

April 24, 1941 ~ March 24, 2026

Charles Richard Alcock

Charles Richard Alcock passed from this life peacefully at his home at the age of 84.

Charles "Chuck" was born on April 24, 1941 in Stockton, California to Richard and Rosalie Alcock. He grew up on the family farm at the corner of Banta and Linne Roads, attended Jefferson Elementary and Tracy High School graduating in 1959. After high school, he attended UC Davis where he joined the Theta Xi fraternity and graduated with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Engineering in 1964. During his college years at UC Davis, Chuck met his wife, Bette, and celebrated 62 years of marriage this year. Together, they enjoyed raising their family, collecting antiques and traveling.

Chuck served his country in the Army National Guard helicopter unit. He served the Tracy community as a director of the Tracy Community Memorial Hospital Board from 1975 to 1982.

Chuck farmed in the Tracy Area for over 65 years, first with his father growing row crops, and then on his own adding walnut orchards. He was active in the local farming community and served as a director on the Banta-Carbona Irrigation District for over twenty years.

Chuck was a thoughtful, patient, easy going man. He was a 49er fan, and he enjoyed playing golf, even winning a few tournaments at the Tracy Golf and Country Club. Chuck was a collector of model trains and enjoyed setting them up at Christmas time at the delight of his grandkids. He could also be found enjoying morning coffee and conversation with other local farmers and friends at 4 Corners Restaurant.

Chuck is survived by his wife, Bette; son, Jeffrey Alcock; daughter, Jennifer Stroup (Mark); grandchildren, Jacob, Jeannine, and Madeline Stroup; sister, Rosemary Viets, as well as many cousins in the Alcock and Robertson families.

He was preceded in death by his parents and by his daughter, Jeannine Alcock.

The Alcock family would like to extend their sincere appreciation to the staff of Life Springs Hospice, especially Nurse Jun and care giver Rosanna whose dedicated care was an immense service to the family. We also wish to thank the many family and friends who helped in so many ways.

