

SADNESS

Legendary Bill Heywood, a top morning talent with a smooth, iconic voice on stations KOY-AM and KTAR-AM/FM and a few others committed suicide with his wife Susan on January 4, 2012 in Scottsdale.

Bill's radio career spanned 50 years in one market and always hosted top morning shows. Inducted into the Arizona Hall of Fame, he was also named the Billboard Magazine International Disc Jockey of the year while at KOY Radio. At his heyday and for years everyone listened to Bill Heywood. No one could touch him.

Bill and Susan were very community involved and started "Scratch 'n' Sniff", a non-profit organization that granted donations to pet therapy programs and awareness of animal abandonment.

In recent years Bill sold real estate and continued voicing commercials.

May Bill and Susan rest in peace.