

Rodney Orrus Greer

February 17, 1947 - January 19, 2024

The Greer family lost their father, husband, grandfather, great-grandfather, and friend. Rodney Greer passed away in Portland, Oregon peacefully after a sudden brain aneurysm at the age of 76.

Rodney was born in Nampa, Idaho February 17, 1947, to Glenn & Selena (Morrison) Greer. Rod graduated from Minico High School in Rupert, Idaho, and attended college for one year studying forestry in 1966.

He was an avid outdoorsman which included fishing, hunting, shooting, and camping. These activities were not just a hobby but a way of life that he eagerly shared with his friends and family. He was a true handyman. No task was too great or too small for his skilled hands and he approached every challenge with a smile and smirk.

Rodney served his country in the United States Air Force in Germany as a bomb inspector and was honorably discharged in 1971. While overseas for enjoyment, he did competition skeet shooting and traveled around through Germany, Switzerland, and neighboring countries.

Once out of the service he traveled across the United States with his buddy Ed to Medford. He got a job at Sears as a mechanic and became good friends with his boss. They both moved to Albany, Oregon to the automotive department for Kmart. Shortly after he met his wife, Sharon, she was "his blue light special". They married in February 1977. In a few years, he took a position with Albany Wheel n Exhaust, then worked at Smoke Craft for 25 years. In 2007 he went to work at Lowe's distribution center until retirement in 2014.

Rodney is survived by his wife, Sharon of 46 years; daughters Audrey Greer, Yvette Greer, Lynda Palmer, Nadine Warren and husband Frank; 8 grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren; sister Shirley Holmes of Idaho; and many nieces and nephews.

Rodney is preceded in death by his parents; and brothers, Robert, David, and Lyle of Idaho.

In lieu of flowers please donate to the American Heart Society or charity of your choice.



IN HONORED MEMORY OF Rodney Orrus Greer

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MONDAY JANUARY 29 AT 11:00 AM
THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF
LATTER-DAY SAINTS
ALBANY, OREGON



Miss Me -- But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road
And the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room.
Why cry for a soul set free?
Miss me a little--but not too long
And not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love that we once shared,
Miss me--but let me go.
For this is a journey that we all must take
And each must go alone.
It's all a part of the Master's plan,
A step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick of heart
Go to the friends we know
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds.

Miss Me--But Let me Go!

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Funeral Service

Monday January 29 at 11:00 AM

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints
Albany, Oregon

Presiding

Bishop Winter

Conducting

Brad Groshong

Organist

Elna Winstead

Chorister

Lynn Groshong

Opening Hymn

"I Need Thee Every Hour" Pg. 98

Invocation

Bob Alexander

Eulogy

Diane Clark

Speaker

Bob Abraham

Obituary

Nadine Warren

Intermediate Hymn

"I'm a Child of God" Pg. 301

Speakers

Jaiden Horton - Granddaughter
Yvette Greer - Daughter

Speaker

Bishop Winter

Closing Hymn

"Till We Meet Again" Pg. 152

Benediction

Ray Greer

Casket Bearers

Brennon Pack , Bridger Greer, Ray Greer, Sam Bond, Tanner Devinny, Bob Abraham