



John Wood

May 29, 1954 - August 27, 2015

John Lee Wood, passed away Thursday, August 27, 2015. A memorial service will be held Saturday, August 29, 2015, at 11AM in Ivey Baptist Church with the Rev. Joey Smith and Rev. Freddie Hogg officiating. The family will receive friends Friday, August 28, 2015 from 6PM to 8PM at Williams White Columns Funeral Home of Gordon. John Wood lived in Ivey, GA all of his life, he worked at BASF/Freeport as a mechanic. He was a member of the Ivey Baptist Church.

John Wood is predeceased by his parents Willard and Mildred Garrett Wood, a sister, Angela Ramsey and a brother, Maynard Wood. He is survived by his wife, Laurie Kay Wood, daughters, Amy Wood of Gray, Mindy (Dr.Derek) Renfroe of Tennessee, a son, Dr. Johnny (Mandi) Wood of Haddock, Brothers; Donald Wood of Idaho and Jimmy Wood of Ivey, a special brother-in-law, Greg Eady ,who lived with John and Laurie Kay. Six Grandchildren also survive and a number of nieces and nephews.

John Wood was the epitome of a true Southern Soul. He judged no one and loved everyone. He had a habit of greeting every lady that he met as "Hey Doll". He cherished his family, grandchildren, and his fur babies. John always said, "It doesn't cost a dime to be nice to someone". He made it a point to help someone every day of his life.

Flowers or donations to Critical Care for Animal Angels, P. O. Box 972, Byron, GA, 31008 will be accepted.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **28**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Williams White Columns Funeral Home - Gordon

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Gordon, GA 31031

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<https://www.whitecolumnsfh.net/>

Tribute Wall

KM

“ Thinking of the family during this time. My prayers are with you all. John and Amy- your dad always made me laugh and made me feel more than welcome.
Much love,

Kira Gregory Miller

Kira Miller - September 04, 2015 at 01:27 PM

KG

“ Thinking of all of you during this difficult time. Sorry for your loss.

Kristi McCoy Giannaris - August 31, 2015 at 09:00 PM

CP

“ Laurie Kay I am so sorry for this sad time and such a loss to you and all your family. In time you will enjoy all the great memories and remember how he would laugh to keep everyone else laughing. He truly enjoyed life and his family. I keep you and the whole family in my prayers.

Cheri and Stan Pennington - August 29, 2015 at 03:55 PM

BD

“ So Sorry for your loss I remember few years back my girls playing ball with Amy that was good times John could always make everyone laugh even when we lost and he was such a great person and he will be missed sending you all many prayers Brenda J Dixon

Brenda Dixon - August 28, 2015 at 10:50 PM

KG

“ Our prayers and thoughts are with your family during this difficult time. So sorry to hear of your loss.

*Raymond and Charlotte Grimes
Karen Grimes*

Karen Grimes - August 28, 2015 at 09:42 PM



“ Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John Wood.



August 28, 2015 at 05:58 PM

GM

“ John, whenever our paths did happen to cross, I'd hear, "Hey, Glory Jean, how you doing, honey?" Then we'd talk a while about funny things from school and local gossip around town (being sure to say, "I don't believe none of that stuff!") Boy, could you always make me laugh! You were one of the good ole boys and I loved having you as my friend. This county will feel your loss for a long time to come. Too young, too soon you left us. I guarantee you won't ever be forgotten! I look forward to crossing paths again, I know. I'll be waiting to hear you holler, "Hey, Glory Jean, how you doing, honey?"

Laurie Kay, Greg, Amy, Johnny, Mindy and all their families, I am praying for all of y'all. John cast a long shadow and left a legacy of laughter, love and concern for his family and fellow man. The shoes he wore were some mighty big shoes to fill! God bless you all!

Gloria Ussery Moore - August 28, 2015 at 05:41 PM

JB

“ I was really shocked when Jimmy gave me the news about John. It seems so amazing, like one of those things that you can't really believe is happening!

I can remember when John was born. We lived just up on the top of the hill from where John's beautiful new house is; but, I remember the old house that use to be there. I spent more waking hours as a young boy at their house than I did at home,-by far!! I remember, Donny and I couldn't wait for John to get big enough so that we could take him down to Beaver Creak with us. (It wouldn't do to tell all the things we put that boy up to)! I had the privilege of watching John grow up, and have fond memories of going down and "hanging out" at his shop while, as he use to say, "we were just sitting around telling the truth"!! He use to always make sure he saved me a couple jars of his delicious pickled hot pepper! You talk about something good!!!!

John will be greatly missed. My sincere condolences to the family and many friends of John Wood. In my opinion, he was one great fellow! So many, many memories! (He seemed like family to me)
John Benford.

John Benford - August 28, 2015 at 03:24 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of John Wood.



August 28, 2015 at 01:42 PM

BD

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. John will be missed. we are sorry for your loss.
Billy and Brenda Dupree

Billy and Brenda Dupree - August 28, 2015 at 01:41 PM

JF

“ *Jessie Lee Korwin Family, Charles Jackson Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of John Wood.*



Jessie Lee Korwin Family, Charles Jackson Family - August 28, 2015 at 01:36 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John Wood.*



August 28, 2015 at 01:35 PM

SB

“ We are so sorry to hear about John. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your entire family. We pray that God's grace and love will carry you through this time of grief.
Tony and Susan Budrys



Susan Budrys - August 28, 2015 at 01:23 PM

EB

“ Thinking about and praying for all of John's family and friends. May everyone feel God very close to them during this difficult time!



Ethel and Gerald Beck - August 28, 2015 at 12:18 PM

MD

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Please accept our condolences.

Milly & Harry Day

Milly Day - August 28, 2015 at 11:38 AM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of John Wood.



August 28, 2015 at 11:35 AM

CJ

“ Curtis & Luann Jackson lit a candle in memory of John Wood



Curtis & Luann Jackson - August 28, 2015 at 11:34 AM

MS

“ *Michael, Stacey, Garrett, Evan and Kate Sigman purchased the Blooming Garden Basket for the family of John Wood.*



Michael, Stacey, Garrett, Evan and Kate Sigman - August 28, 2015 at 11:31 AM

JF

“ *Jan and Sandra and families purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of John Wood.*



Jan and Sandra and families - August 28, 2015 at 10:31 AM

LB

“ *Lindy Bullock lit a candle in memory of John Wood*



Lindy Bullock - August 28, 2015 at 08:08 AM

LY

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family during this sad time. May God Bless You All.*



Lucius Youngblood - August 28, 2015 at 07:14 AM

SM

“ So sorry for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and prayers, praying for God's comfort in the coming days for all of you.



Susie McAbee - August 28, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GA

“ John Wood was my hero. i enjoyed our friend ship we had over the years. he was good man. he was loved by all who knew him. he will be missed.

Greg S Adams - August 27, 2015 at 11:10 PM

PW

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. We are sorry for your lost. John was a fine person.
Ricky and Pam Williams

pam williams - August 27, 2015 at 09:48 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John Wood.



August 27, 2015 at 08:50 PM

DF

“ *de la Luz Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of John Wood.*



de la Luz Family - August 27, 2015 at 08:40 PM

CB

“ *I am so very sorry to hear about John. He was the same every time you saw him.....*

Carolyn Balkcom - August 27, 2015 at 05:15 PM

CH

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family now and in the days ahead. May God wrap His loving arms around each of you to ease your pain and sadness. We will forever cherish our fond memories of John and his kind soul.*
Charles Jackson and Family



Celeste Harkins - August 27, 2015 at 02:59 PM