



Edward Lee Strickland

June 24, 1949 - January 16, 2021

Edward Lee Strickland, 71, of DeLand, Florida, passed away unexpectedly but peacefully in his sleep on January 16, 2021.

Born and raised in DeLand, Ed graduated from DHS in 1967 and was always involved in serving the community. He was a member of the DeLand Jaycees, Quarterback Club and several other local service clubs. He owned downtown store, Shoe Shack, and other small businesses, including DeLand Produce Market.

He was an avid sports lover. He played baseball, football and surfed as a kid. He never left home without his Florida Gator hat. He loved to fish and could fry them to perfection. He was a great cook and barbecued a mean rack of ribs. He enjoyed time at the beach and on the river. He was a friendly, hardworking, helpful, warm and funny man who loved, and was loved by, his family and friends.

Ed is survived by his wife, Renee Strickland; sister, Cindy West; daughter, Heather Garcia; son, Edward Strickland, Jr.; grandson, Garrett Garcia; granddaughters, Paige Garcia and Hannah Strickland and great-grandson, Elijah Garcia.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

Comments



“ Saddened to learn of Ed's passing. Lot of fond memories of him and the Strickland family growing up.

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