



## Donald Gene Woods

April 12, 1948 - August 10, 2018

Donald Gene Woods, age 70, of Lexington passed away on Friday, August 10, 2018 at his home. He was retired from the Lexington Electric System, retired from the Tennessee National Guard, and was a member and deacon at the Mazies Chapel Missionary Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife, Thelma Woods, 2 daughters, Donna Garner of Lexington and Brooke Hollowell of Lexington, 4 brothers, Bruce Allen Woods of Collinwood, Michael Lynn Woods of Lexington, Bobby Neal Woods of Lexington, and Mark Edward Woods of Lexington, 8 grandchildren, Kala Willis, Corey Morris, Tyler Renfroe, Trey Garner, Connie Renfroe, Wyatt Hendrix, Cayden Hollowell, and Karsyn Hollowell, and 1 great grandchild, Ryan Willis. He was preceded in death by his parents, Connie and Verlene Woods, 1 daughter, Lee Ann Hendrix, and 2 brothers, Kenny Woods and Gerald Glenn Woods. Funeral services will be on Monday, August 13 at 2PM at Mazies Chapel with burial to follow in Mazies Chapel Cemetery. Visitation will be on Saturday from 1PM till service. All visitation will be at Reeds Chapel.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Marilyn Fields lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



**Marilyn Fields** - August 14, 2018 at 06:18 PM



*Thelma and family "The Atkinson Family" so sorry for your lost. Been thinking of ya'll last several days Marilyn Atkinson Fields.*

**Marilyn Fields** - August 14, 2018 at 06:22 PM



“ *Thelma, we don't know each other and I hope this silly little memory doesn't offend, but maybe brings a smile to somebody's face. The magic of the internet brought this to my screen tonight. I had not thought of Donald Gene in over 50 years, but my first thought was of him combing his thick black Brylcreamed ducktail in the lunch line in the old gym at CHS. I'm not sure if you knew him then, but he would have put The (later) Fonz to shame. Peace and comfort to you and your family (from a stranger a thousand miles away).*

**Charlotte Gant** - August 14, 2018 at 03:30 AM

WG

“ To Thelma and Family- Although its difficult today to see beyond the sorrow, may looking back in memory help comfort you tomorrow- May your heart and soul find peace and consolation- You are in my thoughts and my prayer is with you- My sincere compassion for some moments in life there are no words I can express- I served with Donald Gene in the National Guard for a few years- He was the Senior Cook of the Mess section- I recall one morning down at Camp Shelby MS- I woke up around 3:30 in the morning about to starve- I stroded up to the Mess tent and sure nuff Sergeant Woods was cooking breakfast for the troops- I told Sergeant Woods I was about to starve- He immediatly cook me two eggs and all the bacon I could eat and cooked them to order which is not often done- I love/loved that Sergeant and always will- I could go on and tell many memories of Donald Gene/Sergeant Woods- We called countless basketball games together which I truly enjoyed calling with him- I will go for now and think about Donald Gene and my Sergeant Hero- I know he will be missed as well as the community he lived- I will leave with a quote by Helen Keller- “What we once enjoyed and deeply loved we can never lose, For all that we love deeply becomes a part of us.”

Wayne Garner

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Wayne Garner - August 12, 2018 at 10:44 AM

DA

“ Danny&SheliaBeecham lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods



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Danny&SheliaBeecham - August 11, 2018 at 03:53 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Donald Gene Woods.*



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August 11, 2018 at 02:00 PM



“ *Donna Darrough lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



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**Donna Darrough** - August 11, 2018 at 11:27 AM



“ *Karen McPeake Weatherford sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



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**Karen McPeake Weatherford** - August 11, 2018 at 07:49 AM



“ *Pamela Parker sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



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**Pamela Parker** - August 11, 2018 at 12:36 AM

SW

“ Sharon Wood lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods



Sharon Wood - August 10, 2018 at 11:52 PM



“ Candy Arnold Hayes lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods



Candy Arnold Hayes - August 10, 2018 at 11:50 PM

AE

“ Alicia Nicole Evans sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald Gene Woods



Alicia Nicole Evans - August 10, 2018 at 11:19 PM

JK

“ James Kientz lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods



james kientz - August 10, 2018 at 09:54 PM

JB

“ *Thelma, i am so sorry for your loss just know that I am thinking of you and your family and praying that god comfort all of you*



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**Jean Mcpeake (Tiny Burton)** - August 10, 2018 at 09:47 PM

TN

“ *Tony Neill lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



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**Tony Neill** - August 10, 2018 at 09:33 PM



“ *Carol Wood lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



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**Carol Wood** - August 10, 2018 at 08:57 PM

VP

“ *Vickie Parrish lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



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**Vickie Parrish** - August 10, 2018 at 08:30 PM

JG

“ God called another Angel Home. Thelma, Donna, Brook, and Family, He will always be with you in Spirit!



Jan Greene - August 10, 2018 at 08:09 PM

RS

“ Rhonda Sanders sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald Gene Woods



Rhonda Sanders - August 10, 2018 at 08:02 PM

CH

“ Cindy Hendrix sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald Gene Woods



Cindy Hendrix - August 10, 2018 at 06:27 PM

GH

“ Gary And Cindy Hendrix lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods



Gary and Cindy Hendrix - August 10, 2018 at 06:20 PM

GH

*Sincere Condolences to the Family.*

**Gary and Cindy Hendrix** - August 10, 2018 at 06:24 PM



“ *Christopher Escue lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



**Christopher Escue** - August 10, 2018 at 06:18 PM



*Much love to the family. I am deeply sorry for your loss. Peace and prayers to you.*

**Christopher Escue** - August 10, 2018 at 06:19 PM



“ *Sandra Maness lit a candle in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



**Sandra Maness** - August 10, 2018 at 05:02 PM

AA

“ *Amy Azbill~Flowers sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald Gene Woods*



**Amy Azbill~Flowers** - August 10, 2018 at 04:35 PM