



Douglas Wood

November 1, 1934 - October 22, 2020

Graveside services for Douglas Wood, 85, of Ledbetter, Texas, are scheduled for 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 25, 2020 at St. John Lutheran Cemetery in Dime Box, Texas with Tim Pitts officiating. Visitation will be held on Saturday, October 24, 2020 from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. and on Sunday, October 25, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. at Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The family will be present for visitation Saturday afternoon from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. visitation will also be held Sunday from 12:00 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. at the cemetery.

Douglas Wood was born on November 1, 1934 in the Beat Five Community of Lee County, Texas. His parents were William Connor Wood and Myra Beryl (McClellan) Wood. He married Betty Joyce (Schultz) Oppermann on March 13, 1964 at St. John Lutheran Church in Dime Box. Douglas was a lifelong area rancher who also owned and operated Douglas Wood Bulldozing, C & D Trucking with his son, Clint, and did custom hay bailing with his son, Marty. He attended St. John Lutheran Church in Dime Box, had been active with the Lee County Jr. Livestock Show, helped to organize the Dime Box Youth Rodeo Association, was a founding member of the Dime Box Ag Youth Supporters, served as the Democratic Party Chairman for Lee County, and was a longtime member of the Dime Box Volunteer Fire Department and had served as the Fire Chief of the Beat Five Volunteer Fire Department. Douglas enjoyed feeding and raising fish, playing dominoes, gardening, fishing, and checking

his cattle. It brought him great joy to spend time with his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Douglas passed away during the early morning hours of Thursday, October 22, 2020 in a Bryan hospital.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Betty; his brother and sister-in-law, Frank & Dorothy Wood; his sisters and brother-in-law, Doss & Jim Griffith, Bess & Harry Smith and Callie & Harry Saenger, and his sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Carolyn & Lloyd Russell.

Douglas is survived by his three sons, Rodney Oppermann of Dime Box, Clint Oppermann & his wife, Marjorie of Dime Box and Marty Wood & his wife, Janice of Dime Box; three grandchildren, Garrett Oppermann & his wife, Kayla of Dime Box and Taylor Wood and Morgan Wood both of Dime Box; three great grandchildren, Holden, Hayden and Hadley Oppermann all of Dime Box; his sister and brother-in-law, Joann & Ed Fritcher of Houston as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Garrett Oppermann, Taylor Wood, Rusty Fritcher, Roger Fritcher, Keith Saenger and Greg Tarnowski.

Memorials may be made the St. John Lutheran Cemetery Fund, the American Cancer Society or the American Heart Association, or to the charity of one's choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24.** 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
3950 East Austin St.
Giddings, TX 78942
(979) 542-3113
phillipsluckey@yahoo.com
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

Family Present for Visitation

OCT **24.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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OCT **25**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

St. John Lutheran Cemetery
8417 FM 141
Dime Box, TX 77853

Graveside Service

OCT **25**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Douglas Wood*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - October 23, 2020 at 07:03 PM

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“ *One of our favorite customers at the "CACTUS" Burton, Texas. Prayers to the family.*

Andie Estrada - November 20, 2020 at 02:07 PM

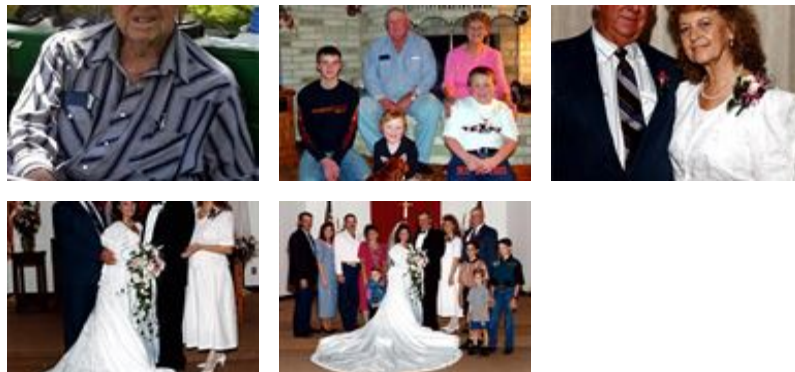
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“ *Our prayers are with the family at this time.*

Gary and Beverly Iselt - October 24, 2020 at 02:47 PM



“ 39 files added to the album *Life Tributes*

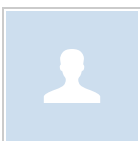


Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - October 23, 2020 at 06:55 PM

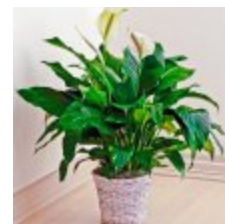
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“ *The Bill Pieratt family sends its sincerest sympathy to the Wood family over Douglas's passing. Our family enjoyed a long and happy relationship with the Wood family beginning with Connor Wood and his wife. Our father hired Connor to manage the dairy operations on our ranch in the 1940s and thereafter Douglas and his family were part of the Pieratt family business. We thought the world of this fine family and we will miss Douglas. RIP good and faithful servant.*

John Pieratt - October 23, 2020 at 06:48 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Douglas Wood.*



October 23, 2020 at 05:36 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White was purchased for the family of Douglas Wood.*



October 23, 2020 at 09:42 AM