



Elwood Solomon

November 3, 2019

Solomon, Elwood, of Newtonville, NJ, departed this life on Sunday, November 3, 2019 at his home. He was born on August 16, 1944 to the late John and Lola Solomon of Harrisburg, PA. Elwood was one of 11 children.

Elwood was born in Harrisburg, PA then later moved to Egg Harbor City. He was raised by Larkey Mays. He graduated from Oakcrest High School and also attended Rutgers University. Elwood joined the Church of the Living God, where he met his former wife, Mary Jane Moore (deceased). He worked at the boat company, while doing that he volunteered at the EHC ambulance squad. In 1977, he started his life long career as a police officer in Egg Harbor City. Then later he was promoted to Sergeant. Elwood was also an instructor for the Police Academy. He was a first responder at the tragic event of 911. Elwood retired from the police force in 2009 after 33 years. He was an American Heart Association faculty level instructor since 2013. Elwood was with AtlantiCare's life support Training Center teaching BLS and Heartsaver courses for over 12 years. He taught for many of the local businesses, schools, and colleges in Atlantic County. Elwood belonged to the MRC of Atlantic County. He also started a business with Thomas Caucci called "Solomon Landscaping". Elwood was a member of the Kiwanis Club. He enjoyed going to the Atco Raceway. Elwood loved antique cars and hosted a car show called "Crusin' to the Beach".

In addition to his parents, Elwood was predeceased by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Richardson; his four brothers, King David Solomon, John Solomon, Samuel Dockery and Raymond Cain; and one sister, Sylvia Solomon.

Elwood leaves to cherish his memories his wife, Sally Solomon; his three daughters, Juanita Solomon Boyd (Frank) of AC, Janice Collier (Sterling) of EHC, Jacqueline Solomon of EHC; his two sons, Elwood Solomon Jr. of EHT and Jayden Solomon of Newtonville; his one brother, Paul Solomon (Patricia) of Florida; his four sisters, Diane Siplin of Trenton, Isabel of Trenton, Isabel R. Thompson (Jack) of Willingboro, Dolores Solomon of Mt. Laurel and Addie Dockery of Trenton; his ten grandchildren; his ten great

grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and an abundance of friends.

A visitation will be held on Wednesday, November 13th from 5:00 to 8:00 PM and again on Thursday, November 14th from 9:00 to 11:00 AM with a service at 11:00 AM all at Wimberg Funeral Home, 211 E. Great Creek Rd, Galloway 609-641-0001. Interment will immediately follow at Egg Harbor City Cemetery. For condolences and directions, please visit wimbergfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery

Egg Harbor City Cemetery

Moss Mill Road and Hamburg Avenue

Egg Harbor City, NJ, 08215

Events

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| NOV 13 | Visitation | 05:00PM - 08:00PM |
| | Wimberg Funeral Home - Galloway 211 East Great Creek Road, Galloway, NJ, US, 08205 | |
| NOV 14 | Visitation | 09:00AM - 11:00AM |
| | Wimberg Funeral Home - Galloway 211 East Great Creek Road, Galloway, NJ, US, 08205 | |
| NOV 14 | Service | 11:00AM |
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Comments



“ To one of my dearest friends. Miss you brother. Thank you for your friendship and for so many great memories.

Jerry Shockey - April 20, 2020 at 07:05 PM



“ We are thinking of you at this time and trusting God to surround you with His peace. I remember him as a policeman who really cared about his job and the people , older, middle-aged, young , and the children of Egg Harbor City. The Bible tells us in Isaiah 49:13; John 14:18; Hebrews 13:5 : "...I will not leave you comfortless...I will never leave you, nor forsake you".

Mr. & Mrs. Dominic Marro

Dorothea Marro - November 14, 2019 at 10:22 AM



“ Rest in peace my brother.. You will be missed



Dave Snyder - November 13, 2019 at 09:39 PM



“ Elwood was a fun guy with always great stories to tell at many breakfasts together at EJs. My sincere condolences to the family.

allan botwinick - November 12, 2019 at 06:47 PM



“ I still remember his jokes whenever he came into the bank where I worked...RIP

Doris Rush-Lopez - November 12, 2019 at 10:03 AM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Elwood Solomon.



November 11, 2019 at 12:39 PM



“ Mr.Solomon.....You were a Wonderful Gentleman & a Beautiful Friend from the early days in Egg Harbor City or should I say “ From the Old Days “. Back then those days were the best !!!! I'm glad we were friends..... RIP my Friend



Ellie Mangold - November 10, 2019 at 11:49 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Elwood Solomon.



November 08, 2019 at 10:33 PM



“ RIP...

Theresa Coyle-Schweighardt - November 08, 2019 at 08:41 AM



“ To the family - I've known Elwood for many years. I knew some of his children. He was a very nice man. He knew my father when he worked at the boat company. I am very sorry for your loss. May he rest in peace.

Ann Marshall - November 08, 2019 at 08:27 AM



“ I have known Elwood my entire life. His passing is a great loss to all who knew him, loved him and respected him. My sincere condolences go out to his family.



Tammy Smith-Sleipnes - November 07, 2019 at 08:52 PM



“ Elwood will always be one of my favorite people. This is a man that was always smiling and helping the person next to him. He was a good friend and colleague to me. I could tell him how I was really feeling and he never told a soul. We had a lot of fun teaching together. You will be surely missed by all.

Rest In Peace my dear friend,

Agnes Galiano, RN, CEN
Retired NJ Paramedic

Agnes Galiano - November 07, 2019 at 07:13 PM



“ Although I haven't seen Elwood in years, he brings fond memories. I owned The Bungalow Inn for a while and on occasion needed his services. The thing I remember most is his wonderful smile and his friendly demeanor. He also never played favoritism. He gave everybody tickets. He was a wonderful man and the city of Egg Harbor has suffered a great loss. Farewell Elwood Solomon rest in peace in God's arms.

BARBARA GRIESLER - November 07, 2019 at 07:02 PM



“ Elwood was the best officer. He always help us make the right choices he always help if he could he was a person all around. Cindy Silipena Keiser he's going to be missed. He will be a great Angel

cindy silipena keiser - November 07, 2019 at 05:05 PM



“ My condolences to your family. I remember when I was growing up in Egg Harbor, and Officer Elwood would come by to visit us. RIP, Elwood.

Eileen Bauer - November 07, 2019 at 03:33 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Wimberg Funeral Home - November 07, 2019 at 10:46 AM