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Edwin Joseph Matranga, Sr. passed away on Friday, August 27, 2021 in Mandeville, LA. He was born on March 7, 1948 in New Orleans, LA to the late Joseph Matranga and Alva Weisdorffer Matranga.

Eddie was the beloved husband of Christa Harris Matranga for 54 years. He was the loving father of Edwin Joseph Matranga, Jr. and his wife, Tulonna Matranga and Josh Anthony Matranga and his wife, Melissa Matranga. Eddie was the proud grandfather of Colten Matranga, Aidan Matranga, and Carson Matranga.

Eddie worked as a systems technician in telecommunications for 41 years. He retired from Avaya. He was an avid collector of antiques and especially antique telephones.

A Memorial Service will be held privately by the family. Please Share a Memory on the Tribute Wall at www.ejfieldingfh.com.



Tribute Wall

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MG

Marie Glaviano posted:

Jeanne, Eddie, Jr., Josh and families, I am so sorry for the loss of your dear husband and dad. Please be assured of my prayers. You have always been a close family and I hope and pray that the good memories will bring you peace and comfort. I have a very nice memory to share. Shortly after I moved to Reiher Road and met y'all, I learned that Ed, Sr., remembered my brother, who had just passed away the year before. They had gone to St. Dominic School in Lakeview together. Your dad was kind enough to "dig up" a school paper that mentioned my brother and he gave me a copy. It was a comfort to me and a connection to your family. I will always be grateful for that. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers. If there is anything I can do to help you through this difficult time, please call on me. God bless all and my love to all, Marie

September 19 at 4:04 PM

BG

Bonnie Giffin posted:

Jeanne so sorry to hear about Eddie. I always enjoyed talking to you both when y'all came into Patina's. He will be sorely missed. Bonnie Giffin (Patina's)

September 13 at 4:28 AM

KS

Kenny Spellman posted:

On behalf of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart Alumni Association and Brother Martin High School, I offer our prayers and condolences. We will say a Mass in his memory. Father of all, we pray to you for Eddie, all those we love but see no longer. Grant to them eternal rest. Let light perpetual shine upon them. May his soul and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Kenny Spellman '84 Brother Martin High School

September 13 at 4:22 AM

TB

Terry Bartholomew posted:

We lived next door to you when we were kids in grammar school and became friends. My mom absolutely loved you and you called her L'il Mama. I'll always remember you.. Rest in peace my old friend. Terry Dowling Bartholomew

September 12 at 4:04 AM



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MM

Mike Marchese posted:

Eddie, I have quite a few memories of your dad mostly around the office. He had such a great demeanor. I loved his simple sense of humor. Always had something to say. He loved to give me grief and we'd laugh about it. We ran into he and your mom at the trailhead several times, yes they were always together. That alone is such a great testament of their marriage. I would always rag him about the manhole cover in his garden. I'd say some where in NOLA somebody's gonna fall in a hole. Also I'd rag him about the telephone booths he had. one upstairs and one outside. your parents have such a flair for life. I hope I will make it as long as he did! Prayers to your mom and family. Mike Marchese

September 11 at 7:18 PM

PP

Phil Pennington posted:

Eddie and I were friends. We shared many stories of family and our careers dating back to the 'Good old days' up until and after retirement. Eddie loved to eat and also loved buffets. We would swap photos of certain dishes each of us enjoyed. He was a matter of fact guy that I grew to appreciate for that trait. Eddie was a Southerner and I am a "Yankee" from Ohio that never mattered to our friendship. I miss him already. God Bless Jeanne and the family. Phil Pennington

September 11 at 2:34 PM

HG

Harry H Green posted:

Eddie was a friend of mine. We worked together at SCB. Eddie was a great guy who will be missed. My condolences to his family Harry H Green Houma, LA

September 11 at 7:57 AM

MS

Maureen Scott posted:

Dear Genie (hope spelled correctly) My heartfelt condolences for your family. Ed was so much N.O. And he had a dry wit always. You two had so many precious memories hopefully we can connect? Love you all! 985 630 9541 need me?

September 11 at 6:40 AM



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Betty Champagne posted:

Dear Jeanne, I was so sad to read of you and your family's great loss. I always enjoyed running into you two while out and about. Eddie was always so sweet and thoughtful talking about the "Lakeview days". I sent a picture of his obituary to my brother Don in California. Rest In peace, Eddie and love and hugs to you, Jeanne. Betty Riecke Champagne

September 11 at 6:10 AM



Roi-Lynne Hulin posted:

So sorry for your loss. Your dad was a great person and always made me feel so welcomed whenever I would visit. He will surely be missed by all who knew him. May your memories bring you happiness not sadness.

September 10 at 5:06 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Edwin by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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