



Dr. Constance "Connie" Louise Wood

December 07, 1948 - September 06, 2024

Dr. Constance "Connie" Louise Wood, 75, left this life after a vibrant career and family life on Sept. 6, 2024. She will be cherished through her son, Clinton Foster Cady, his wife, Page Alden and their daughter, Ella Clayton "EC" Cady. Constance entered this life on December 7, 1948, daughter of Clinton Don Wood and Colona Kenney of Frankfort, KY.

Constance was beloved educator, and most enjoyed mentoring her students having had a distinguished tenure at the University of Kentucky as Emerita Associate Professor of Statistics. Prior to joining the University of Kentucky, Constance embarked her professional career at the University of Cornell after obtaining her undergraduate degree from Hollins College and her doctorate degree from Florida State University. Upon returning to her home state in 1978, Constance joined the University of Kentucky as a faculty member in the Department of Statistics. Throughout her career, in addition to teaching, she also served as the Associate Dean and Acting Dean of the University of Kentucky Graduate School before leading the Statistics Department as Chair. She finished her career as the Director of Graduate Studies helping graduate students pursue the Masters and Doctoral degrees while also serving on the University of Kentucky Senate Council.

Outside of work, she employed her skills as an avid bridge player and golf in her younger years and later in life as a volunteer until her health prevented it, volunteering for the annual Keeneland Concours Car Show where she and her students compiled judges scores of cars entered in the show. She also had a passion for fashion always "Dressing to the 9's", traveling the world, and love for the Florida State University Seminoles and Kentucky Wildcats basketball and football teams which she passed down to her granddaughter.

The family will observe a private service and a celebration of life will be held November 30th, 2024 at Spindletop Hall from 6 – 8 pm. The family encourages expressions of sympathy in her memory to the Constance Wood Graduate Fellowship in Statistics Fund at the University of Kentucky: <https://give.uky.edu/campaigns/47157/donations/new?designation=constancelwoodgraduatefellowshipinstatisticsfund>

She will be laid to rest at the historic Frankfort Cemetery in Frankfort, KY beside her beloved parents.

Please sign the guest book and submit condolence messages at www.milwardfuneral.com.

Cemetery



FRANKFORT CEMETERY

215 E Main St,
Frankfort, KY 40601

Events



CELEBRATION OF LIFE

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Spindletop Hall 3414
Iron Works Pike ,
Lexington , KY 40511
