



William B. Woods

July 19, 2018

WOODS, Sr. – William B., 91, of Freeport, NY, passed away peacefully on July 18, 2018, in the Somerset Gardens Assisted Living facility in Plainview, NY. Born in Bayside Queens on August 20, 1926, Mr. Woods graduated from the Sacred Heart Academy. He joined the U.S. Army and served as a paratrooper in the Philippines and Japan during World War II. Mr. Woods sold life insurance through the Knights of Columbus to its members throughout New York City.

Mr. Woods was a member of Our Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Church in Freeport, NY, and volunteered as an eucharistic minister.

Mr. Woods was predeceased by his beloved wife of 60 years, Patricia (nee Droesch) Woods in 2013; his parents, Joseph and Mary (nee Leahy) Woods; his brothers, Lawrence Woods, Richard Woods, and Joseph Woods.

Known for his sunny disposition, upbeat attitude, and humor, Mr. Woods is survived by his three children: William B. Woods, Jr., and his wife, Patrice, of Paramus, NJ; Patrick Woods and his wife, Patricia, of East Moriches, NY; and Nancy (nee Woods) Anarumo and her husband, John, of Levittown, NY. His presence will be greatly missed by his six grandchildren: Kelly Ann Woods, Meghan (nee Woods) Machado (and her husband, Nelson), John Anarumo (and his wife, Ashley), Michael Anarumo, Joseph Woods, and Matthew Anarumo. Mr. Woods is also survived by many nieces and nephews across the U.S.

Family will receive friends on Sunday July 22nd from 2 - 4 & 7 - 9 PM Funeral

Mass will be held on Monday, July 23, 2018, at 9:30 AM Our Holy Redeemer RC Church Freeport, NY. Interment Mt St Mary's Cemetery In lieu of flowers, donations to Our Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Church in Freeport, NY, are appreciated.

Tribute Wall



“ Provide comfort for the family by sending flowers or planting a tree in memory of William Woods. Show You Care By Sending Flowers Guaranteed hand delivery by a local florist

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“ Kevin Regan posted a condolence My brother Peter at a family reunion, informed me of the passing. Although it's been many years ago, as a grammar school friend of Billy, Mr Woods and the whole family welcomed me into their home and to enjoy a snack, a meal, and sometimes to have a sleep over. Always friendly to me and our crowd of childhood friends at the time, I pass on my condolences.

Kevin Regan - August 16, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ Janice Basilicata posted a condolence Mr Woods, I know you are in heaven now in charge of the angels. That's what you always reminded me of here on earth. The consummate gentleman. Kind and helpful smiling and cheerful always ready to lend a helping hand. I often thought “they don't make men like him anymore!” Just a gentleman who carried all the values we don't often get to witness in the average male nowadays. I so loved the way you honored your wife in your everyday life. And what a sweet couple you both were! I am assured the Lord has united you both in heavenly matrimony. Marie and I will remember you in our prayers.
Janice

Janice Basilicata - July 27, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *The family of William B. Woods uploaded a photo*

July 20, 2018 at 12:00 AM