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NEWARK: Bonnie J. Cooper, 80 of Newark passed away Thursday afternoon, November 8, 2012 at Flint Ridge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newark.

Mrs. Cooper was born April 14, 1932 in Zanesville to the late Jay and Elsie (Slyder) Bogard. A Methodist by faith, Mrs. Cooper was a member of Christ United Methodist Church. She was a graduate of Lash High School and Ohio University. She was a teacher for many years with Newark City Schools.

Survivors include her daughters, Cathie (Dave) Hamann of Batavia, Jennifer Hupp of Heath; a son, Gregory Cooper of Lancaster; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Cooper was preceded in death by a son, Matthew Cooper in 1994; and a grandchild.

A memorial gathering to celebrate the life of Mrs. Cooper will be from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Sunday, November 18, 2012 at the NEWARK CHAPEL of VENSIL & CHUTE FUNERAL HOME, 1850 W. Main Street, Newark.



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CH

Cathie Hamann posted:

Mom, You will always be in my heart

November 4 at 9:32 AM

RT

Ruby Hockman/Thornton posted:

ms cooper was one of my elm teach at central.. you will be truly missed my thoughts and prayers go out to the family

November 22 at 10:39 AM

SH

Sherry Cooper-Hysell posted:

BONNIE WAS MY SIXTH GRADE TEACHER AT CENTRAL ELEM. SHE TRUELY CARED FOR HER STUDENTS. SHE ALWAYS MADE ME FEEL SPECIAL BECAUSE WE HAD THE SAME LAST NAME. I USE TO GET ASKED ALL THE TIME IF WE WERE RELATED. MY PRAYERS ARE WITH HER FAMILY DURING THE HOLIDAYS.

November 20 at 6:29 AM



Anonymous posted:

I just learned of Mrs Cooper's passing. She was my all time favorite teacher. She was my 5th grade teacher in "72". She always had extra time for those of us that maybe didn't have an easy home life. She gave me some of the best advice that I still remember. She definitely knew the art of teaching and left an impression on so many of us.

November 19 at 5:41 PM

JH

Jennifer Hupp posted:

Mom,As I look back on our life together, I see only the good. Even though our closeness brought ruffled feathers and hurt feelings, we always forgave and understood each other. I will be forever grateful for the love and discipline you gave me. My respect for you is immeasurable and my love unconditional. Take care of Dad and keep a place open for me in that motor home in the sky!!! Miss you both so very much.Jenny

November 19 at 2:02 PM



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BB

Beth Brooks posted:

Mrs. Cooper was my sixth grade teacher at Central Elementary in the sixties. One day, she let the class cook breakfast - - she showed us how to make scrambled eggs in an electric skillet. I will never forget that - - it left such an impression on me. I remember going home and wanting to make scrambled eggs for my family. It was probably my first experience at cooking something independently. I still love to cook and have moved on from scrambled eggs, but I've got to believe that that experience planted a seed with me.

November 19 at 3:54 AM

KR

Kristie Richards Rowland posted:

Jenn, and Tabby,I'm so sorry to hear about Bonnie passing away my family will keep your family in our thoughts and prayers. May god be with you and your family in your time of need

November 18 at 6:23 PM

TS

Thomas Shanks posted:

In loving memory of a wonderful person. We will love you and miss you always.

November 18 at 4:17 PM

MR

Monica Rollison posted:

In loving memory of a wonderful person. We will love you and miss you always.

November 18 at 3:28 PM

MG

Mary Ann Grady posted:

Oh Bonnie Cooper!!!What a joy you were. When I first starting teaching 25 years ago (in what almost everyone thought would be my first and last year)you and the rest of the Central staff became my biggest cheerleaders. You were a marvel, in and out of the classroom. You were most certainly welcomed into Heaven to the sound of applause....job well done good and faithful servant. Job well done.

November 18 at 2:01 PM



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DV

Donn And Pat Vermilion posted:

Jenn and Tabby, I just read of your mom and grandmothers passing. We are so sorry for your loss. She was a great person and will be missed. God Bless You!

November 18 at 5:59 AM

JL

Jay & Lee Lucas posted:

Jenny, Cathy, Greg - Sorry to hear about your mom's passing. I can remember many many memories of her. From camping at Dillon Dam, Playing cards, Board games (which was always very loud) to laughing at my dad tell his dumd JC Penney joke and many, many more. She was a big part of my memories growing up. She will be missed but not forgotten.

November 18 at 2:50 AM



Anonymous posted:

Greg,Kathy,and Jennifer... So sorry to hear of your moms passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this sad time. We knew Bonnie for years, she was a good friend to our mom, Fern and our stepdad Creed Newlon. We remember her as a very special lady, and a friend to all of us. She will be missed. God bless you all. Pam Holman and Paula Stimel.

November 17 at 1:33 PM



Anonymous posted:

I'm shocked to hear about the passing of Mrs.Cooper she was my teacher when i was in 5th grade at Central she was a nice lady and very kind,sorry to hear of her passing i know the feeling of loosing a loved one we recently lost our father.god bless her in heaven and her whole family.Tina

November 17 at 10:23 AM

RM

Robin Queen-Morgan posted:

Sorry to hear of the passing of our wonderful Mrs. Cooper. She had a dynamic personally and was an inspiring woman. She was my fifth grade teacher at Central Elementary in 1975. I will always have a smile on my face when I think of Mrs. Cooper.

November 16 at 5:06 PM



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JW

Jennifer Nutter-Wilson posted:

Je nny, Sorry for your loss. Your mom was a great teacher and person. She taught me many thing I still remember today. Beautiful picture.

November 16 at 2:03 PM

CT

Cathy Tangey posted:

So sorry to hear of Mrs. Cooper's passing. I had her for 6th grade and my son had her for 5th grade along with Mrs. Mason. She always knew how to bring out the best in her students. My prayers are with her family during this difficult time.

November 16 at 12:19 PM

DT

Daphne (Coe) Trost posted:

Jeni - I'm so sorry to hear about the passing of your mom. She was such nice lady. I have great memories of our camping trips and the kindness that she always showed me.

November 16 at 5:25 AM

RQ

Ronda Queen posted:

Mrs. Cooper was my 6th grade split class teacher. After 6th grade she asked me to help with Head Start in the summer. She was amazing with those little kids. Bonnie often had Jenny in tow wherever she went. She was a loving woman who was not afraid to show you who she was. I loved to hear her big laugh! My thought are with her kids and loved ones, I wish you comfort during this difficult time.

November 15 at 7:38 PM



Anonymous posted:

Jenny I remember your Mom from years ago when you were just a little girl on Monroe Ave. in the apartment 25 Apt. A so sorry to hear about ityou are in my prayers Marilyn

November 15 at 6:16 PM



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JH

James Haynes posted:

She was a 4th grade teacher with Mrs Mason at Central Elementary. She was a strong and inspiring person.

November 15 at 4:18 PM

FK

Felicia Kinney- Knapp posted:

Mrs. Cooper was my 5th grade teacher along with Mrs. Mason at Central Intermediate. She was a great teacher and mentor. She really left a legacy in my life. She even said hello to me when she would see me in public for a long time after I left Central and even after I graduated. She helped me understand math. And taught me how to respect handwriting and spelling. Thank you to her family for letting her change or lives also.

November 15 at 2:14 PM

FK

Felicia Kinney- Knapp posted:

Mrs. Cooper was my 5th grade teacher along with Mrs. Mason at Central Intermediate in the 80's. She taught me a great deal about math and really encouraged me to be a better person. She loved my hand writing. I think that is why I slant my paper to this day. I love to write and love to write neatly. Thank you all as her family for letting her encourage my life. She left a legacy.

November 15 at 2:04 PM

FL

Flossie Luther posted:

I was one of Mrs. Coopers 5th grade students at Central, She was a great teacher & touch many minds. My prayers are with your family at this time of your loss

November 15 at 1:45 PM

BS

Bert & Gail Slate posted:

Mrs. Cooper was my husband and I six grade teacher at Central. She was our favorite. We would see her now & then, she sent a anniversary card for our 25th with a precious note. Im pretty sure our daughter had her too. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. May God bless you thru this time. She was a wonderful person!

November 15 at 12:57 PM



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MF

Michelle Broceus-Foster posted:

To Mrs. Coopers family. You were blessed with a wonderful spirit. Mrs. Cooper was my teacher in elementary school. I was new and had very few friends and had many cry days. Your Mom stayed positive for me and gave me encouragement to hang in there and things would get better. Thank You for sharing this beautiful spirit with others.

November 15 at 11:56 AM



Anonymous posted:

I also was a student O Mrs. Cooper one of those teachers that you never forget!! R.I.P Mrs. Cooper everyone will miss u very much!

November 15 at 9:40 AM

DB

Donnie Ballwick posted:

Mrs. Cooper was my 5th grade teacher at Central Elementary in the late 70's. She was one of my favorite teachers. Thoughts and prayers to her family.

November 15 at 9:37 AM

CS

Christina Smith posted:

My deepest sympathy to Mrs. Cooper family and friends. She was also a teacher of mine growing up at Central.

November 15 at 9:08 AM

DG

Delmar Grady posted:

So sorry to hear that she passed away! She was my fifth grade teacher at Central Elem. in the mid 70's. Loved her

November 15 at 7:47 AM

RC

Rob Cunningham posted:

So sorry to hear of her passing. She was my 5th grade teacher at Central Elem. in 1974. She was also my favorite teacher. My condolences to her family.

November 15 at 6:14 AM



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GH

Gladys & Eugene Haney posted:

Jenny & Tabby so sorry to hear of Bonnie's passing. She was a live wire with a great voice. Our prayers are with the 2 of you and we all know that she is singing "all over God's heaven"

November 15 at 4:32 AM



Anonymous posted:

To Bonnie's Family, I was so sorry to hear of her passing, I remember her as a wonderful Teacher and Friend at Central. I enjoyed the time I spent at Central Intermediate with her. Beverly Robinson

November 15 at 4:06 AM

MJ

Mary Jane posted:

Memories she left in many of her students. I remember how hard she wroked to get Head Start up and running. She would pick some of the little onse up in her little blue car.

November 15 at 3:43 AM



Anonymous posted:

Jenn, Tabby and family thinking of you at a difficult time. I remember the good times with her and how she was willing to tutor Wesley after school. Love to you all. Connie, Janie and Wesley

November 15 at 2:32 AM

MM

Margaret And Bob Miller posted:

Jennifer so sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. She is now singing in the Lord's choir of Angels.

November 15 at 2:08 AM

TD

Tina Dalzell posted:

She was my favorite teacher at Central Elementary...She will live on in the hearts of people who loved her...Prayers to the ones left behind.

November 14 at 7:45 PM



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BL

Beth Lewis posted:

Jenn and Tabby - I'm so sorry to hear of Bonnie's passing. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. I loved sitting next to Bonnie in choir.

November 13 at 5:06 PM

JB

John Bogard posted:

Aunt Bonnie was the "live-wire" of her family. The memories will always be precious.

November 12 at 6:12 PM

CA

Cathie posted:

Mom Remembering all the fun times we had. You are deeply loved and will be missed by all your friends and family.

November 12 at 3:49 PM

CA

Cathie posted:

Mom, So hard to say goodbye. You will be forever loved..

November 12 at 2:38 PM

JH

Jody Holstein posted:

Jennifer: You and all your family are in our thoughts. Thank you for the privilege of caring for Bonnie. Warmly, Jody Holstein (Generation Hospice).

November 12 at 3:28 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Bonnie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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