obituary

Larry Wonn Preedy

January 11, 1939 - January 19, 2022

Larry Preedy, 83, passed away at his home in Keizer, Oregon on Jan. 19, 2022 from COPD. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Alice (Jacobs) Preedy and children Steve (Mimi) Preedy, Kathy (Henry) Gowen, Jennifer (Scott) Henry, seven grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and sister Jan Black. He was preceded in death by his brother Tim Preedv.

Larry was born January 11, 1939 in

obituary

Rosalie Louise Weathers

October 18, 1938 - January 29, 2022

Raymond and Catherine Kerr, the youngest

of their three children. While she was in

grade school the family moved to Salem,

where she attended Sacred Heart Academy.

After graduating high school, she advanced

C. Weathers on July 19, 1958. Together

they had six children: Douglas (Audrey),

Denise (Curtis), Anthony (Susan), Terrance

(Chris) Christopher (Karen), Kevin (Lexie),

Rosalie married her lifelong love, Donald

her studies at Marylhurst College.

Rosalie Weathers was born in Portland, to

Satanta, Kan. to Clarence and Ethel Preedy. His family soon moved to a farm near Liberal, Kan. He graduated from Liberal High School in 1956 and four years later married Alice. Larry proudly served in the National Guard.

After graduating from high school, Larry worked as a fabrication welder and also worked in the oil fields while farming with his father. Larry and Alice started their own farm in 1967 and raised irrigated alfalfa, wheat, milo and cattle. He also had a trucking business hauling cattle and grain. In 1977 Larry and Alice made the decision to move to the Pacific Northwest and raise their family in Philomath. This was risky because Larry was not sure what he would do in Oregon, but within a few months he purchased a small excavation business and was off and running. Still a farmer at heart, they purchased land near Airlie, Oregon and

as well as 13 grandchildren and 11 great

Rosalie loved the family Hop farm, and as the kids got older she took over administrative and payroll duties while still finding the time to start and take over other businesses along the way, including Fancy Fibers and, from her father, Kerr Supply Co.

grandchildren.

Rosalie loved horses and was the leader of the Keizerettes & Kings 4H Club for many years. Countless blue ribbons were won under her tutelage and encouragement. Rosalie and Don spent many a wedding anniversary at the Fairgrounds attending horse shows.

Rosalie and Don were members of several clubs throughout their lives, from The Terrace Club in the 60s to International Flying Farmers. Rosalie was also a member of the "Chicken Little Club"—the association of wives who flew with their husbands. As part of her devout Catholic planted 20,000 Christmas trees. After the trees were harvested, they planted a 40 acre grape vineyard. When the grapes started producing, they built and started Airlie Winery. Larry also served on the Board of the Oregon Winegrowers Association.

Larry was not afraid to take chances, he enjoyed challenges, and worked hard to be successful. Larry would lend you a hand without being asked, was honest and had a high level of integrity. He could also build, repair, paint, modify and fix just about anything. For example, when he needed a rain cover canopy for his sporting clays shooting golf cart, rather than buy it, he purchased a sewing machine and made it himself.

Larry loved to hunt pheasants and quail in Kansas, chukars and elk in eastern Oregon, and target shooting at his local gun clubs. He also built and raced micro midgets, dune

faith, she participated in church choirs, the altar society, and many other affinity groups. Don and Rosalie loved to travel when they could, including trips to New Zealand, Australia, China and Mexico. She also made a trip to Russia with her sister Charlene.

She was preceded in death by her Parents, her brother Rogert and her sister Charlenet (Carlt). Other close family mourning her loss are Roger's wife Lynne Kerr, and in-laws Bud Herberger (Patt) and Emily Weathers (Harley†).

Towards the end of her life, Rosalie battled Alzheimer's, with Don by her side every step of the way. Although Dementia stole her mind and COVID took her body, her heart will always be with us.

Services for Rosalie will be held at Saint Edwards Catholic Church in Keizer on Friday Feb. 11th, 2022. Recitation of the rosary will begin at 1:00 pm followed by buggies, and flew model airplanes. Larry will be greatly missed. In honor of Larry, there will be a gathering of family and friends at Airlie Winery on Saturday, July 23, 2022.



LARRY WONN PREEDY

mass of Christian burial at 1:30 pm.

Donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association in memory of Rosalie Weathers.



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sudoku

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