ED ASNER

Ed Asner, 91 at the time of his death in 2021, was an extraordinary and beloved actor, and a longtime supporter of Beyond Nuclear, serving as the organization’s Honorary Chairman. Asner delighted in portraying gruff good humor, on screen and off. He embraced and led progressive causes and was firmly in the anti-nuclear camp.

He generously donated his time to appear in both a print and video PSA for Beyond Nuclear and faithfully turned up to fundraising events held in his hometown of Los Angeles. A phone call to Ed could be answered with “whatdya want” followed by warm and enthusiastic encouragement for our work and an admonition to “scare the s*#t out of people” as a sure-fire tactic.

Read more about Ed Asner’s life and work [here](#).