



Joel Woods

November 6, 1939 - October 9, 2012

age 72, stepped from death unto life eternal on October 9, 2012. Joel was born on November 6, 1939, in Birmingham, Alabama to Damon and Catherine Byars Woods, both of whom preceded him in death. He graduated from Phillips High School and Jefferson State Junior College and retired from Social Security Administration with 32 years of service. In retirement, he enjoyed working as a driver for several different companies. He was most proud of serving as a United States Marine and was an avid fan of the sports program at the University of Alabama. He professed Jesus Christ as his Savior and was a member of Beechwood Baptist Church. Joel is survived by his wife of 33 years, Sandra Raybon Woods; children, Bryant Joel Woods and Maureen Coon; stepchildren, Andrea Collins (Troy), Craig White (Cassie), and Amy Patillo (Lee); grandchildren, Chris and Andrew Speyer; Jesse and Ryan Coon; step-grandchildren, Katelyn and Jordan Collins, Spencer, Abby and Anna Brooke Patillo, Adam White, and Jacob Creel; sister, Jean Woods Trapp and niece, Cathy Trapp Elliott. A visitation will be held Friday, October 12, 2012 from 1:30 - 3:30 PM, with funeral services to follow at 3:30 PM. Burial will take place at Oakwood Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Beechwood Baptist Church, Mt. Olive, Alabama or Jimmie Hale Mission, Birmingham, Alabama.

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“ *Our thoughts are with the Woods family. May the words in Isaiah 25:8 give you hope and comfort.*

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