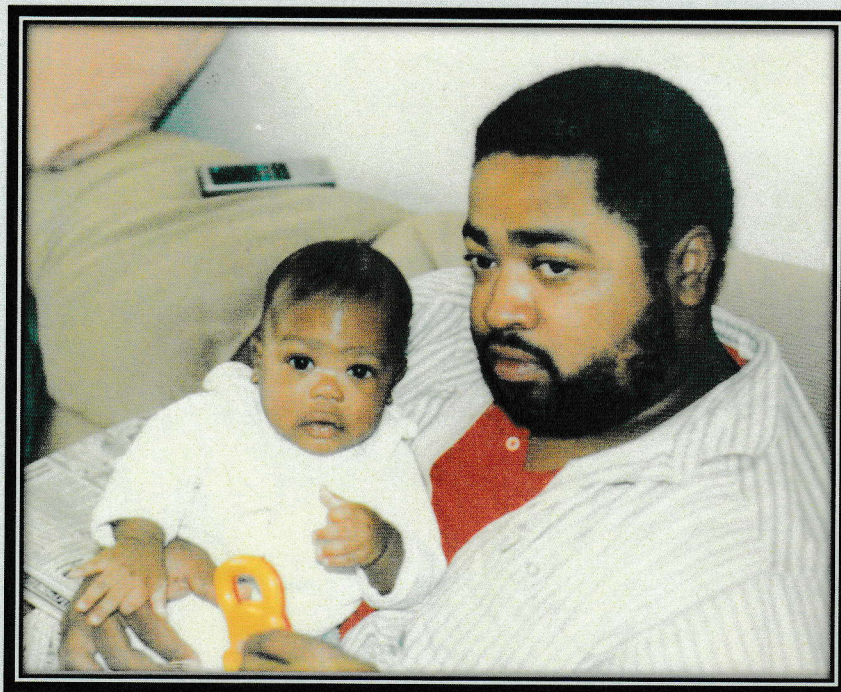
He also leaves to mourn many other loving family members, dear friends and church family who kept him lifted up in prayer and loved him so much. Amos is already so greatly missed. He will always be loved and never forgotten.

Order of Service



Officiating Minister		Pastor Anthony R. Sadler
Old Testament	Psalms 23: 1-6	Minister Samuel L. Jackson
New Testament	Psalms 91: 1-7	Rev. Charles Johnson
Prayer		Bishop Parnell Lovelace Jr.
Song	May The Work I've Done Speak For Me	Sis. Regina Finney
Acknowledgements/Condolences		Sis. U'Von Ash-Roberson
Resolution(s)		Sis. Raynett Young
Song	Jesus You're The Center of My Joy	Sis. Regina Finney
Obituary		Read Silently
Special Reflections	Minister Preston Harris (Co-Worker) Deacon Clifton West III (Church) David Gau (Friend)	
Family & Friends Remarks		2 minutes please
Eulogy		Pastor Anthony R. Sadler
Closing Prayer		





APPRECIATION

Your love and prayers will continue to sustain us through this trying time. To our Pastor, church family, family and friends, your steadfast love and prayers kept Amos encouraged and lifted up. Special thanks to two of his dear friends and supervisors Laduan Smedley and Preston Harris. Your help and prayers made a difficult situation as pleasant as possible for Amos. Also, to all those at Woodside Health Care Center and Kaiser Morse for providing such great care to Amos. We have been strengthened by your prayers and unselfish devotions. To all of you, we are, and will always be grateful. We thank the Lord for each and every one of you.

The Cooke Family

PALLBEARERS

Deacon Lonnie Buck	Milton Macklin	Jason McDonald	Alfred Ray
Deacon Melvin Sharpe	Daniel Thomas	David Thomas	Jalen Waite
	Lamont Wilson	Delton Wingfield	

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

D. Bernard Causey, Jr.	Maurice Causey	Carl Gibbons
Avery Jefferson	Brandon Jefferson	Irvin Thompson, Jr.
Shiloh Baptist Church Male Chorus	Shiloh Baptist Church Deacons	

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