



Dr. John Arthur Wood

June 4, 1943 - December 22, 2019

Lewes, DE: John A. Wood, Jr. died on December 22, 2019 at Beebe Hospital in Lewes, DE. He was 76.

He was born on June 4, 1943 to the late Alice Hanks Webster and John Arthur Wood Sr. in Easton, MD. He graduated from Easton High School in 1961. John graduated from McDaniel College in Western MD in 1965 and University of Maryland Dental School in 1969. John served in the United States Air Force as a Captain in Germany. He worked for the US Government in the Defense Contract Department until his retirement.

He retired and moved to Lewes, DE; where he enjoyed gardening, cooking, decorating, and the beach.

John is survived by his partner of 43 years, Michael Roob. His two sisters, Joan Woodward of Cambridge, MD and Phyllis McCoy of Pittsburg, PA, two nieces Karen Remeto and Colleen Rhodes, four nephews, Craig McCoy, Kevin Woodward, Steve Woodward and David Woodward; and grand nieces and nephews.

Along with his parents, John was preceded in death by brother in-laws, Charles R. Woodward Sr., James A. McCoy, niece, Sheila McCoy and nephew, Charles Woodward Jr.

Friends and family may call on Tuesday, December 31st from 12-1pm at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. 200 South Harrison Street, Easton, MD 21601. A graveside service will follow at Oxford Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations may be in memory of John to CAMP Rehoboth 37

Baltimore Avenue

Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971.

For online condolences please visit www.fhnfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 31. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. - Easton
200 S. Harrison St.
Easton, MD 21601

Graveside

DEC 31. 1:00 PM (ET)

Oxford Cemetery
Oxford, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. John Arthur Wood*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Dr. John Arthur Wood*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Dr. John Arthur Wood*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *My condolence to Jack family and friends. I worked with Jack in Baltimore office. He always had kind words and caring spirit. Rest in Heaven my friend.*



Gwendolyn Baker, Hampton, VA - December 31, 2019 at 06:52 PM



“ *Jack was a kind soul and real gentleman. I worked with Jack, and I remember fondly how we would talk movies and recommend to each other ones we particularly enjoyed, as well as pet stories, interesting places we liked to go in Baltimore, stories of family members. He always had a warm smile and a joke to brighten your day. RIP Jack, you will be missed.*

Mark Ochalek

Mark Ochalek - December 31, 2019 at 06:28 PM

MP

“ I knew Jack as a fellow employee and for awhile as his supervisor; but always as a friend. He was dedicated and professional in his career at DCAMA. More important, Jack exemplified the term "gentleman". He was honest, polite, extremely personable with a quick wit. I don;t know of anyone who didn't fall under his old world charm. He will be missed by many. My prayers and heartfelt condolences are extended to his partner and family.
Mary Anne Ptaszynski

Mary A. Ptaszynski - December 31, 2019 at 01:46 PM

CR

“ I have fond memories of Jack at lunchtime on Tuesdays at St. Peters where I met him several years ago. He had a beautiful spirit and he was a kind, honest and loving man who I never heard speak a cross or mean spirited word. He was a good soul, humble and with a serene presence that made me just want to keep talking with him. He loved gardening and we shared our mutual hobby frequently--he always had an interesting tidbit to share. This must be a difficult time for his partner and my prayers are going out to him and Jack's family. He will be sorely missed by our little group. We were blessed to have him in our lives. He is with his Higher Power now, and at peace.
Respectfully, \
Christopher Grogan

Christopher Grogan, BSN, RN-BC - December 31, 2019 at 01:57 AM

CB

“ I worked with Jack at DCMA for 3 years. He was very helpful and patient with me. We had many conversations about gardening and travel. My prayers are with his family and friends.

Charlene Brown

Charlene Brown - December 30, 2019 at 12:15 PM

BD

“ Jack was assigned to the DCMA Team I worked on. My Team Leader asked me to mentor him. I had only been employed there only a few months before Jack. It wasn't long before Jack was mentoring me. Such a quiet & unassuming guy. With a great sense of humor. I had only just received a Christmas card from him a couple weeks ago. We shared a few stories about our pets. Jack mentioned to me he had lost his beloved dog Pepper, this past year. My thoughts & prayers go out to his family. He'll be truly missed. RIP Jack. Barry DeMaris

Barry DeMaris - December 30, 2019 at 09:28 AM

DM

“ I worked with Jack at DoD for decades. He was a most kind and gentle man. We talked for hours about anything related to gardening. I got some of my best ideas from Jack. I was grateful for the many times that he drove up from his home to join us for our DoD retiree luncheons in Baltimore. A good man is gone too soon. I send my sincerest condolences to his partner and family. May his memory be eternal ❤️.

Daria Materewicz (gmater@comcast.net)

Daria Materewicz - December 30, 2019 at 06:44 AM

BD

“ Jack worked on my team at DCMA (government contracts) for a number of years. He was the most knowledgeable, organized and dedicated professional I had the privilege of knowing. He had a quiet presence, but stood up for what he knew and cared about. He will be missed!
Bobbi Dannenfelser

Bobbi Dannenfelser - December 29, 2019 at 04:23 PM

KR

“ My Uncle Jack was always a large part of my life. Since he was only 9 years older than me, he was more like a favorite cousin. My earliest memories are of him reading to my brothers and I. Uncle Remus, with all the character voices, was “the best”. He always had us laughing about Brer Rabbit’s antics. Witch Hazel and Little Itch in the Little Lulu comics kept us totally entertained. We played board games at the kitchen table, hide and seek and croquet in the backyard. There was always an adventure to be had and teasing was his specialty. I’m happy for all my amazing memories and will miss him always.

karen remeto - December 27, 2019 at 08:19 PM

ED

Jack worked on my team for several years. It was a pleasure to work with him. He was always dependable and extremely professional. A true gentlemen and so congenial. I cannot find the words to express what a wonderful individual Jack was, Rest in peace Jack. You will be sorely missed by everyone that knew you. Condolences to Jack’s partner and family.

evelyn donnelly - December 31, 2019 at 07:32 PM

JW

Jack was my beloved brother. Although he was younger than I, we always had plenty to discuss and had good times together. He was a favorite with his nieces and nephews and will be missed very much.

Joan Woodward - January 02, 2020 at 03:37 PM

KZ

I always enjoyed seeing Jack on Tuesdays at St. Peters and on Thursdays at Camp Rehoboth. It was great to read such nice comments about someone I wish I had known better. Such a gentle man. My sympathies go out to Michael and the rest of his family. i lost my partner after being with him for 38 years. It was so difficult. Jack's smiling face will be missed. Keith Zembower

Keith Zembower - January 04, 2020 at 05:11 PM