



## Harold Leslie Wooton

February 17, 1928 - February 21, 2020

Harold Leslie Wooton, 92, Topeka, Kansas passed away on February 21, 2020. He was born at home in Burdette, Colorado on February 17, 1928 to Vernon A. and Reta Rose (Finley) Wooton. After graduating from Cawker City High School in 1946, Harold joined the Army Air Corp in December 1946, and was honorably discharged from the Air Force in 1949. He married Ina Maxine Soudek in Lawrence, Kansas on July 22, 1950. She preceded him in death.

Harold was a hard worker and worked for 32 years for the State of Kansas for the Treasury Department and Department of Administration before retiring in 1990. In his spare time, he enjoyed hot air ballooning, watching television, especially NCIS, and above all, loved his family and time spent with them. Harold was a proud member of American Legion Post 1 in Topeka.

He is survived by daughters, Joyce Wooton, Janet Wooton, Jayne Wooton, and Jill Glidewell (Jim), all of Topeka; grandson, Steven Wooton (Carmen) of Lemoore, California; step-granddaughter, Jessica Glidewell; six great-grandchildren; brother, Dale Wooton; and a sister, LoraLee Yacko both of Cawker City, KS. Harold was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Maxine; son, Steven Leslie; brothers, Alvin, Eldon, and Richard Wooton; and sister, Rosemary Koster.

Memorial service will be 2:00 p.m. on Friday, February 28, at Kevin Brennan

Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614, where visitation will be one-hour prior. Harold requested casual attire for all who attend. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Helping Hands Humane Society, sent in care of the funeral home.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 28. 1:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home  
2801 SW Urish Road  
Topeka, KS 66614  
(785) 272-7888  
[info@kevinbrennanfamily.com](mailto:info@kevinbrennanfamily.com)

## Memorial Service

FEB 28. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Harold Leslie Wooton*



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - February 28, 2020 at 03:47 PM



“ *Harold Leslie Wooton*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *I enjoyed being Papa Harold's friend on Facebook, you learn a lot about someone. I knew that he loved his family very much, he was a proud Veteran, but most of all the love he had for the Lord was very heartwarming. Thank you Papa Harold for your service and your friendship, it is time for you to watch over and guide your loved ones.*

~Micki~ - February 28, 2020 at 02:13 PM



“ *Earl and Sally Koster, Hirsh purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Harold Leslie Wooton.*



Earl and Sally Koster, Hirsh - February 27, 2020 at 09:42 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harold Leslie Wooton.*



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February 26, 2020 at 11:28 AM



“ *Joyce, Janet, Jayne and Jill:  
Harold was my brother-in-law for 70 years. I never had a brother, so he represented a guiding hand on my life. He was very generous. He would loan me a rifle when we went hunting. He loaned me a 1939 Studerbaker to drive when I need transportation. We shared many family outings together. The list goes on and on. He and my sis introduced us to his co-worker (Jerry) who gave us many years (15) of hot-air ballooning enjoyment.  
You should feel comfort that he was always respected by everyone who knew him. He conducted his life as a caring Christian, God Bless.  
Eldon and Sharon*

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**Eldon Soudek** - February 26, 2020 at 10:56 AM



“ *Jayne, so sorry to hear about your father. Our prayers and thoughts are with you during this difficult time. I don,t think I have seen you since I left credit union 1. Good old days!  
Love Carol Ellis*

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**carol ellis** - February 26, 2020 at 10:22 AM

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“ Joyce,

*My thoughts and prayers are with you. May you hold all the dear memories close by.*

*Sincerely,  
Tammy*

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**Tammy** - February 25, 2020 at 11:56 AM

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*So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and Prayers are with you. I grew in Cawker City and knew and attended Church with the Wooton family and sang in the choir with his Mother Rita. He will be missed. Helen Suter VonDemfange*

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**Helen VonDemfange** - February 26, 2020 at 12:52 PM