



*David Cook*

**May 19, 1952 - May 3, 2026**

David Cook, 73, of Morganton, NC, passed away Sunday, May 3, 2026.

Born in Burke County, NC on May 19, 1952, he was the son of the late Clemmie Alvin Cook and Florence Trudy Smith Cook.

David was a member of Walkers Chapel Baptist Church. He loved fishing and being outdoors, and he enjoyed riding around and seeing new places. David loved being around family and friends, and his daughter was his world. He also loved spoiling his dogs and animals.

Those left to cherish his memory include his daughter, Katie Cook; siblings, Bobby Gene Cook, Sr. (Kay) and Brenda Cook Brackett; niece, Teresa Cook (Shawn); nephews, Bobby Gene Cook, Jr., Darrell Ray Cook, and Adam Smith (Emily); brother-in-law, Frank Tallent; and a number great-nieces, great-nephews, and extended family.

In addition to his parents, David was preceded in death by his wife, Susie Cook; brother, Johnny Ray Cook (Susan); sister, Merle Tallent; infant-sister, Linda Jane Cook; and brother-in-law, Butch Brackett.

The family will receive friends from 1 to 2 p.m., Friday, May 8, 2026 at Sossoman Funeral Home. The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. in the Colonial Chapel of the funeral

home with Rev. Danny McNeily and Rev. Keith Fulbright officiating. Burial will follow in Walkers Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Sossoman Funeral Home to assist with expenses.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



Katie, I'm so sorry for your loss. Both your parents were precious people. They are together now in Heaven If you need anything, we're just a stones throw down the road.  
Many Prayers, Lisa

–Lisa Reeves



So sorry to hear about David's passing, the family will be in my thoughts and prayers, he was a good buddy in our younger days.

–Terry Church

Katie we are so saddened to hear of your dad's passing. He was special person and friend. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. May God bless and give you strength. John and Brenda Kayga

–Brenda Kayga

Katie, I am so very very sorry for the loss of your Dad. I know you and he have been each other's world since the loss of your sweet Mama. Please know you are in the thoughts and prayers of so many during this difficult time. Your , and your family have always been special to Walker's Chapel Baptist Church. With love and sympathy, Guinn Huffman

–GUINN HUFFMAN



I loved your family. I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your dad. He and I had many talks and your mom when I lived below yall. I am praying for you during this difficult time to find peace and comfort. Love you Katie.



Katie my heart hurts for you and have been praying for you and the family I loved David Susie and you dearly If you need anyone to talk to or anything let me know I love you

–Janice Brown



I love you Katie and will be praying for you. Reach out if you need me.

–Kelly



For the family I am so terribly sorry for your loss. I pray that you can grieve in the best way and always remember his wonderful memory. My prayers are with you.

–Heather & Jaxson Dula

Katie sorry to hear that

–Lee Hughes

I am so so for your loss. Your parents were such sweet people. Praying for you.

Julia Olin

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