



Jay Wood

December 24, 1919 - May 17, 2011

Jay W. Wood

Jay William Wood age 91, died Tuesday, May 17, 2011 at Waccamaw Community Hospital.

Born in Smithfield, OH, he was a son of the late Clarence and Hildreth Wood. Mr. Wood was a U.S. Army Veteran. He proudly served with the Merrills Mauraders in China, Berma and India during WWII. He was in airplane manufacturing and had been retired since 1983. Mr. Wood was on staff at SC Good Sams Camping organization. He loved to play tennis. He won many matches into his 80??s and ran a fall tennis league and a Prestwick Tournament for 15 years with his wife. Mr. Wood was a member of the American Legion and the VFW for 63 years. He was preceded in death by a brother, Rex E. Wood and his wife Virginia of North Carolina.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Barbara Wilson Wood of Myrtle Beach; a daughter, Michal Idle and her husband Robert of OH; a son, Jeffery Wilson Wood of PA; grandchildren, Jay Robert Idle of OH, Jared Ross Idle of TX and Jeremy Idle of NC and one great-grandchild, Hailey Idle.

A memorial service will be held at 11:00 AM Tuesday, August 23, 2011 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel with Reverend Kirk Lawton officiating.

An online guestbook is available at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Memorial donations may be made to the South Carolina Tennis Association, 18 Wood cross Drive Columbia, SC 29212 or the Grand Strand Miracle League, PO Box 7503 Myrtle Beach, SC 29572.

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Service

AUG **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Celebration Center

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Tribute Wall

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“ DEAR BARB & FAMILY - OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO ALL OF YOU IN JAY'S PASSING. WE TREASURE THE VISITS WE HAD WITH YOU WHILE IN MYRTLE BEACH CAMPING AT OCEAN LAKES. JAY WAS A WONDERFUL HUSBAND AND FATHER AND AN EXCELLENT TENNIS PLAYER. HE WAS A KIND AND GENTLE MAN WITH A WONDERFUL SENSE OF HUMOR, AND HE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED BY ALL. BUT WHAT A FULFILLING LIFE HE HAD!! FROM YOUR ALLIANCE FRIENDS, NELJEAN & BRUCE MARKHAM

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