



## Smitty Wood

July 15, 1947 - January 8, 2021

On January 8, 2021, Smitty Lynn Wood, the last surviving sibling of Talley F. Wood and Lois Smith Wood, passed away due to complications of Covid-19. Smitty grew up in Sylvania, Alabama, graduated from Sylvania High School and began work at DuPont in Chattanooga in 1965, working there for 37 years. Smitty was a devoted father and grandfather who deeply loved his sons and grandchildren. During the years he lived and worked swing shift in Chattanooga, he never missed a ball game of his sons, many times having to take vacation time to travel to Alabama for the games. He just as enthusiastically attended the games of his grandchildren. The other joy of his life was being an ardent Alabama fan. He never missed watching a game, always dressing in his Alabama hat and shirt in front of his TV, cheering on his team.

Smitty chose to live a simple life, and with no fanfare, he quietly and consistently provided help to his family and friends when they needed him. For several years prior to his passing, Smitty was a part-time caregiver for his elderly sister-in-law.

Smitty was preceded in death by his parents, sisters Dean Berdal, Marion Wilks, Joyce Guyton and brothers Louie Wood and Joe Wood. He is survived by his sons, Kelly Wood, Brandon Wood, former wife Deborah McDonald, and grandchildren, Savannah Wood, Sabrina Lynn Wood and Jordan Wood, great grandchild, Wheeler Wood, sister-in-law Eva Wood, and many nieces and nephews.



# Cemetery Details

## Kirk Memorial Gardens

114 Kirk Road  
Rainsville, AL 35986

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 10. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Rainsville Funeral Home  
498 Mccurdy Ave N  
Rainsville, AL 35986  
(256) 638-2122  
<https://www.rainsvillefuneralhome.com>

## Visitation

JAN 11. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Smitty Wood*

August 29, 2022 at 05:15 AM



“ *Unfortunately I saw this too late to pay my respects in person. I didn't know Mr Wood all that well, but I did his 2 sons , in fact I was in the same grade with and was also great friends with his youngest son Brandon. Sending his family my very deepest and sincere heartfelt condolences. May Mr Wood forever RIP.*

**Jason Wright** - January 25, 2021 at 11:36 PM



“ *White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Smitty Wood.*



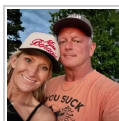
January 09, 2021 at 08:05 PM



“ *My Grandmother Tigue knew his Mom & Dad when they were kids. Did he have a brother named Dewey?*



**Barbara Veal** - January 09, 2021 at 07:30 PM



*No his brothers were Louie and Joe*

**Kelly Wood** - January 09, 2021 at 10:10 PM

BV

*We used to go to church with Louie. Sincere condolences on his passing.*

**Barbara Veal** - January 10, 2021 at 09:29 AM

JC

*I remember Smitty when he looked like this picture. Good looking guy. I can still see him in his sports car coming to pick up Debbie for a date.*

**Jan McDonald Campbell** - January 10, 2021 at 12:44 PM