

*In Loving Memory of*



*Ronald 'Omar' Cook*

*December 13, 1961 - November 13, 2021*

*Wednesday, November 17, 2021 - 10:00 am*

**Firdous Funeral Home**  
*579 Grove Street, Irvington, New Jersey*  
*Imam Aquil Mateer*

# Obituary

**Ronald Cook (Omar)** was born in Newark, New Jersey, on December 13, 1961, to the late Leroy John Cook and the late Viola Willa Cook King.

As a child Ronald (Omar) found great pleasure in playing football in school. He was educated in Newark, NJ at St Ann's Catholic School on So 7th Street after graduating from 8th grade. He went to Essex Catholic High School.

Ronald (Omar) worked at General Motors in Linden, NJ. After his department shut down he started working at Cooper's on Orange Street making the juiciest sandwiches. Also he worked at a pizza shop in downtown Newark.

Ronald (Omar) was predeceased in death by his father Leroy John Cook, his mother Viola Willa Cook King, his sisters Doreen Caldwell and Robin Montaque and his brother Wayne Taison Cook. A special aunt Gladys Hall, special uncle Osman Sharif and his grandparents.

Omar leaves to cherish his memory his stepfather Walter W. King, his sisters Valerie D. Cook, Kori King, brother Walter W. King, III, his nephew Tyrone E. Cook (Santia Shaw-Cook), two special cousins Safiyyah Sharif and Sharon Strickland, a Goddaughter Naimah Anderson-Rawles and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins, other friends and relatives.

# Ad-Dhuha

In the name of Allah, the Beneficent the Merciful

By the morning hours

And by the night when it is stillest

Thy Lord hath not forsaken thee nor doth he hate thee

And verily the latter portion will be better for thee than the former

And verily thy Lord will give unto thee so that thou wilt be content

Did He not find thee an orphan and protect (thee)

Did He not find thee wandering and direct (thee)

Did He not find thee destitute and enrich (thee)?'

Therefore the orphan oppress not

Therefore the beggar drive not away

Therefore of the bounty of thy Lord be thy discourse

## **Interment**

Rosehill Cemetery  
Linden, New Jersey

# The Opening

*In the name of Allah, the  
Beneficent, the Most Merciful,  
Praise be to Allah,  
the Lord of the worlds;  
The all Merciful, the ever  
Merciful, The Possessor of the  
Day of Judgement. You only we  
Worship and only Your help we  
Seek. Guide us to the straight  
path; the path of those whom  
you bestowed your grace and  
mercy and not of those  
who encourage your wrath.*

## Acknowledgements

*The family would like to express their deep  
appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness  
shown to them during their time of bereavement.*

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