James G. 'Jim' Wofford ET1(SS) Blue Crew 1971-1974 Nov. 30, 1947 to Sept. 18, 2023

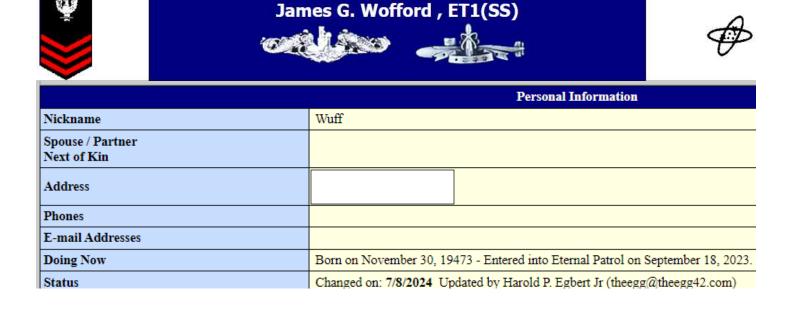
Jim lived in the Nevada City area for the past 41 years as a self-described "hermit". Even though, he walked upwards of three miles per day and enjoyed hanging out in local coffee shops. He considered himself well-known at his regular hangouts where he would read and write, or spend time with familiar strangers. He enjoyed a good conversation. A rather bookish character, Jim had special interests in hiking, ecological science study and research, history, philosophy, science, and population genetics.

He was born in Atascadero, California, and grew up in Southern California. He served in the US Navy from 1968 to 1974. He served in Vietnam in 1969 and on a submarine from 1971 to 1974. He attended and earned a Bachelor's degree in Psychology and a Master's degree in Sociology from California State University, Chico, between 1974 and 1979. He worked in Water and Wastewater Treatment from 1981 through 2007. From 2004 until a few years ago, Jim worked with environmental groups, volunteering in environmental fieldwork with the Sierra Streams Institute, and the South Yuba Citizens League.

Jim's ashes will be released in the garden scattering at Sierra Memorial Lawn Cemetery, at Hooper & Weaver Mortuary in Nevada City, California.

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US Navy Service Informa		
Years Served	Joined in 1968 left in 1974	
Highest Rank - Rate	E6 - ET1(SS)	
Service Number		
USN Retired	No	
Naval Service Highlights		
Ships Served On	SSBN-655	

Hull#	Ship's Name	Rate/Rank	Years
SSBN-655	Henry L Stimson	ET1(SS)	1971-74