

WOODY STRODE



Born: July 25, 1914 Los Angeles, CA

Died: December 31, 1994 Glendora, CA (80 years old)

Jefferson High School, Los Angeles, CA

- 1933 finished second in State shot put and third in State 220 low hurdles
- 1933 LA City 220 low hurdle champion
- 1933 CIF and LA City shot put 2nd place
- Football
 - 1933 All-Southern California 1st team as End
 - 1933 All-LA City 1st team as End

UCLA

- 1938 Pacific Coast Conference shot put champion
- Football
 - UCLA Hall of Fame
 - 1937 UP All-Coast 2nd team
 - 1938 UP All-Coast honorable mention
 - College teammates included Jackie Robinson & Kenny Washington

March Field Air Force Base

- 1943, 1944 Coliseum Relays shot put 2nd place
- 1943 Pasadena Games discus 1st place

- Football
1943 UP All-Coast Service 1st team

Pro Football

- Hollywood Bears (Pacific Coast Football League) 1940-42, 1945
1941 All-PCFL 1st team
- Los Angeles Rams (NFL) 1946
Broke NFL color barrier with college teammate Kenny Washington
- Calgary Stampeders (CFL) 1948-50
1948-49 All-Western Division 1st team

1933	Jefferson HS	120LH	13.1
1933	Jefferson HS	220LH	25.0
1935	unatt	HJ	6-2
1933	Jefferson HS	SP	52-5
1935	unatt	SP	48-10 1/2
1937	UCLA Frosh	SP	49-9
1938	UCLA	SP	51-6 1/2
1943	March Field	SP	48-3
1944	March Field	SP	49-11
1945	US Army	SP	51-6
1937	UCLA Frosh	DT	149-2
1938	UCLA	DT	161-10
1943	March Field	DT	148-8
1944	March Field	DT	143-8

<p><u>High School</u> 1932 LA City 220LH 5th --- 1933 LA City 220LH 1st 25.0 1933 CIF divisional 220LH 2nd --- 1933 CIF 220LH 3rd --- 1933 State 220LH 3rd --- 1933 LA City SP 2nd 50-0 1/2 1933 CIF divisional SP 2nd --- 1933 CIF SP 2nd 50-8 1/4 1933 State SP 2nd 52-5</p>	<p><u>Open</u> 1935 Far West Jr AAU HJ 1tie 6-2 1935 LB Relays novice SP 1st 47-8 1/2 1937 LB Relays SP 1st 49-9 1938 LB Relays SP 2nd 47-10 3/4 1938 West Coast Rlys SP 1st 50-10 3/4 1938 vs USC SP 1st 50-9 1/4 1938 PCC SP 1st 51-6 1/2 1938 NCAA SP 4th 50-8 1/2 1938 AAU SP 3rd 50-6 1/2 1943 Coliseum Relays SP 2nd 48-3 1943 Pasadena Games SP 2nd --- 1944 Coliseum Relays SP 2nd 49-11 1944 SPA AAU SP 3rd 48-7 1/2</p>	<p><u>Open cont.</u> 1937 LB Relays DT 3rd 149-2 1938 LB Relays DT 3rd 155-5 1938 West Coast Rlys DT 1st 156-4 1938 Comp Invit DT 3rd 154-5 1938 PCC DT 4th 150-11 1943 Pas Games DT 1st 148-8 1944 SPA AAU DT 2nd 143-8</p>
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Miscellaneous

- Actor appearing in nearly 70 movies including starring role in Sergeant Rutledge and Spartacus
- Member of Black Film Makers Hall of Fame
- Sheriff Woody of Toy story was named after him
- Professional Wrestler
- Author writing autobiography "Gold Dust"