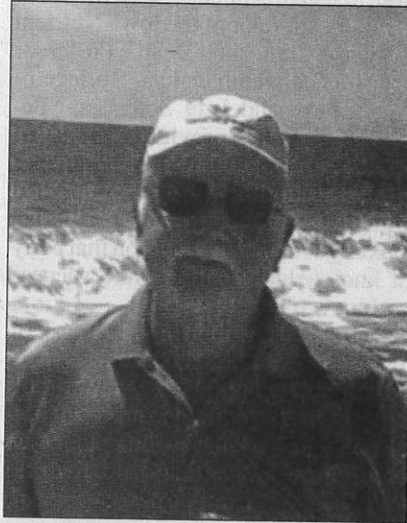


Ivan Neil Wooster



A Celebration of Life for Ivan Neil Wooster, 65, was held at the Verde Santa Fe Clubhouse in Arizona on Friday, June 3. A second celebration will be held in Iowa in July, with more details to follow. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in his name to the Verde Valley Neighborhood Food Project.

Ivan was born in Monona County,

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Iowa. He retired from a career in facility maintenance and people management, a career he started as a groundskeeper at William Penn University and ended as the Integrated Services Manager for Unity Point Health, Des Moines.

Ivan and Suzy relocated to Cornville, Arizona, in 2018 after living for 34 years in central Iowa. In Arizona, he continued his hardworking nature, even in retirement, as the president of the Master Board of the Verde Santa Fe Home Owners Association.

Ivan loved golf, the Iowa Hawkeyes, craft beer, watching Rilee play softball, gardening, the Chicago Cubs, fishing, his family, and most of all, his wife, Suzy. He could fix anything and often did whether you asked him for his help or not. Ivan was the consummate coach and manager. He always got the best out of everyone whether they were 7 or 77.

He is survived by his wife Suzy; his children Eric and Marly; three grandchildren, Rilee, Merritt, and Cyrus; and his siblings Bill, Gean, Judy, Dee, Rita, John Jr., Vinton, and Marcia.

He was preceded in death by his parents, John Sr. and Violetta Wooster, and his sister Rilda.