



Clinton Mack Wood

April 26, 1945 - February 11, 2024

Clinton Mack Wood of San Antonio, Texas, passed away peacefully on Sunday, February 11, 2024, with his family present.

He was born in San Antonio on April 26, 1945. He was preceded in death by his father, Clinton C. Wood, his mother, Anna Lee Webb Wood and his son, Damon Glenn Wood.

He graduated from Jefferson High School in 1963, attending San Antonio College after graduating. In 1965, he enlisted in the United States Navy, stationed aboard the destroyer USS Joseph P. Kennedy. He was honorably discharged four years later. During that time, he enjoyed great adventures on the southern coast of the Mediterranean Sea, in Africa and in South America. In November of 1969, he married Donna Meadows Wood. On March 9, 1970, he began a 33-year career at Southwest Research Institute. He loved his job. He never knew what project he'd be working on next. Each job was new and challenging, and he was never bored. He retired at age 58 from SWRI, as a Senior Electronics Technician. Once retired, he was never idle. He was an avid and successful gardener, he enjoyed playing his guitars and honing his barbequing skills. He embraced his mantra, "I was born to be retired."

Mack and Donna had two sons, Damon and David. As a family, they enjoyed the outdoors, most often camping on the Frio River and spending time on the beach at Port Aransas. He was a loving "Pop" and the perfect mentor to his sons.

He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Donna, son, David C. Wood, and

daughter-in-law, Dawn Arbuthnot Wood and six grandchildren: David J. Wood, Daniel Wood, DeAnna Wood, Emalie Wood, DeLani Wood and David Mack Wood. He also leaves behind an amazing extended family and many dear friends.

A memorial service will be held on May 4, 2024, at 2pm at the Yancey United Methodist Church, 400 Church Street, Yancey, Texas. Following the service, the family invites you to join them for a reception in the Fellowship Hall.

Coffee, tea and cake will be served.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Yancey United Methodist Church, Box 126, Yancey, TX 78886, or to the charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 4. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Yancy United Methodist Church
400 Church Street
Yancy, TX 78886

Tribute Wall

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“Mack Wood was one of the kindest, most loving people in the world--a man of sterling character. We miss you, Mack. When I was a child, I actually thought Mack's name was "Mack'n'Donna" and Donna's name was "Mack'n'Donna"--how bonded, beautiful and eternal their marriage! I love Mack'n'Donna so much! The photos I am including are from over 20 years ago--my now-husband, Michael, was visiting my hometown for the first time--I loved that he was included in the gentle fold of dear Mack and my dear dad, and that I was in the beautiful fold of my dear mom and dear Donna; I admire the marriage of Mack'n'Donna and my parents' marriage--and so to be included in the sacred fold in this way is a precious memory of mine. I grew up with the awesome sounds of Stillwater Reunion and the magic of great music and friends--I raise my glass to you, dear gentle Mack! I love you forever, dear Donna!



Jessica Ryan Savitz - March 24, 2024 at 04:05 PM

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“Mack exemplified an exemplary life of love, caring, patience, and family closeness. We will all certainly miss him, his smile, his comments, his caring. May God bless and lead you through this journey knowing you will see him one day. Love to all, Pat Long

Pat Long - March 15, 2024 at 05:27 PM

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“ *Mack would have loved what you wrote. He was such a loving, caring person, a great story teller, and a wonderful cousin-in-law. We so admired the family and the home that he made and the love he shared with all. He will be so missed! Love forever, Janice & Anil*

Janice & Anil Nath - March 12, 2024 at 11:07 PM