"Trooper" Dick Curtis



I'm a born again Oregonian!

I first saw the light of day at ten A.M. September 6th 1978. I remember it very clearly. I was standing on a highway outside of Portland, looking up into the funny face of a truck driver named Vern, and I was saying "Well now . . . Where're you fella's goin' with all that beer?"

From that moment on I have been blessed.

Oregon people wave at me on the streets. Everyone smiles, says hello, or they stop to shake hands. Old people, young people, and small children walk up and embrace me as if I were a member of their family.

They say things like "Keep up the good work," "Don't let any junk into our state" or "Well now it's sure good to have you on the job!" And quite often I hear: "I sure do enjoy seeing you on the television. Thanks for all the fun."

It is sometimes overwhelming, and it is quite a responsibility, because I never want that wonderful wave of warmth to end. There is so much of it, that I would like to spread it around. This album is an attempt to do that.

It contains some funny songs, a few of my thoughts about my experiences among you, and a couple of personal things about me that I wanted to share with you, which might bring us even closer together.

I asked some wonderfully talented people to help me put together this valentine. They are young, and special, and please remember you saw their names listed here first.

Thank you for letting ME across the Oregon border, and into your hearts. I intend to be a credit to the family.

Sincerely,

"Trooper" Dick Curtis

Side One

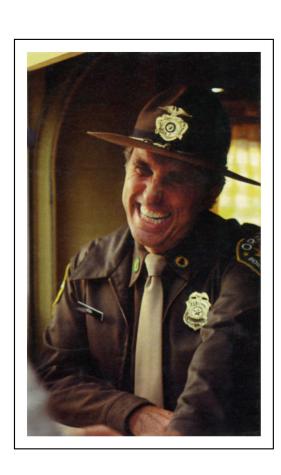
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