



## CARL DAVID "DAVE" WOOLDRIDGE

December 25, 1946 - March 10, 2022

WOOLDRIDGE, Carl David "Dave", age 75, of Middletown, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, March 10, 2022, at the Dayton VA Hospital. He was a Veteran of the United States Air Force. He was born on December 25, 1946, in Middletown, Ohio. He owned and operated Poastown Auto Sales, and Dave's Body Shop, for many years. Dave loved to restore and drive old collector's cars. He never met a stranger and was known and loved by many, many people. The family extends their special thanks and appreciation to the staff at Dayton V.A. Hospital and especially Dr. Cha, Dr. Eisenburg, and Nurse Jessica for their professional and loving care of their Dad during his serious illness. Preceding him in death were his wife, Diana Wooldridge (2015), his parents, Carl and Mildred (Hillenbrand) Wooldridge, one grandson, Austin Wooldridge, and one great-grandson, Cayden Scott Colwell. He is survived by his wife Connie Avery, stepmother Leona Wooldridge, eight children, Jonathon Brewer, Rob (Nikki) Wooldridge, Amy (Paul) Eich, Alan (Angie) Wooldridge, Valerie (Mike) Wooldridge, Sandy (John) Ante, Michael (Christy) Wooldridge and Tami Wooldridge; 23 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Joe (Carol) Wooldridge and Danny Wooldridge; and a host of extended family and friends. Visitation will be Tuesday, March 15, 2022 from 12:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Lewis Street Praise and Worship Center, 720 S. Breiel Blvd., Middletown, Ohio 45044, followed by services at 2:00 p.m. with Pastor Howard Bowe officiating. Interment will be at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Poasttown, Ohio, with military honors by Middletown Combined Honor Guard

and the Air Force Honor Guard. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.herr-riggs.com](http://www.herr-riggs.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *CARL DAVID "DAVE" WOOLDRIDGE*

September 13, 2022 at 09:07 PM



“ *I bought my first car at Dave's at Post town auto sales . There we became great friends with him and his wife Diana . They will both be sadly missed but not forgotten. Prayers for his family. Mike and Alan , we're so sorry for your loss! Deepest 🌸 sympathy for your family! Love , Diane , Jeff, and Sam and his spouse!*

**Diane Salmon** - March 29, 2022 at 03:23 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of CARL DAVID "DAVE" WOOLDRIDGE.*



March 14, 2022 at 09:09 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of CARL DAVID "DAVE" WOOLDRIDGE.*



March 14, 2022 at 08:48 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of CARL DAVID "DAVE" WOOLDRIDGE.



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March 13, 2022 at 04:40 PM



“ I only knew Carl for about a year. He became my neighbor and a friend about the same time. We used to talk about our service time and family and of course cars. I will miss him greatly and pray that he will have a great time in God's presence. Rest in peace my brother in arms.

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**Randy Combs** - March 13, 2022 at 03:42 PM



“ Dave, a friend for 50 years, was one of the kindest, most unselfish and toughest people i have ever known...his love for his family and friends was always apparent through the good times as well as bad times....i frequently told him that "i would want him in my foxhole"....will be missed

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**lynn darbyshire** - March 13, 2022 at 11:32 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of CARL DAVID "DAVE" WOOLDRIDGE.



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March 13, 2022 at 10:17 AM

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“ I believe I bought a car from him back in the 90's. Old k car. I didn't have much money but he worked a deal with too make payments and let me have the car after. No banks or loan just a handshake deal. Nobody does that anymore. Never had an issue with the car. Prayers for you all. He was a good man

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**Ron Begley** - March 12, 2022 at 12:55 PM

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“ I'll never forget the time he sharpened my lawnmower blade for free ! Sounds simple, huh ?  
Well, it's less about the freebie & more about a man who cared for people more then making a “buck”. He was truly a good man with a kind heart.  
Our prayers go out to the Woolridge family.  
Larry & Cyndi Bonelli

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**Larry & Cyndi Bonelli** - March 12, 2022 at 12:38 PM