



Charles Lewis Rhoades

December 14, 1959 - June 28, 2019

Charles Lewis Rhoades, Chuck was born in San Bernardino and grew up in Rialto, the youngest of five. He and his son, Geoff, were best of friends and roommates in Redlands. Taking after his father, Dusty, Chuck was a great golfer. He spent much of his career working in retail golf and at golf courses.

After health issues forced him to step away from golf, he spent much of his time restoring a 1970's era VW bug. This labor of love led him to car shows, with the Bug frequently winning awards. Attending car shows brought him a new group of like-minded friends, with whom he enjoyed many weekends.

Chuck is survived by oldest brother Robert (Maryann), sister Janice (Sophie), brother Jack (Linda), and sister-in-law Mary Beth. His older brother Bill passed in 1978. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

"In lieu of flowers, etc. the family respectfully requests a donation to MDS Foundation".
Service information pending date, time and location.

Comments



“ It was an honor and a gift to be present at Chuck's passing. I am so blessed to have such a wonderful and giving family. And, what a tribute to the friendships he forged with his car show buddies. They truly rallied around as he fought the good fight. It is a time to grieve, and also to breathe a sigh of relief, as Chuck's suffering and pain has been lifted. Thank you so much to all the good people that helped him to bear that. I would love to see folks that want to celebrate Chuck make a contribution to the MDS Foundation.
www.mds-foundation.org

Jan Rhoades - July 01, 2019 at 03:20 PM



“ Jan, that was a wonderful suggestion about the Mds foundation. Chuck fought a good fight, even with all the thoughts, prayers and exceptional skill of his doctors. He was unable to beat his illness. He went peacefully.

Mary Beth Rhoades - July 01, 2019 at 10:27 PM



“ Chuck will always be the “baby” of the family, But he grew to be a loving and devoted father. He was a story teller. He had a bigger than life personality. I recall that my mother in law, Ruth had trouble taking photographs. Whenever a family photo was to be taken... Chuck would imitate his mother's photography stance. We would all laugh in loving fun.

Mary Beth Rhoades - July 01, 2019 at 02:34 PM