



Milton "Chuck" Carroll Woolridge

February 4, 1935 - March 8, 2009

Milton Carroll Woolridge died on March 8, 2009 in Oregon City at Willamette Falls Hospital due to complications from cancer.

Chuck was born in St. Joseph Missouri and made his way to Oregon. In the spring of 1965 he met and married Gloria Torrence; they were married for nearly 44 years. He drove truck for a living and during his career worked for Risberg, McCracken Bros Motor Freight, Blue Bell and Raz Transportation. During his life he enjoyed fishing, camping, family genealogy and was always generous helping his family. During the holidays Chuck enjoyed volunteering his time as Santa Claus and would appear at children's hospitals, nursing homes and various schools. He became known as the "truck driving Santa" and appeared on the national television show Real People and locally on PM Magazine. He attracted people with his willingness to share stories and his relentless humor.

He is survived by his wife Gloria Woolridge, sons Robert Woolridge, Doug Woolridge, Kevin Comstock and daughters Kathy Tweet and Cheryl Krause. Grandchildren 7 ; and great-grandchildren 2. He is predeceased by his

parents and son Scott Woolridge; 10 brothers and sisters.

He was loved and will be missed.

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Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAR 14. 12:00 AM (PT)

Hillside Chapel
1306 7th Street
Oregon City, OR

Tribute Wall



“ Milton "Chuck" Carroll Woolridge

January 28, 2023 at 02:51 PM



“ Gloria and family, We are sorry for your loss. I remember growing up and the fond memories of Chuck. He was a kind and generous man. Our prayers are with you.

Bill and Jan Javens

(Smitty and Bev's daughter)

Bill and Jan Javens - March 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Gloria, and family. I want to send my deepest sympathies, we didnt get to see each other very often, but I will surely miss " Uncle Milton". I know he didnt like to be called that, but he was Uncle Milton to me. He just called at Christmas and he spoke to both me and Rick, he was always so up and happy whenever we spoke. I want to say again, all our thoughts are with, you and the whole family. I imagine the brothers are going to have a great time, seeing each other again.

Jamie Woolridge Roberts - March 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ Gloria,

Please know that you and your family are in our hearts and prayers. Uncle Milton was a very funny man, more so when he and Dad and Uncle Joe all got together. He certainly will be missed.

From: Kate Woolridge, Jamie and Rick Roberts of St. Joseph, Mo., aand family and Mike and Lisa Woolridge of Columbia, Mo., and family.

Kate Woolridge - March 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM