



C. Mem. Crispin Rosales 'Gloria'  
Grown by Robert Streeter

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"Orchids for Amateurs"

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**April 2021**

### **April President's Message**

**by Charles Brown**

It is a sorrowful and difficult task to note the passing of two of our members, Gloria Streeter and Joseph "Joe" Woods Sr.

Gloria was passionate about orchids and the South Bay Orchid Society. Her collection of orchid conference buttons and other orchid related memorabilia reflected her love for the hobby. She joined SBOS in 1977 and since then she and her husband Bob have provided the energy and the spirit that has molded the Society. Over the years, Gloria served in many roles, from serving on the Board of Directors, to providing a warm welcome to new members. She warmly welcomed me into the Society in 1992 and charmed me into serving as First Vice President and later as President. Her warmth and cheerfulness were felt throughout the Society. She truly will be missed.

Joe Woods was our amicable Treasurer (and often times raffle ticket salesman). Joe joined the Society in 2009 and became Treasurer in 2011, a position for which he was eminently qualified as he was an accountant by profession. I had the pleasure and privilege to audit several years of the Society's financial records that Joe prepared. Those records were prepared with the same care and attention to detail that one would only expect of a well paid professional. But Joe wasn't paid. Now, with Joe's sense of humor, I can almost hear him coming up with some witty remark having something to do with accountants who don't get paid for their work. We miss you Joe.

May they rest in Eternal Peace. Please read more about Gloria and Joe further in this newsletter.

On a more cheerful note, Spring is here! Orchids are getting ready to bloom, COVID infection rates are declining, restrictions are easing, the vaccines are doing their thing (have you received yours yet?), students are preparing to return to school (to the delight of their parents!), there truly is a light at the end of this tunnel and, perhaps sometime in the not-too-distant future, we will again be able to hold our monthly Orchid Society meetings. I'm looking forward to it!

## Joseph Eugene Woods Sr. 1937 – 2021



In Memoriam Joseph "Joe" Woods, Sr. Joseph "Joe" E. Woods, Sr. was born in Kincaid, Illinois, on January 22, 1937. He quietly left us on March 12, 2021. The youngest of five boys, Joe attended elementary and high school in Kincaid, Illinois, where he played multiple sports in high school. He attended Illinois State University and shortly after ISU came to Los Angeles, California, and started working as an accounting clerk for UPS. Joe was drafted into the United States Army in 1960, and after completing his service attended UCLA where he graduated with a bachelor's degree in accounting. He then worked for Western Airlines as an accountant. During his time at Western Airlines, he met and married Fe in 1970. While working Joe attended Cal State University Long Beach and earned a master's degree in accounting. After Western Airlines, he was employed at TRW and worked there until his retirement in 2002.

Joe enjoyed travelling and loved watching UCLA football and basketball. Joe and Fe joined the South Bay Orchid Society in 2009 and became very active members. Joe was voted in as treasurer in 2011 and he continued serving in that role until he announced his resignation in early March. He loved being treasurer and cherished working with the board members of the society. Joe was the recipient of the "Orchid Digest Diamond Award of Excellence" in 2014. He was also nominated to receive the American Orchid Society "Certificate of Appreciation" award this year for his outstanding financial reports and service to the society. The award will be presented posthumously to Joe's family.

Joe and Fe celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary last year and had planned a big celebration post pandemic. He is survived by his wife Fe, his children Joseph, Jr. (wife Jenill and granddaughters, Jaidyn and Joslyn) and William (wife Ting Qi). He was truly a genuine, honest, easy-going and big-hearted gentleman and a very nice person. He never hesitated to help his family and those close to him in any way that he could. We will miss his infectious laugh, positivity and corny jokes. We love him and may he rest in peace. "GO BRUINS".



July 2017



November 2017



December 2017



December 2019

# In Loving Memory



*Peace I leave with you; my peace I give unto you:  
not as the world giveth, I give unto you.  
Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be fearful.*

*John 14:27*



C. Glo Streeter  
Grown by Art Hazboun



C. Ioddigesii harrisoniana  
‘Streeters Choice’ FCC/AOS  
Grown by Bob Streeter

## IN LOVING MEMORY OF GLORIA EDITH STREETER

### BORN

*June 30, 1926  
Toledo, Washington*

### MARRIED

*June 18, 1950*

### PASSED AWAY

*March 5, 2021  
Palos Verdes Estates, California*

### LAID TO REST

*Green Hills Memorial Park  
Rancho Palos Verdes, California*

*Officiating: Rev. Barbara Buck*

*An orchid once grew where all could see  
Sheltered along the garden wall,  
And, as the days passed swiftly by,  
It bloomed and was loved by all.*

*One day, a beam of light shone through  
A crevice that had opened wide-  
The orchid turned gently toward its warmth  
Then passed beyond to the other side.*

*Now, you who deeply feel its loss  
Be comforted, the flowers still bloom there-  
It's beauty even greater now,  
Nurtured by God's own loving care.*



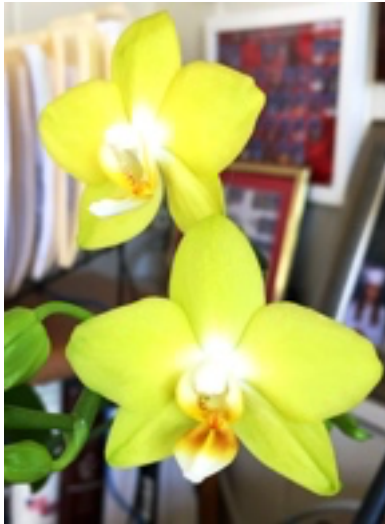
December 2015



December 2017



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X Tokyo Magic  
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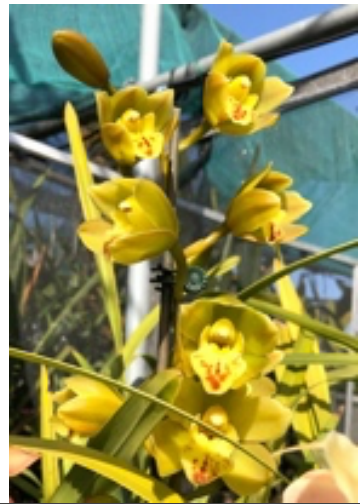
Blc. Young-Min Orange  
'Golden Satisfaction'  
David West



Cyn. Dorothy Stockstill  
'Forgotten Fruit'  
Art Hazboun



Den. Regal Gillieston  
'SVO' X Den. Dunokayla  
'Tuyet' AM/AOS – Art H.



Cym. Fifi 'Harry' 2n X  
Lotza Spotz 'Mardi Gras'  
Art Hazboun



Den. speciosum  
David West



Den. Kingianum Purple  
Queen Art Hazboun



No name  
David West

Our future membership meetings are held at the South Coast Botanic Garden

- **CANCELLED TILL 2021**
- ◇ **Cultural sessions start 7PM**
- ◇ **General Meetings start 8PM**

**The next board meeting will be decided at a later date**

**Call 310-377-7083 for more Information**

## South Coast Botanic Garden Foundation

### A Reminder to Garden Members and Guests

While the Garden remains open as an outdoor venue, all events have been cancelled. Masks and reservations are required. We are strictly adhering to the social distancing rules so we ask that you keep the required physical distance from other visitors. And if you are feeling ill, please postpone your visit.

Please support our host, the South Coast Botanic Garden Foundation for any of these educational and fun filled events. For more information and verification of hours and events, visit their website:

<http://southcoastbotanicgarden.org>

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**Refreshments:** OPEN.....

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**OUR NEXT MEETING WILL BE IN 2021**



Cym. Gloria Streeter 'North Snow'  
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**The entire South Bay Board of directors extends our sincere heartfelt condolences to Dr. Robert Streeter and his entire family for the loss of his wife Gloria. We also extend our deepest condolences to Fe Woods and her family for the loss of Joseph 'Joe' Woods Sr. our treasurer. May they both rest in peace. The society has sent a donation in their memory to the American Orchid Society.**