



James "Jim" A. Wood

November 9, 1943 - August 30, 2018

Mr. James "Jim" A. Wood, 74, met his Lord and Savior on August 30, 2018 at his home surrounded by his loved ones.

He was born on November 9, 1943 in Alton, Illinois to Hugh A. Wood and Virginia M. Peterson Wood. He was a graduate of Louisiana High School in 1961. Following graduation, he served with the US Army in Schwabish Hall, Germany from 1965 to 1967. After returning from Germany, he married the love of his life, Rebecca A. Muff on November 17, 1967. They were married 50 years this past November.

Jim was a member of Local 513 for 56 years. He was a certified crane operator. He was a lifetime member of the American Legion Post 370 participating with the Color Guard and past Commander of Post. He was a member the Elmwood Community Church, served on the Louisiana, City Council from 2012 to 2015, and a member of the ELKS Lodge for 41 years. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a sister, Sharon Wood Howard.

He is survived by his wife, Rebecca Wood, his Fur baby, Toby, 2 daughters, Jamie Wood Turco (Timothy), and Sarah Wood Haines (Bill), 3 grandchildren, Kelcie Bentley Harmon (Jason), Olivia Haines, and William "Bly" Haines VI, one great granddaughter, Lilian Harmon, one sister, Lisa Wood Watts, and many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Anyone who knew Jim, knew he loved God and Life, and enjoyed spending time with his family. His hobbies were fishing, hunting, and boat races. He was

able to attend an Honor Flight in Washington DC with his grandson on May 12, 2017.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 11:00 A.M. Saturday, September 22, 2018 at the Elmwood Community Church in Louisiana, MO. Memorial Visitation will be held from 10:30 A.M. until time of service. Those who wish to remember Jim in a special way, may make gifts in his memory to Pike County Home Care and Hospice, Shriner's Hospital, or Elmwood Community Church in care of the funeral home.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

SEP **22**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Elmwood Community Church
106 S. 30th St.
Louisiana, MO

Celebration of Life Service

SEP **22**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ James "Jim" A. Wood

November 08, 2022 at 10:35 AM



“ James "Jim" A. Wood

November 08, 2022 at 08:46 AM



“ Janet Elliott lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood



Janet Elliott - September 22, 2018 at 10:59 AM



“ Karl & Julie Dewey lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood



Karl & Julie Dewey - September 18, 2018 at 02:26 PM



A wonderful friend and neighbor. He would do anything to help out. He will be missed! Prayers are being sent up. Our sincere sympathies to the family.

Karl and Julie - September 18, 2018 at 02:44 PM

CB

“ *Candy Burnett lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood*



Candy Burnett - September 07, 2018 at 08:46 PM

PB

“ *Pat & Don Bronson lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood*



Pat & Don Bronson - September 05, 2018 at 08:03 PM

JS

“ *Jeannette & Mark Steen lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood*



Jeannette & Mark Steen - September 05, 2018 at 12:35 PM

JE

Jim was a warm and special person, always caring about his family. They were everything to him. Easy to talk to and if you needed help he would be there in a heart beat. Will be missed RIP JIM

Jeannette - September 05, 2018 at 12:38 PM

JA

“ *Jamie lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood*



Jamie - September 02, 2018 at 09:50 PM

JA

We light this candle in memory of the many wonderful and loving things you have done for us over the years. Our hearts hurt so much. Lord, please give us strength to get through this difficult time.

Jamie - September 02, 2018 at 09:54 PM

JA

“ *Jamie sent a virtual gift in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood*



Jamie - September 02, 2018 at 09:45 PM

JA

He was a very patriotic man.... He served his country and would give the shirt off his back to anyone. He would do anything to help anyone... He was one of the most selfless men to ever live. Love you daddy.. Until we meet again.... Fly high precious man of our lives.

Jamie - September 02, 2018 at 09:49 PM

JA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Jamie - September 02, 2018 at 09:37 PM

JA

Family was the most important thing in his life. Best husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather anyone could ask for. He knew no strangers.

Jamie - September 02, 2018 at 09:41 PM

BT

“ *Bob And Golda Turner lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood*



Bob and Golda Turner - August 31, 2018 at 06:30 PM

DS

“ *Deb Skirvin lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood*



Deb Skirvin - August 31, 2018 at 04:56 PM

DC

“ I want to extend my sympathy to the family of Jim. I have had extensive contacts with him and his family over the many years I have been in Louisiana.

I am sorry he had not been well for some time, but now he is relieved of that difficulty. Again we will miss him from our community and so will his family. D. Randall Cone

D. Randall Cone - August 31, 2018 at 01:27 PM

RM

*I wish to express my sympathies to Jims family.
Raymond miller Class of 67*

Raymond Miller - August 31, 2018 at 03:45 PM

DD

I am so sorry to hear of Jim'sdeath. Please know you are all in my thoughts and prayers. I pray your faith and memories sustain you during this time. May he Rest In Peace.

Delores Davis - September 01, 2018 at 11:15 AM

WH

“ WANDA HUNTER lit a candle in memory of James "Jim" A. Wood



WANDA HUNTER - August 31, 2018 at 12:32 PM