



Harold "Dutch" Moody

December 14, 1961 - January 13, 2017

Harold "Dutch" Virgil Moody Jr. passed away unexpectedly at the young age of 55 on January 13, 2017. He leaves behind his family and a large collection of beloved friends who are all devastated by his passing.

Sadly, he left his family with no funeral or memorial plans in place; therefore, we are hoping to raise funds to cover the cost for his service and burial. If you're in a position to help, Dutch's family greatly appreciates your generosity.

Dutch was born in San Jose, California, on December 14, 1961 to Virginia Coolbaugh and Harold Moody, both of whom preceded him in death. He spent his early years in San Jose and Oroville and attended Las Plumas High School in Oroville. As a young man, Dutch proudly enlisted in the Army and was honorably discharged and retired soon after receiving injuries he sustained while serving active duty. For many years, he was enthusiastically involved in Alcoholics Anonymous and was well-known within the halls of recovery. His passion for a better life, his unabashed sense of humor, his unconditional love of his children, extended family and friends, and his unwavering relationship with his higher power made for the perfect recipe of an all-around GOOD GUY. He is survived by his sister, Leanne Wilson and brother, Gerald Moody, five children, Melissa Moody, Miranda Moody, Mariah Moody, Harold "Trey" Moody and Dayton Jennings (deceased), 2 granddaughters, 8 grandsons, 2 nieces and 1 nephew.

Dutch was incredibly lovable, jolly and bigger than life. One word used to describe him at a recent candlelight vigil held in his honor was BOISTEROUS! How fitting that is. Several friends and family members shared stories of Dutch that brought comfort, peace and laughter to those in attendance. One of his friends, Richard Trask, has this to say about Dutch:

"Dutch and I first got to know each other hanging out at the local coffee shop, in particular Starbucks but sometimes downtown on Plumas Street. He and I soon became fast friends and spent quite a bit of time together; inseparable at times. He came to know me better than most, and I discovered in him a fierce but loving spirit. Dutch Moody was fearless but gentle; a good example of a man; an unmatched sense of loyalty.

Dutch never took life lightly; and what I mean by that is that it didn't matter whether it was just a simple conversation, or deeper thoughts concerning God and family, his passion oftentimes fueled by empathy was constant and unwavering.

Dutch's personality has been painted many colors by his experiences throughout his lifetime; experiences that many may never know. Dutch was, and still is, in my heart, larger-than-life, rolling down the road listening to, and sometimes having "One Foot in the Blues". "

Arrangements for Dutch are being handled by Holycross in Yuba City, California, and a potluck memorial service for him will be held at The Bride Church on Saturday, February 4, 2017 at 10:00 AM. Please bring a favorite dish to share.

The Bride Church is located at 655 Colusa Ave., Yuba City, California, 95991.

Cemetery Details

Sacramento Valley National Veterans Cemetery

Dixon, CA

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Memorial

FEB 4. 10:00 AM (PT)

Bride Church
655 Colusa Hwy
Yuba City, CA 95991

Tribute Wall



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Harold "Dutch" Moody.*



February 01, 2017 at 12:01 PM



“ *David Holycross lit a candle in memory of Harold "Dutch" Moody*



David Holycross - January 16, 2017 at 03:01 PM