



## Charles Wood

May 5, 1950 - October 13, 2021

CHARLES EDWIN WOOD, AGE 71

And a resident of Franklinton passed away Wednesday afternoon October 13, 2021 at Our Lady of the Lake Medical Center in Baton Rouge. He attended Franklinton High School before joining the United States Navy at the age of 17. Charles served his country on the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Independence during the Vietnam War. Upon returning home, he worked off-shore as an electrician for 23 years. Charles was a self-employed refrigeration and appliance repairman for the last 20 years, working throughout the area. He was a longtime member of Poplarhead Missionary Baptist Church.

Survived by:

Wife of 50 years: Diane Sumrall Wood

2 Daughters and Sons in law: Sarah and Brian Brock,  
Wendy and Cole Bickham

4 Grandchildren: Emily and Byron Welch,  
Trent Brock,  
Beau Bickham,  
Brayden Bickham

Great-grandsons: Bryson Welch,  
Kye Welch

2 Brothers and a Sister in law: Thomas and Debbie Wood,  
James Yates Wood, Jr.

2 Sisters and a Brother in law: Melaney Wood Rauch and Alan Rauch,  
Susan Wood

Sister in law: Barbara Luper and her family

Also numerous nieces, nephews and other family members

He was preceded in death by his parents James Yates Wood and Verl Warren Wood, sister Helen V. Wood, father in law and mother in law Willie and Dorothy Sumrall, brother in law Hayward Luper.

A graveside funeral service will be held in the Poplarhead Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery at 11:00 am Saturday October 16th with Eld. Burdette Thomas and Eld. Edward Penton officiating.

Pallbearers: Trent Brock, Beau Bickham, Brayden Bickham, Jacob Luper,  
Justin Luper, Cole Luper

# Tribute Wall



“ Ms. Diane, Wendy, Sarah and family I am very sadden to hear this news. Many prayers to all of you . You are in our prayers . Billy and LaRissa Jordan .

LaRissa Jordan - October 15, 2021 at 09:04 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Charles Wood.



October 15, 2021 at 09:02 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles Wood.



October 15, 2021 at 06:14 PM



“ Susan Barber lit a candle in memory of Charles Wood



Susan Barber - October 15, 2021 at 03:59 PM

JV

“ So very sorry sorry to learn that Charles passed. My prayers and thoughts to Diane, daughters, sisters and brothers and family.  
Joanie Varnado

joanie varnado - October 15, 2021 at 01:33 PM

Juanita Luper

“ Juanita Luper lit a candle in memory of Charles Wood



Juanita Luper - October 15, 2021 at 10:50 AM

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“ Love you all!! You are all In Our prayers. God has gained a very special angel 🙏💕💕



natalie sharp - October 15, 2021 at 09:25 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Charles Wood.



October 15, 2021 at 08:29 AM

EK

“ *Diane and family,  
I am saddened to hear of Charles passing. My God give you  
comfort during this difficult time. You are in my thoughts and  
prayers.*

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**Edna Kennedy** - October 15, 2021 at 08:11 AM

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“ *To my dear friend and family. I'm sorry for Charles's passing. Will be  
praying for God to strengthen you all in this dark time. Still like a  
sister to me. With love for you and your family. God strengthen you .  
Venie Lilly Spears*

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**Venie Spears** - October 15, 2021 at 01:26 AM