



William

October 10, 1934 - January 30, 2011

Oct 10 1934 Jan 30 2011 Fred Woods, 76, was born in Cambridge City, Indiana. He died Sunday in Hughson. He graduated from Lincoln High School in 1952 and the same year enlisted the U.S. Marines for a two-year term. In 1955 he went to work for Turlock Police Dept. and shortly after moved to the Stanislaus County Sheriffs Office. He served for 32 years, the last year of it as the County Sheriff. Fred was an avid golfer and involved in the Northern CA Golf Assn. in Monterey County. He served as marshal at numerous tournaments on the Monterey peninsula and was named the Northern CA Committee Man of the Year in 1996. Mr. Woods is survived by his wife, Linda Carol, daughter Lori (Neil) Van Ruiten, and sons Lance (Sheilenna) and Bruce Woods, his grandchildren Megan Bunch, Lance Buddy Woods, Michele and Katelyn Van Ruiten, Andre and Sienna Woods, and great-granddaughters Emma and Ella Bunch. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lillian Elia Woods, and sisters Shirley Locke and Joyce Woods, and his sister Kathy Combs. Memorial donations may be made to Alexander Cohen Hospice House, St. Judes Childrens Hospital, American Heart Assn., or Salvation Army of Stanislaus County. Private family services have been entrusted to Turlock Memorial Park & Funeral Home. Please share your memories and condolences at www.turlockmemorialpark.com

Tribute Wall



“ *William*

January 28, 2023 at 09:01 AM



“ *As an old Church Street neighbor of Fred's, we are so sorry to read his obit in the Western Wayne News. Jerry and Fred grew up together in the 1930s and 40s. They both had red hair and were often called by the other one's name. In 1979 our family visited Fred's family on our four week trip to CA from IN. His kids may remember the raven that settled on the head of our daughter in their swimming pool. Jerry knew all Fred's sisters, and Shirley was special, as was their mother Helen. Sincere sympathy to all of you.*

Jerry & Phyllis Mattheis - February 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *hi linda,
so sorry to hear about your husband. our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. sincerely, gary and judy*

gary and judy sharar - February 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM