

HELP PRESERVE WALT DISNEY'S RAILROAD CAR



A little history of the Retlaw 1 Combine:

"Combine" is a railroad term for a coach that carries both passengers and freight. One such car was used on the Missouri Pacific train upon which Walt Disney worked as a 14-year-old news butch. He'd take his breaks in the baggage half of the car. He'd sometimes go out the front door and climb over the tender to get to the cab. Walt would offer the engineer and fireman apples from his family's farm in exchange for getting to ride with them. The crews took a liking to him and it was on this train that he learned how to operate a steam locomotive.

Walt had great memories of that combine. This is why one was part of the "Retlaw 1" passenger train at Disneyland. In 1992, Bill Norred acquired the Retlaw 1 cars, except for the Lilly Belle coach. A few years ago, four of these five coaches were sold, but Bill's family retained the combine because of the special connection to Walt. The Norred family, concerned about the long term survival of the car, have agreed to sell it to the Carolwood Foundation. We plan to finish restoration of the car and put it on public display.

How can you help?

Your donation will allow the Carolwood Foundation to acquire the car, complete the restoration and move it to a suitable location for all to enjoy. Because the Foundation is a 501(c) 3 charity, your contribution may be tax deductible; please consult your tax advisor (tax ID#20-3112747)
Thank you for your support of Walt's Railroad Legacy.

To thank you for your generous donation, we would like to present you with the following gift(s):

News Butch, \$30 - limited edition pin

Brakeman, \$100 - above plus commemorative shirt and name recognition on the donor list

Fireman, \$500 - above plus limited edition signed print

Engineer, \$1,000 - above plus limited edition scale model of the car and exclusive tour of the car

Conductor, \$5,000 - above plus donation plaque on display board inside the car

Trainmaster, \$10,000 - above plus prominent name plaque inside the car

Office of the President, General Manager & What-Have-You, \$20,000 + - above with custom recognition inside the car

Donation amount, please check:

President's Office: \$20,000 + _____ Trainmaster: \$10,000 _____ Conductor: \$5,000 _____ Engineer: \$1,000 _____ Fireman: \$500 _____

Brakeman: \$100 _____ News Butch: \$30 _____ Other: _____

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Payment method: Check # _____ Credit Card: Type _____ Number _____

Cash _____ Name on Card: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Donations are also accepted at: www.carolwood.org

Mail to: Carolwood Foundation 2060-D Avenida De Los Arboles, #237, Westlake Village, CA 91362-1376