

James and Judy Warren - 2009

James was born on April 23, 1937 in Oroville at the Oroville Curran Hospital. Jim was the only boy in the family with three older sisters. He spent his childhood years growing up in the town of Richvale. He attended Richvale Grammar School, Biggs High School and graduated from Yuba College with an AA degree.

He married a Yuba City girl and worked for the Pepsi Cola Company for two years until his father had a heart attack, at that time he returned to the rice farming industry in Richvale to help his father. After farming Rice for 30 years he decided to try a new adventure. He started Farm Air Conditioning. A mobile business that took care of the air conditioners in farm equipment, logging trucks and equipment, forestry equipment, anything large with an air conditioner. He owned and operated Farm Air Conditioning until he retired at 65. After 36 years of marriage his wife left the relationship that ended in a divorce in 1995.

Jim has three children, Pamela, James Timothy and Barry. They all live and work in the Chico/Paradise areas. Pamela and Tim have never married, Barry is married to wife Jennifer but they have no children.

Judy was born on October 2, 1947 in Oroville at the Oroville Curran Hospital. Judy has one younger sister Janice. Judy spent her childhood years growing up in Thermalito. She attended Thermalito Elementary Schools and Oroville High School.

She married a local Oroville boy and worked for the Telephone Company for 5 years until she had her first child. She then chose to be a stay at home mom. She has two children, John and Carrie. After they were in school she decided to make some extra money and worked at the local cannery for the summers. After 15 years at the cannery she looked for work that would give the family medical insurance. She went to work for Oroville High School district as a School Bus Driver. After 18 years of driving school bus, dispatching and bookkeeping for the district she retired at age 55 in 2001. In 1993 after 27 years of marriage her husband wanted out of the marriage that ended in divorce in 1995.

Judy's son John and wife Kimberly live in Oroville. John now owns Farm Air Conditioning and Kimberly is a 1st grade school teacher in Oroville. Carrie lives in Red Bluff with husband Wayne and three sons, Devin 18, Noah 7 and Benjamin 3. Carrie is a stay at home mom and Wayne is an engineer for the State of California.

In 1996 Jim and Judy were introduced on a blind date set up by Judy's sister Janice and Jim. After a two year courtship we were married on Valentine's Day, February 14, 1998 and spent a wonderful honeymoon in Maui, Hawaii. We now live in Oroville and have been married 11 wonderful years to date.

Jim had done extensive traveling as an RV'er and introduced Judy to this wonderful activity. He has been busy trying to show her this beautiful country we love. We hope to see much more of the USA in the years to come. We have been able to spend the last 5 winters in Mesa, Arizona. We have made a wonderful extended family there and look forward to traveling there for many winters to come. We have also done some campground hosting in Oregon and Idaho. These were both very positive experiences for us. We hope to be able to do more campground hosting in the future.

We were introduced to the Durham Good Sam's by Judy's Aunt Beppie and husband Larry Leach in 2002. We have been enjoying camp-outs with this wonderful group of RV'ers every since. Jim served as President and Judy was Secretary in 2008.

