

# Captain Wells A. Woodley, III (1938-2019)

Wells was born February 20, 1938 in Cincinnati to a bank trustee, Wells A. Woodley, Jr., and Mildred Woodley of College Hill.



He joined the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office as a Special Deputy, was promoted through the ranks to Captain, and served the county for 47 years.

He was also a past Trustee and Elder at the White Oak Presbyterian Church and 50-year member and past Master of the College Hill-Harry S. Johnson Masonic Lodge #641.

Captain Woodley passed away on May 3, 2019 at the age of 81 years.

He is survived by his wife of nearly 40 years, Anna M. (Daiber) Woodley; children, Wells Adam (Cindy) Woodley, Lora (Tipton) Ford, and Patricia (Dennis) Kolb; grandchildren, Andy (Amanda) Ford, Daniel Ford, Jessica Woodley, and Luke Woodley; and sister, Diane (Joe) Richardson.

Visitation will be held 5 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, May 9, 2019 at the [Paul R. Young Funeral Home](#) in Mt. Healthy. A Masonic service will be held at 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., the next morning, May 10, 2019. Interment will follow at [Spring Grove Cemetery](#).

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to [Hospice of Cincinnati](#).