

Sue Ellen Wolf

Sue Ellen Sprong Wolf, 60, of Warsaw, began her Heavenly life Friday, Jan. 3, 2020, at 12:30 p.m., surrounded by her loving family.

Beloved wife to Bret Wolf of 40 years, proud mother of her miracle babies, twin daughters, Lori (Matthew) Deeds, of Warsaw, and Lisa Wolf, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and grandmother to Graham and Sawyer Deeds, Sue was born Aug. 5, 1959, in Rochester. She brought love, light and smiles to all she encountered. Her warmth will never leave us.

Sue graduated from Warsaw Community High School in 1977 and the Indiana University School of Dentistry at Fort Wayne. She became a certified dental assistant and worked in Warsaw until she decided to follow her calling to make caring for her family her mission and life's work. Sue's devotion was evident for all to see.

Lovingly referred to as "Sweet Sue," she had a treasured community of friends. Even if you didn't "know" Sue, you may have been greeted by her show-stopping smile and twinkle in her eye. Sue loved to help others.

Sue was a member of the Claypool United Methodist Church, where she treasured opportunities to serve, especially her leadership of the church's College Age Love Link Program.

Sue put the Lord and others first. She modeled unconditional love. Sue taught loved ones that details matter and making life's moments special and memorable are gifts that live on. Always grace-filled, Sue led by example. The love she poured into others will continue to pour out in her memory.

She is preceded in death by her mother, Doris Ellen Price Sprong.

Visitation is Tuesday, Jan. 7 from 4 to 8 p.m. in McHatton-Sadler Funeral Chapel, Warsaw. Her funeral service is Wednesday, Jan. 8 at 11 a.m. in the funeral chapel, with Pastor Rob Seewald officiating. Interment will be at Oakwood Cemetery, Warsaw.

Memorials to Claypool United Methodist Church, 302 E. Section St., Claypool, IN 46510.

To sign the register book or send condolences electronically,

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Janet H. Wood

AKRON - Janet H. Wood, 79, of rural Akron, passed at 6:23 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8, 2020, at Lutheran Hospital of Fort Wayne.

Janet was born on April 18, 1940, at her parents' home near Akron to the late Frederick L. and Mildred E. Hammond.

Janet was an elementary school teacher for Akron School and for Rochester Schools teaching at Columbia and Riddle. She taught for over 35 years and retired in 2004. She had also taught a GED class in Augsburg, Germany, in the early 1960s.

She was a 1958 graduate of Akron High School. She then graduated from Manchester College and also attained her master's degree from Ball State University.

Janet attended the Akron Church of God for her entire life, where she started teaching Sunday School at the age of 16. She also was involved with Junior Church for many years. She was known for being in the AJs, trios, duets and the choir. She was the accompanist for the church, playing the piano, for over 60 years until the last month.

She was an avid reader and was involved with Friends of the Library in Akron. She enjoyed traveling, which included the U.S., Mexico and Europe.

She is survived by daughter, Angela Wood Bailey, Fort Wayne; son, Andrew and wife Heidi Wood, Middlebury; five grandchildren: Hillary, Olivia, Elise, Thomas and Isaiah; two great-grandchildren: Joel Thomas and Carter; sister, Karen Camp Drone, Sarasota, Fla.; brother, Gail and wife Brenda Hammond, Clermont, Fla.; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by parents, Fred and Mildred Hammond; sister and brother-in-law, Judith and Tom Hill; infant brother, Gary Walter Hammond; former husband of 25 years, Larry L. Wood; and brother-in-law, Don Drone.

Visitation hours will be from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 12 at Hartzler Funeral Home, 305 W. Rochester St., Akron.

The funeral service will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday, Jan. 13 at Akron Church of God, 301 S. West St., Akron, with Pastor Kathy Nelson officiating.

The burial will take place following the service in the Akron Cemetery, Akron.



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Obituaries

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Donations may be made in Janet's memory to the Akron Church of God. Family and friends may share a memory or send an online condolence at www.hartzlerfuneral.com.

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William 'Bill' Lloyd Wood

William "Bill" Lloyd Wood, 70, Warsaw, died at 2:55 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 27, 2019, at home.

He was born on July 2, 1949, in Columbus, Ohio, and was adopted by Kathleen Metz Wood and Donald Hughes Wood. On Aug. 7, 1971, he was married to Priscilla Jane Petersen Wood, who survives.

Visitation will be held on Monday, Dec. 2 from 4 to 7 p.m. at Redpath-Fruth Funeral Home, Warsaw.

A funeral service will be conducted at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 3 at Packerton United Methodist Church, Claypool, and officiated by Pastor Cindy Gackenheimer, the Rev. Brian Smith and Pastor Carolyn Kern. Burial will follow with a graveside service at Oakwood Cemetery of Warsaw.

Memorials to Packerton United Methodist Church, c/o Wayne Landis, P.O. Box 283, Mentone, IN 46539-0283; or to the I-Association at Indiana University, Assembly Hall, 1001 E. 17th St., Bloomington, IN 47408-1590.



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