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This publication is a sub-set of the *DANCERgram*, which provides Square and Round Dance news for the West Coast of Florida AND is the official Newsletter of the West Coast Square & Round Dancers Association (formerly the *West Coast Dancer*).

If you have or you know someone who has something to celebrate, are ill, or have suffered a loss, and you would like to share it with the square and round dance community, please let us know.

Announcements will be made for Florida based retired callers and cuers, callers and cuers, who perform in Florida, and square and round dancers from the West Coast Association area as well as West Coast Association officers, Florida Federation officers, and Florida representatives on the USDA Board – all of these include current, former, and retired individuals.

Please email sgdncfan@gmail.com with the person's/people's name(s), details of the incident, address to mail cards to, what club they belong to (or did), if applicable, if they are a caller or cuer or a partner to a caller and cuer.

If you have any questions, please contact the Editor.

Joys

Concerns

I checked on **Bob and Maria Spence** on December 9th. Maria said they are ok. Bob is in PT to help him with walking and balance. She got her booster shot and had a terrible reaction. She was ill for two weeks. Bob turns 90 in February. They don't go out much. They miss dancing!

If you would like to send card, their address is 15 Matricaria Ct., Homosassa, FL 34446-5903. Their phone number and email address is 352-382-0336 and flspence@earthlink.net.

Bob and Maria were Federation presidents in 2011-2012.

Sonny Booher has been up north with his daughter, while he has been recovering from the amputation of his leg. He had an infection in the leg prior to being put in the hospital last December with COVID. The infection got worse and the doctor decided it needed to be amputated. The amputation is just below the knee. He has a very positive attitude about it. He has stated that when he recovers from the amputation, he will get a prosthetic leg and will return to square dancing. If you would like to send cards, his address is 115 Dorman Street, Port Charlotte, Florida 33953.

Sympathies



Lorraine C. Woodruff, born January 22, 1931 in Worcester, Massachusetts, died November 14, 2021 in Port Charlotte, Florida.

She was preceded in death by her daughter, Cynthia. She is survived by her husband, Floyd Woodruff; daughter, Judith Riley; sister, Janet Carter; many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

In her 90 years of life, she touched and made an impact on all she met, as a wife, mom, Gram, Sito, sister, aunt and friend. Her compassion, sassy, tell you as it is, no fuss attitude was apparent in all she did from baton twirling, violinist, truck driver, concrete finisher, nurse and square dancer. In all she did, she did whole-heartedly, and those who spent time around her will remember her fondly.

Lorraine and Woody danced at Palace Promenaders and Cultural Center Squares.

Woody's address isn't available at this time.

Calvin Maki's younger brother, Winton Maki, passed on December 9th.

If you would like to send cards, his address is 23431 Vista Linda Lane, Boca Raton, Florida 33433.

Cal and his wife, Ann, are Florida Federation secretaries.

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