

## Thomas R. Wood

February 3, 1932 - December 15, 2023

Thomas R. Wood, 91, of Great Bend, PA entered into rest on December 15, 2023. He was predeceased by his beloved wife of 42 years, Doreen in 2020; by an infant son, Timothy; by his daughter, Pamela Materese in 2001; by his parents, George and Nellie Wood; a grandson, Vincent Materese; and his step son, Kevin Brink.

Tom is survived by his daughters, Valerie (Mark) Raymond and Kathryn (Bill) Watkins; a step daughter, Teri Brink; grandchildren, Joanna Materese, Kyle Watkins, Connor Watkins, Jeffrey Darrow, Maggie Darrow, and Angelica Brink; great grandchildren, Kayonna, Amiah, Jonah, and Julian; and numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family members. He was the last surviving child in his family.

Tom graduated in 1950 from Great Bend High School and entered the military, serving in the US Army during the Korean Conflict. He was a life member of the American Legion Post #357. Tom worked for Ansco/GAF/Anetic for 43 years. He was always keeping busy, reading, and could often be found at the Legion. He enjoyed working BINGO, assisting with military honors, participating in parades, Memorial Day services, and a vital part of the executive board for years. Tom was a content man and always determined to enjoy his life. He will be deeply missed.

Friends may call on Tuesday, December 19, 2023 from 9-11 a.m. at the Tuttle-Weisley Funeral Home, Inc., Hallstead, PA. The service with Military Honors will be held approximately at 11:20 a.m at the American Legion Post #357 at

the Memorial he worked diligently to see its installment.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **19**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc.  
25 Susquehanna Ave.  
P.O. Box 936  
Hallstead, PA 18822  
(570) 879-2287  
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## Military Honors

DEC **19**. 11:20 AM (ET)

American Legion Post #357  
Hallstead, PA 18822

# Tribute Wall

PY

“ *Pat & Ed Yonkin lit a candle in memory of Thomas R. Wood*

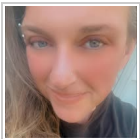


Pat & Ed Yonkin - March 29, 2024 at 01:09 PM

ED

“ *Prayers sent to his children and grandchildren. May family find piece in the wonderful memories. Uncle Tom was the family historian. At the Wood reunions he would enlighten us with the Wood family history. It was very interesting as he gave us wonderful information on the family. He was an asset to our family and the community and will be greatly missed by all.*

Earl and Virginia Decker - December 18, 2023 at 09:29 PM



“ *Kristen Van Gorden lit a candle in memory of Thomas R. Wood*



Kristen Van Gorden - December 18, 2023 at 08:11 PM

BG

“ *Tom, you have no idea how much you will be missed. Know you are at peace now and with the love of your life. Rest easy my friend*

Betty and Glenn - December 18, 2023 at 01:37 PM

WR

“ *Wendell And Tricia Reeve lit a candle in memory of Thomas R. Wood*



Wendell and Tricia Reeve - December 17, 2023 at 11:12 PM

DD

“ *Dorothy And Jon Dribanck lit a candle in memory of Thomas R. Wood*



Dorothy and Jon Dribanck - December 17, 2023 at 10:45 AM

WS

“ *Wendy Shaffer lit a candle in memory of Thomas R. Wood*



Wendy Shaffer - December 16, 2023 at 01:44 PM

PM

“ *TOM WAS A VERY SWEET AND LOVING MAN, HE WILL BE MISSED. FLY HIGH TOM*



patty Morris - December 16, 2023 at 10:16 AM

TH

“ *Trudy Henry lit a candle in memory of Thomas R. Wood*



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**Trudy Henry** - December 16, 2023 at 06:43 AM

PK

“ *In loving memory of Tom Wood, may you rest in peace. A great man.*



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**Pat Collins Kammerer** - December 15, 2023 at 07:02 PM

CG

“ *Cindy Gillespie lit a candle in memory of Thomas R. Wood*



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**Cindy Gillespie** - December 15, 2023 at 06:49 PM