



Mark Anthony Rond

March 9, 2026

Mark Anthony Rond, "Uncle Markie", 64 years old, died peacefully on March 9th, 2026 at his home in Napa, California.

Mark was born in Vallejo, California to Laverne and Esther Rond. He graduated from Everest school in Vallejo. He was employed for 41 years at the Vallejo Electric Motor Shop and later worked at Wine Bev. He enjoyed bowling, fishing, swimming, and dancing. He was a participant in Special Olympics and Camp ReCreation, where he was well known for his roaring "USA" chant. He loved family gatherings and vacations, especially, to Disneyland or camping.

Mark is survived by his brother Conrad "Butch" Rond (Meredith), sister Mary Weir (Bob), sister Kathy Rotwitt (Barry) and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. He is also survived by his "adopted" Stayman Estate family. Mark was predeceased by his parents Laverne and Esther Rond, a brother Ronald Rond and brother LaVerne "Bert" Rond.

Mark embraced life with enthusiasm and lived it to the fullest! He hated conflict and embraced each person he met with joy and love!

A visitation will be held on Friday, March 27th from 4:30pm-7:00pm at Claffey and Rota Funeral Home, 1975 Main Street in Napa. The rosary will be recited

at 5:00pm. A funeral mass will be celebrated on Saturday, March 28th at 1:00pm at St. Apollinaris Catholic Church, 3700 Lassen Street in Napa with a reception to follow. Mark will be laid to rest at All Souls Catholic Cemetery in Vallejo during a private family service.

Donations may be made to:

Camp ReCreation, P.O. Box 671, Orangevale, CA 95662

Special Olympics, 3480 Buskirk Ave., Suite 340, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

Alzheimer's Association, 1450 Neotomas Ave. Suite 140, Santa Rosa, CA 95405

Cemetery Details

All Souls Catholic Cemetery

550 Glen Cove Road
Vallejo, CA 94591
info@cfcssacramento.org

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 27. 4:30 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Claffey and Rota Funeral Home
1975 Main Street
Napa, CA 94559
(707) 224-5210
services@claffeyandrota.com
<http://www.claffeyandrota.com>

Rosary

MAR 27. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Claffey and Rota Funeral Home
1975 Main Street
Napa, CA 94559
(707) 224-5210
services@claffeyandrota.com
<http://www.claffeyandrota.com>

Mass

MAR 28. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (PT)

St. Apollinaris Catholic Church
3700 Lassen St
Napa, CA 94558
(707) 257-2555

Reception

MAR 28. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (PT)

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3700 Lassen St
Napa, CA 94558
(707) 257-2555

Tribute Wall

NA

“ Nate A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mark Anthony Rond.

Nate A. - April 01 at 06:10 PM

CE

“ Carlota E. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mark Anthony Rond.

Carlota E. - March 28 at 12:48 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mark Anthony Rond.



March 27 at 10:51 PM



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March 27 at 10:51 PM

HR

“ *Helen Reavis purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mark Anthony Rond.*



Helen Reavis - March 26 at 01:22 PM

DW

“ *Darlene Wong purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mark Anthony Rond.*



Darlene Wong - March 22 at 05:04 PM

MR

“ One of my fondest memories of Mark was his often-infallible memory. I would try to find good-natured ways to trick him, but Mark always seemed to get the last laugh.

Kelli and I had a mountain cabin at which it was often our pleasure to have Mark join us. On his visits, Mark would bring a pile of 20 or more wrestling magazines and place them in a specific drawer (and, in a very specific and very consistent order).

I would notice this and move only one magazine ever so slightly out of order in the pile. Mark never failed to bust me. I would even try the same thing the next day (in a different way) and I was still busted. Mark never failed to outsmart me....

My fondest part of this memory is Mark's laughter when he busted me (every time). Mark's exuberant laugh and big smile will be my lasting memory.

Rest In Peace, Mark. Heaven just got a little more special...

Mike Robertson - March 17 at 11:43 AM

EW

Hi Mike, thank you for sharing your memories with Mark. Hope you are doing well.

Erin Weir - March 30 at 11:22 AM

ID

“ One new years eve Kathy and Mary came to our house and of course Mark was with them. He and I were sitting on the couch and to make a long story short Mark and I became engaged, it was such a precious and treasured memory for me. Mark if everyone will be just a little quiet we can all hear the angels rejoicing. Mark thank you for being part of my life.

Irene Dover - March 17 at 07:15 AM