

*Obituaries*

**Michael  
Ford  
aka:  
Fresno**

**Sunrise: May 16, 1971  
Sunset: Aug. 27, 2010**



**‘Moma Lou’  
Loved by Many**

**Linda Cooper**

Funeral services for Linda Cooper, who died Aug. 16, 2010, were held Aug. 23 at Solid Rock Church of God in Christ in northeast Portland.

She was born June 5, 1944 in Lawton, Okla., to O.D. and Leola Seamster. She graduated from Douglas High School in Lawton.

Linda was known as "Moma Lou" to many. She loved to celebrate her birthday in a big way and would challenge her sons on who could collect the most money at their party. Of course being Moma Lou, she always won the bet.

Her laughter and personality could brighten any room. Her presence will be

greatly missed by all who knew her. But God loved her best.

Her parents preceded her in death. She leaves to cherish her memory, five sons, Thomas Earl Cooper, Rodney Lavon Cooper, Albert Lavon Cooper (Robin), Edward Ray Cooper (Leashell) and Kevin Len Cooper (Julia), all of Portland; a daughter, Lola Janette Larkins (Larry) of Inglewood, Calif.; two sisters, Lottie Hopkins (Bishop Hopkins) of Vancouver, and Joyce Seamster of Portland; three brothers, Richard Seamster, Ray Seamster and Mike Seamster (Deborah), all of Portland; 18 grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends that loved her dearly.

Arrangements by Neal's Compassionate Heart Funeral Home.

**In Loving Memory**

**Tyrone Mullen**

Services for Tyrone Mullen, who died Aug. 8, 2010, were held Aug. 17 at the Calvary Christian Center.

He was born Aug. 11, 1971 in Portland, to Percy and Christa Bell Mullen. While growing up, he attended Williams Temple Church of God in Christ. He attended Faubion Elementary School, Whitaker Middle School and later graduated from Madison High School with the class of 1989.

Tyrone played football but grew to love wrestling, which became his sport throughout his high school years, receiving several metals. He competed both off and on the mat, in fact he enjoyed wrestling up until the day of his passing, in hopes to one day coach. In the fall, he was



planning to attend Portland Community College to become a personal trainer.

Recently he was employed by Tazo Tea where he was proud to be working and spoke highly of being employed there.

Tyrone leaves to cherish his memory his son, Christopher James "CJ" Blaser, his

daughter, Tajanae Nicole Mullen; a sister, Serena Mullen and her fiancé' Richie Jones; his companion of many years and the mother of his daughter and unborn child on the way,

Cassandra Jackson; and other relatives and friends who will miss him dearly.

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