



Thomas Barkley Wood

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Capt. Thomas Barkley Wood, USN (Ret.), 88, passed away on Thursday, June 11, 2015.

Devoted husband, father, grandfather and great American patriot, he is survived by his wife of 59 years, Peggy Stenzel Wood, of Ashburn, VA, three children, Brian (Terrise), Alison, and Eric (Nancy Orloff), and six grandchildren.

Born March 1, 1927 in Joplin, Missouri, the son of Tom Barkley Wood and Ellen Bell Ezzell, "Barkley" grew up in Big Spring, Texas. An Eagle Scout, he graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1949.

He served in the U.S. Navy for 30 years, flying numerous missions in the F9F-Panther in Korea, later the F-4U Corsair, F9F-Cougar, A-3D Skywarrior, and commanded an RA-5C Vigilante squadron (RVAH-12) based in Sanford, FL.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the U.S. Naval Academy Foundation (Class of '49).

A celebration of his life will be held at Ashby Ponds in Ashburn, Virginia, and a funeral service will be held at Arlington National Cemetery later in the year.




Events


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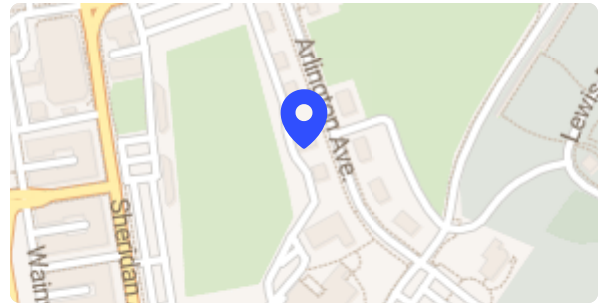
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Service

 **Wednesday**, July 6, 2016

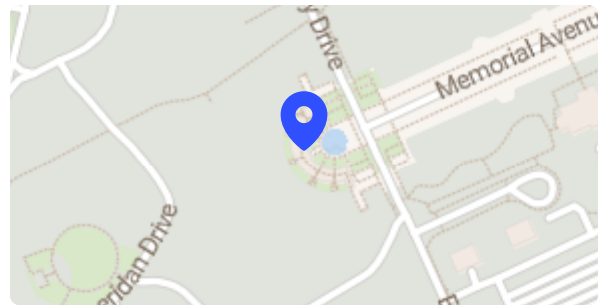
 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM ET

 **Fort Myer Chapel - Old Post**
204 Lee Ave., Ft. Myer VA 22211



Cemetery Details

 **Arlington National Cemetery**
1 Memorial Ave., Arlington VA 22211





Tribute Wall

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Anonymous sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Wood family.



August 14 at 12:24 PM



Bronwyn Turner posted:

So sorry to hear of Barkley's passing. We'll miss the sound of his voice...and his kind heart. He'll sure be missed, but we know Aunt Ellen is probably happily bending his ear now. Love to all, Tiffany and Bronwyn

August 14 at 11:30 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Thomas by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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