



## Edward James Hereford

May 8, 2014

Edward (Eddie) James Hereford, passed away May 8, 2014 peacefully at his home in New Orleans. He was 67. He is survived by his wife Trudy Wolf Hereford. Son of the late Marguerite McGinnis Hereford and Robert Francis Hereford. A graduate of L.E. Robouin High School. At the age of 42 he moved to Ft. Collins, Colorado where he became an active member of Alcoholics Anonymous carrying the message to many people. Alcoholics Anonymous became his true life's work. He was also a prominent business owner in the community. At the time of his death, he was employed by J Con Construction of New Orleans. He was a member of the Canal Street Church in Mid City. Eddie is the father of LaVallon Hereford and David O'Connell of New Orleans, LA as well as Michelle Coon and Cinamon Hench of Ft. Collins, CO, and the late Kristen Hereford. Grandfather of Airyanne Carlos, Tawnee Garcia, Richard Garcia and Mark Garcia of California and Alex Duzat, Jonathan O'Connell and Talia O'Connell of New Orleans, Tannan Austin and Garrett Hench both of Fort Collins. Brother of Sylvia Foster (Bill) and Robert F. Hereford (Jenny). He is also survived by three great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend funeral services at 2:00pm on Wednesday, May 14, 2014 at Rhodes Chapel 3933 Washington Ave. New Orleans, LA 70125 Visitation: 11:00am-2:00pm. Arrangements entrusted to D.W. Rhodes Funeral Home Please visit [www.rhodesfuneral.com](http://www.rhodesfuneral.com) to sign the online guestbook. An additional service will be held at a later date

in Fort Collins, Colorado.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

MAY 14. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Rhodes Funeral Home - Washington Avenue  
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### Service

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# Tribute Wall

MA

“ Trudy, So sorry for your loss. Eddie was 1 in a million but you know that. I think of him fondly when we rushed to the hospital after Michael fell from a roof they were working on and was knocked out. As were waiting around Eddie says to me "Mom just say the word and I'll fire his ass" He'll be missed. Maureen & Leonard Weitz  
Downtown Mail Ft Collins Co

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**Maureen** - May 20, 2014 at 06:28 AM

JB

“ I will always remember Eddie. He played a special roll in my life. He was at my first NA meeting in Ft. Collins, back in 1989. We shared the bond of being from New Orleans and beginning a new way of life. I will carry our times together, close to my heart. My condolences to Trudy, the rest of his family and all those whose lives he touched.

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**John Brooks** - May 14, 2014 at 12:12 PM

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“ I miss you, Eddie. -Trudy

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**Trudy** - May 11, 2014 at 11:38 AM

 Sue  
Perry

“ When I was a young teenager, Uncle Ed came up for a visit. He was telling us fishing stories and recalled how one time the engine stopped on his boat. He had to jump into the water to see what the problem was....I was astonished and asked "Weren't you afraid of alligators???"...he just chuckled and said "Those little gators wouldn't bother me, they know better!"

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**Sue Perry** - May 11, 2014 at 11:36 AM

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**Sue Perry** - May 11, 2014 at 11:17 AM