



## Mr. David Joel Wood

September 23, 1939 - February 2, 2016

Mr. David Joel Wood, 76, of Phoenix, AZ, as of late Roswell, GA, passed away on February 2, 2016. Mr. Wood is preceded in death by his parents Mr. & Mrs. Clinton and Emily Wood, Jr., as well as his three Brothers; Mr. Peter Wood, Mr. George Wood, and Mr. Clinton Wood, III. Mr. Wood is survived by his two children, son; Christopher(Sara) Wood of Colorado, daughter; Allicyn(Michael) Reed of Roswell, GA., grandchildren Morgan, Spencer, Truman, and Everett. He will be missed by many old friends and those who knew him. In lieu of flowers, the family has asked to make a donation or contribution to a charity of your choice in David's name.

# Previous Events

## Celebration Of Life

FEB 18. 12:00 PM (MT)

Aunt Chilada's Squaw Peak  
7330 N Dreamy Draw Dr.  
Phoenix, AZ 85020

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. David Joel Wood*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *I haven't seen or talked to Dave for several years, but I've known him since the 70's and I've never met a nicer man and a true gentleman. RHP my friend.  
Lott Steffey*

**Lott Steffey** - February 18, 2016 at 12:03 PM



“ *Dave was a great friend and colleague. When our family moved from LA to Tucson in 1978, Dave greeted us at the airport and made us feel at home in the Old Pueblo. Over the years, he taught me much about the human condition and was without a doubt the kindest and most polite man I have ever known. He was a treasure in our lives. Chris and Allicyn certainly reflect his love and light.  
Peace and All Good, John Zemblidge*

**John Zemblidge** - February 16, 2016 at 07:19 AM



“ *Gift of Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. David Joel Wood.*



February 15, 2016 at 07:08 PM

JD

“ I met Dave through the retired postal inspectors in Phoenix,Az.several years ago. He was always a wonderful, caring person to speak with. He will be greatly missed at our meetings and get together soon. My sincere condolences to his family.  
Joanne Dupilka

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**Joanne Dupilka** - February 13, 2016 at 12:51 PM

CT

“ I first met Dave in the early 70's when we were young Postal Inspectors. He was my friend throughout our careers and into retirement. He was very intelligent and always maintained a high degree of professionalism on the job and off and very friendly and caring toward every one who was lucky enough to meet him. I'll miss those phone calls from you Dave, they always brightened my day. Rest in Peace friend, I hope to see you again some day.  
Chuck Tade

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**Chuck Tade** - February 13, 2016 at 11:40 AM

DH

“ I was blessed to have met Dave Wood about 28 years ago. At that time Dave was the Postal Inspector responsible for recruitment in Phoenix Arizona. With Dave's help and guidance, I too became a Postal Inspector. I admired the way Dave conducted himself as both a Postal Inspector and a person. Dave was a law enforcement professional who I found to be kind, caring, intelligent and witty. Truly one of the nicest guys you could ever meet. Dave taught me to keep my family and career in balance no matter the work demands and to "always take the high road". Dave and I remained good friends over the last 28 years. Sometimes going to lunch, sometimes getting together at monthly poker parties, and sometimes just talking on the phone. I don't think I ever had a conversation with Dave that didn't include a smile or a laugh. A true gentleman and no greater friend.

*Rest in Peace Dear Friend.*

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**Doug Hilburn** - February 12, 2016 at 09:06 PM

PS

“ David Joel Wood --

*A noble soul, an excellent mind, a generous heart.  
Postal Inspector, mentor, father, grandfather, friend.  
A life well lived.*

*Pam Carrier and Jim Stott*

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**Pam Carrier and Jim Stott** - February 12, 2016 at 05:23 PM

VH

“ We met Dave after my husband retired from the Inspection Service and we settled in the Phoenix area. Dave was one of the first people of the NARPI group to speak with us and welcome us to the group. He was a true gentleman and was concerned about everyone. Our last communication was on January 27, for my birthday on Facebook. He was a very special person and we will miss hearing from him. Our deepest sympathies.  
Verna & Darrel Helmkamp

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**Verna & Darrel Helmkamp** - February 12, 2016 at 02:27 PM

MC

“ Dave was one of the nicest persons I have ever known. I will miss him at our luncheons and other functions. Dave always had a way of making you feel at ease when talking with him. A wonderful friend. Mike

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**Mike Casadei** - February 12, 2016 at 12:59 PM

SD

“ I was VERY sorry to learn of David's passing. David and I were in the same class in Oceanport school and we both graduated from L.B.H.S. I first learned of his death on Facebook and also received notification of it from Ed Roswell. I have many happy memories of David and his twin brother, Peter. I send sympathy to all David's relatives and friends. Sue Jones D'Onofrio

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**Sue Jones D'Onofrio** - February 10, 2016 at 02:26 PM