



James Freeland Mood, Jr.

October 7, 1940 - September 10, 2011

James Freeland Mood, Jr. of Queenstown, Maryland died Saturday September 10, 2011 at the Hospice Center of Queen Anne's in Centreville. He was 70.

Born October 7, 1940 in Glendora, New Jersey, he was the son of the late, James Freeland and Thelma G. Reese Mood. Jim served his country by being active in the U.S. Army from 1964 to 1965 and in the National Guard from 1965 to 1970. Jim continued his service to his country by starting a career with the National Security Agency. During his 36 years of service with NSA, he met and later married Velma D. Massie on January 8, 1966. They made their home in Bowie, MD, later moving to Crofton in 1968. In 1976, they moved to Davidsonville, MD and later Riva, MD, until retiring to the Eastern Shore, making their home in Queenstown.

During Jim's career with NSA, in 1966, he received the NSA Citizenship award, which recognized an individual's service towards underprivileged children in the Washington DC area.

Jim was a deacon of Wye Bible Church and an active member of Rebuilding Together, overseeing the publicity and administration of the program.

James is survived by his loving wife Velma D. Mood of Queenstown, MD; a

son, Christopher James Mood and his wife Roni Lynn of Queenstown, MD; four grandchildren, Breanna Nicole Mood, Christiana Lynn Mood, Peter James Mood and Nicoletta Rose Mood' two brothers, David F. Mood of Hyattsville, MD and Stephen G. Mood of Hanover, PA.

A visitation will be from 5-8pm on Monday September 12, 2011 at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home Chester, MD. A funeral service will be at 11am on Tuesday, September 13, 2011 at Davidsonville United Methodist Church, Davidsonville, MD, where family and friends may visit from 10-11 am. Burial will be at a later date. Contribution may be made to Hospice of Queen Anne's Inc, 255 Comet Drive, Centreville, MD 21617. On line condolences made at www.fhnfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Davidsonville United Methodist Church
817 W. Central Ave.
Davidsonville, MD

Service

SEP 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of James Freeland Mood, Jr.*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - September 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *James Freeland Mood, Jr.*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *James Freeland Mood, Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *James Freeland Mood, Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Our prayers and thoughts are with you at this time. We know he will be missed deeply.*

Pat & Wayne##imported-begin##Wayne and Pat Morris##imported-end##

September 29, 2011 at 10:44 AM



“ *Velma and family,*

*YOu are in our prayers.##imported-begin##Paul D.
Canady##imported-end##*

September 17, 2011 at 11:28 AM



“ *I value the time Jim and I worked together, back in the late 70s He
was good at everything he did.##imported-begin##Bruce
Bottomley##imported-end##*

September 16, 2011 at 02:03 PM



“ *Dear velma*

*I just learned of Jim's passing and want to tell you how saddened I
am in hearing the news. Jim was always so knid to me and very
supportive and interested in what I was doing over at the museum.
he always had time for a kind word or to give advice. My heart goes
out to you and your family.*

*God bless..Jack Ingram##imported-begin##Jack Ingram##imported-
end##*

September 15, 2011 at 02:14 PM



“ Dear Velma and Family -- I was so very sorry to learn of Jim's passing. Hopefully you will remember me...I worked with Jim on the Management Services Staff from Jan 1993 - Oct 1995. Jim was the consummate professional, accurate in everything he encountered and accomplished during his long service on that staff. He was exceptionally well spoken and written. Moreover, Jim created a supporting staff unmatched elsewhere. His recruitment of outstanding folks like Jim Hopkins, Tim Murphy, and of course, Helen were a tribute to Jim's keen sense of people evaluation. I held a number of managerial and staff positions with the Agency over my 34 years and can say with pride and pleasure that I had never met a more competent, caring and inspiring staff officer than was Jim.

His place in Heaven is surely assured... may peace now be with you and your family.

Sincerely,

Ron Hemler##imported-begin##Ron Hemler##imported-end##

September 15, 2011 at 10:59 AM



“ *Velma and family,*

Please accept my sincerest condolences and prayers on the passing of Jim. I recall working with Jim on several occasions with pleasant memories. May God Bless you and your family.

Joe##imported-begin##Joseph B. Yankowski##imported-end##

September 15, 2011 at 08:11 AM



“ Mrs. Mood,

I'm so sorry for your loss. I have fond memories of both you and Mr. Mood, as a child. Please know that your family will be in our hearts and prayers.##imported-begin##Angie Fichter##imported-end##

September 14, 2011 at 04:36 PM



“ I am very sorry to hear of Jim's death. I had no idea he was ill.

I had the pleasure of working with Jim during some extremely trying times at NSA. It was an honor to be associated with such a fine gentleman and professional. His calm, caring, and reassuring mannner was very comforting.

We will all miss him.##imported-begin##Ronald Wells##imported-end##

September 13, 2011 at 10:30 PM



“ Velma - I am so sorry to hear that you have lost your dear Jim. My heart goes you to you and your family. With much fondness of our time at the NCS together. Rene Stein##imported-begin##Rene Stein##imported-end##

September 13, 2011 at 12:01 PM



“ Velma, Chris, and Roni - My sympathies to you all. May only the fondest memories of Jim be with you now. I'm sorry I couldn't be there. Take care. Laura##imported-begin##Laura##imported-end##

September 13, 2011 at 11:45 AM



“ Dear Velma,
I am not even sure that you will remember me, but I do remember you and Jim. I was saddened by the notice from the Phoenix Society of Jim's passing. I hope that the Lord was gentle to him and you during Jim's last days. Hospice is a wonderful, caring entity and I know they did everything to keep him comfortable. I have not seen either of you for over 20 years but the picture of Jim still portrays him as the handsome man who married a very sweet and beautiful young lady. May God continue to bless you and your family as you go forward.
Sincerely,
Jim Koons###imported-begin##Jim Koons###imported-end##

September 13, 2011 at 11:37 AM



“ Velma we are so sorry to hear about Jim. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and yyour family. Sorry that we could not be there with you today - a prior committment.###imported-begin##Chuck and Pat Moon###imported-end##

September 13, 2011 at 11:06 AM



“ Velma and Family - I'm so sorry to hear of Jim's passing. I was shocked to see the Phoenix notice! May God be with you as you cope with your loss.

Tom
Prosperity, SC###imported-begin##Tom Sowinski###imported-end##

September 13, 2011 at 11:04 AM



“ We know where he is...

My thoughts and prayers are with you and the family Velma. You know you can call if you need me.

Lee###imported-begin##Lee R. Matousek###imported-end##

September 12, 2011 at 03:48 PM



“ *Velma and Chris I am sorry for your loss - Beth and I will be praying for you###imported-begin##Steve###imported-end##*

September 12, 2011 at 10:50 AM