



## Christopher A Woods

July 21, 1947 - February 20, 2024

Christopher A. Woods, age 76, of Dubois County, passed away peacefully at 6:27 a.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2024, at Memorial Hospital and Health Care Center in Jasper, Indiana.

Chris was born in Elkins, West Virginia, on July 21, 1947, to Gilbert and Lila Geraldine (Flanagan) Woods.

He received his Master's Degree in social work at the University of Tennessee.

Chris worked in mental health and substance abuse counseling in Dubois and surrounding counties for many years including his private counseling practice, Alternatives, located in Jasper.

He enjoyed the outdoors, gardening, and was an avid reader. He loved playing his guitar and harmonica, especially the old mountain music of the past- gospel music and hymns.

He was a man of great faith and had a ministry at several area churches.

He is survived by one daughter; Laurel Aileen (Brandon) Sandage, Bloomington, two sons; James Adler, Louisville, KY, and Mark (Jen) Adler,

Paris, Kentucky, four granddaughters; Sophia, Nora, Lily, and Rose Adler, and former wife; Jeanne Melchior, Jasper.

He will be missed by his many friends, colleagues, and church family.

A Celebration of Life for Christopher A. Woods will be held at a later date.

In lieu of memorial contributions, the family asks you participate in random acts of kindness.

Online condolences may be made at [www.becherkluesner.com](http://www.becherkluesner.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ Chris was a childhood friend. We were buddies and friends all the year while going to Coalton 12-year school. His Mother made the greatest sweet pickles that I have ever had. Our families were good friends and I tried to keep in contact over the years. We lost contact after High School because we when in different directions, but I have always considered him as a great friend. We have written some in the last few years, but I haven't heard from him since his last move. I did a search hoping to reestablish contact but discovered his obituary. I'm sadden but I have many fond memories. Good by old friend and I'm sure you are with our Lord and savior.

*Mike Silvester*

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**Gerald M Silvester** - March 24, 2024 at 02:32 PM



“ Chris became my best friend over the last few years. I loved him with all my heart and soul. He taught me so many things about Jesus and the Christian way of life. I have never met anyone like him. I know that he is happy now playing music in heaven. Fly high Chris and rest in peace

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**Richard Hall** - February 26, 2024 at 05:46 PM

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“ Chris, it hasn't sunk in yet, but I believe you are already sharing your stories and wisdom with those you meet in the afterlife. My life was certainly richer in the years I had the pleasure of sharing with you. Ken Nonemacher

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**Ken Nonemacher** - February 24, 2024 at 01:03 PM

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“ Chris met in our Emmaus Reunion group for several years with Rick Gadish, Duane Murphy and me. Weather permitting we met weekly on early mornings at Patoka Lake. I have so many fond and meaningful memories, and will always remember Chris for his wry sense of humor. Rest well, my friend.

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**Jack Cartwright** - February 20, 2024 at 03:44 PM