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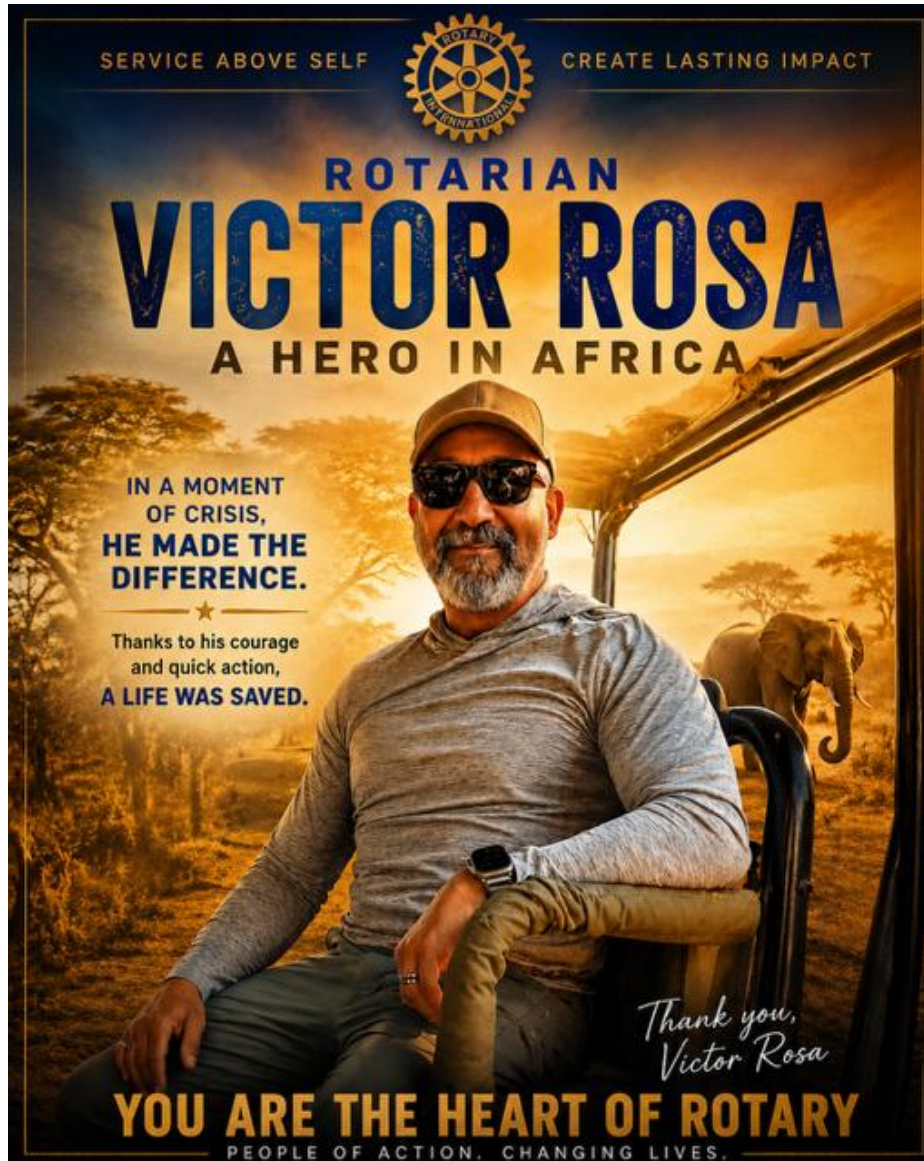












While traveling in Africa on July 5 2026, Victor Rosa responded to a life-threatening emergency and helped save a person's life. In a moment when immediate action was critical, he stepped forward without hesitation, placing the needs and safety of another person first. This was not only a remarkable act of bravery, but also a true reflection of the Rotary ideal of Service Above Self.

Recognition to
Victor for his
act of heroism.
\$200 gift card
to the Vintage
Press!



The "Big Five"

The animals traditionally known as the Big Five are:

- Lion
- Leopard
- Elephant
- Rhinoceros
- Cape buffalo

An African safari is a wildlife-focused trip through national parks and private reserves, where you observe animals in their natural habitats. Depending on where you go, you can see everything from lions and elephants to gorillas, whales, and penguins.

Victor narrated the videos he showed. It was an awesome program so if you weren't there you missed a good program.

The African Safari by water and by land!





Photos by Victor!



The clock is already running

- **AT&T:** Basic voicemail keeps messages 14 days. Visual voicemail, 30.
- **T-Mobile:** 14 to 30 days, and once it's deleted, their own support page says it "cannot be retrieved."
- **Verizon:** Doesn't publish an exact number, but their FAQ flat out says they're not liable for deleted messages, "even if you saved them."
- **Consumer Cellular:** Doesn't publish a countdown. But their support is 100% U.S.-based, and they'll walk you through saving a message step by step. Dial 611 from your phone, or call 1-888-345-5509. Do it before you need it, not after. Full disclosure: [Consumer Cellular](#) is a sponsor of my national radio show.*

Save it forever (takes one minute)

I tested the steps below. Yours might be different, depending on your phone's make, model and operating system.

1. **iPhone:** Open **Phone** > **Voicemail**. Tap the message, then tap the **Share** button (the box with the arrow). Choose **Save to Files**, or tap **More**, then pick iCloud Drive or Google Drive. Done. It's now an audio file you own.
2. **Android:** Open the **Phone** app > **Voicemail**. Tap the message to expand it, hit the **Share** icon and save it to Google Drive. It exports as an MP3.



Did you know?

3. **Samsung:** In **Visual Voicemail**, click and hold the message you want to save, tap **Archive**. FYI, archiving removes it from the server, so move that file somewhere safe right away.
4. **Old-school or landline voicemail:** Play it on speaker and record it with another device. Nobody's judging. The recording is the point.

Pro tip: If you're ever closing a loved one's account, save the voicemails before you call the carrier.

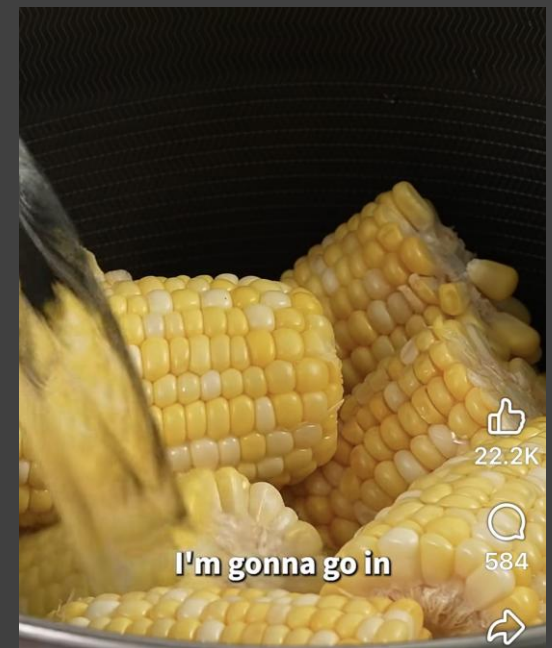
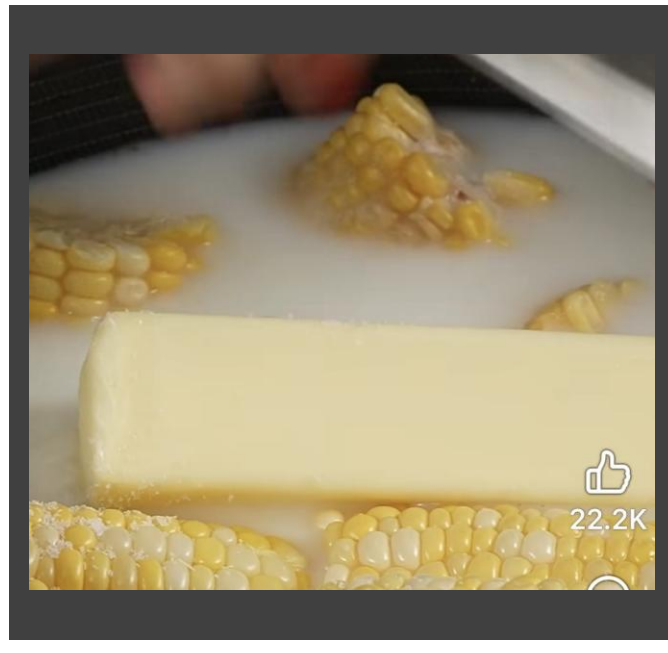
A minute or two tonight. That's the whole ask. Someday you'll tap Play and hear a voice you thought you'd lost, saying something ordinary like "Call me back."

 **Send this to someone who** still has their dad's number saved and can't bring themselves to delete it.



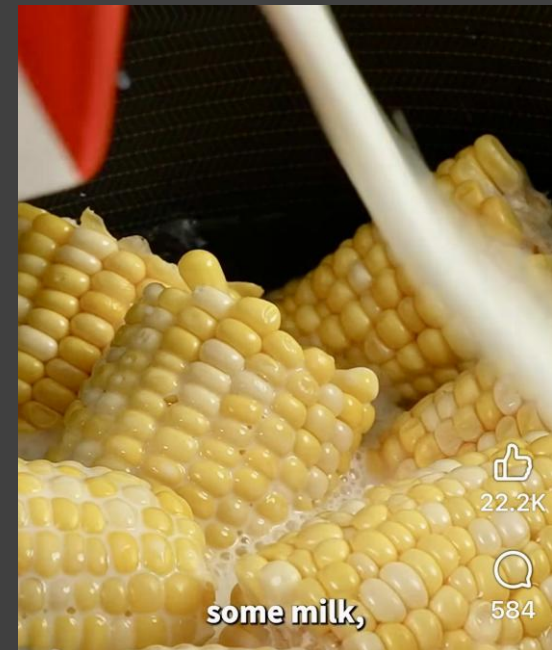
Recipe Corner Make it!

Add water to your pot of corn. Add milk. Add a stick of butter. Do not bring it to a boil. Bring it to a simmer.



**Boil Your Corn With
a Whole Stick of Butter**

Leave corn in
butter bath
until ready to
serve.





Happy Dollars





Ticket
Dean

Badge
Carl



Happy
Dollars!

Pauline paid \$50 for her trip to Alaska to stay with 5 kids and five dogs.

Judy H paid \$20 for a visit from her son and a recent trip to Morro for lunch.

Deb paid \$20 to visit her mom and brother in Capitola.

Dean paid \$20 for visits with his grandkids and for a visit to the reptile exhibit.

Judy W paid \$50 for a paid advertisement to ask for volunteers to help with the upcoming Soroptimists Child Spree.

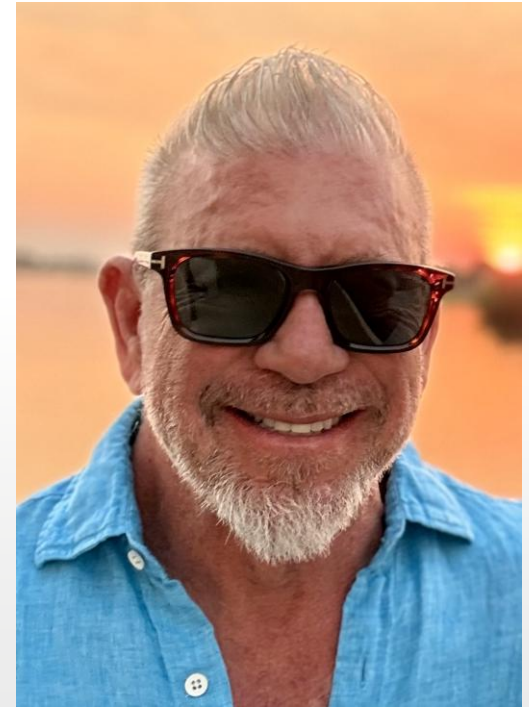
Welcome!



Karen Feverstein



Dean's grands Emersyn
and Blaine



John Lieberman



Meetings

July 30 Fire Chief Perkins Post July 4th actions from illegal fireworks/fines

August 6 Rotary Foundation Susan Tackett

August 10 Time Capsule Exhibit Rob Bentley

August 13 Kings County Farm Bureau Dusty Ference

August 20 Blood Drive

August 26 Hanford City Manager Chris Tavares



In golf you can step up to the #1 tee as a normal person, and walk off #18 as a mental patient.



Robert Butts will be moving out of state in a few months. He is looking for a member to take over the bookkeeping and coordinating the Guatemala project. If you are interested, please let Robert know.

The Marine Corps League Kings County Detachment #455 needs new flags for the cemetery. Cost is \$67.00. If you donate the Rotary Club of Hanford will match the donations.

Announcements!

Morro Bay fishing trip is on hold. Joe will reschedule.



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RUMBLER

Birthdays/Club Anniversaries

July Birthdays

Maritza Lemus 7/4

Gaby Curtis 7/5

Nicole Lucero D'Morias 7/11

Judy Willett 7/18

John Raven 7/25

Patrick Nelson 7/28

Happy Birthday!

July Club Anniversaries

Roger Reynolds 7/1

Nicole Lucero D'Morias 7/2

Frances Burriss 7/4

Carl Nelson 7/6

Anthony Thomas 7/6

Maritza Lemus 7/27



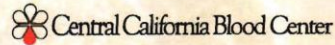
Robert Butts/Jennifer 7/7

Steve Stout/Karen 7/16



**Spilling
whiskey is
the adult
equivalent of
losing a
balloon.**





ROTARY CLUB OF HANFORD BLOOD DRIVE

AUGUST 20th, 2026 | 11:00am-2:00pm

Salvation Army Hanford Corps
380 E. Ivy St.
Hanford, 93230

Please visit donateblood.org to complete the health questionnaire using QuickPass on the day of your donation.

**ALL DONORS WILL RECEIVE A COUPON FOR
A PINT OF UMPQUA ICE CREAM.**

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TODAY**

FOR MORE INFORMATION
CALL US AT (559) 389-5433



***Scan the QR
code or call 559-
389-5433***



Soroptimist International
of Hanford



BACK TO SCHOOL CHILDSPREE

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

SEP

1 2

7:00 AM
CHECK IN
JCPenny's
Parking Lot

To Register

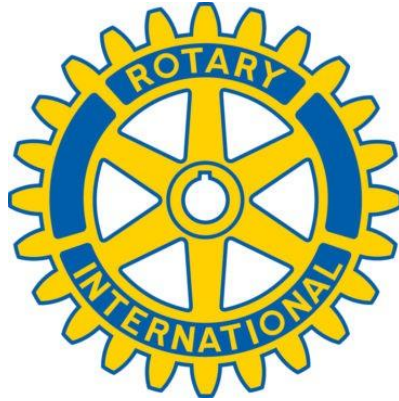


Deadline: 9/1/26

Volunteer Instructions are emailed
after registration
For any questions contact our club at
sihanford@soroptimist.net



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