



## Ernest Lee Marine

August 21, 1937 - January 21, 2012

Ernest Lee Marine, 74, of Fort Collins went to be with Jesus on January 21, 2012. He was born August 21, 1937 in Lehman, Texas to Arthur and Irene Marin. Ernie married Hope Camarillo on November 29, 1958 in Alliance, Nebraska. They recently celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary. Ernie lived in Texas, Nebraska, California, Arizona and Colorado. He was lovingly called Big E, Gramps, and "Fancy Pants" Marin. He served in the Marine Corp. He owned "The Paint Place" body shop in Fort Collins for 26 years. He loved bowling, playing golf, and teaching his kids and grandkids his master skills of everything he knew. He was involved in serving at Holy Family Catholic Church through Knights of Columbus, teaching Bible Classes and volunteering in every way for over 10 years. He was a father to all who needed one. And he shared his faith in Jesus to everyone that would cross his path. Survivors include: his wife, Hope Marine; daughters, Lisa Dittman of Arizona, Jackie Marine, Penny Roberts, and Andrea Marine all of Colorado. 12 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren; siblings, Margaret Gonzales of Nebraska, Jane Soto of Wyoming, Lucy Jenkins of Idaho, Bonnie Meekins of Wyoming, Gloria Helzer of Colorado, Richard Marin of Colorado, Raymond Marin of Colorado, Shirley Therrien of New York, and numerous nieces and nephews. Ernie was greeted in heaven by his daughter, Vivian Marine; his grandson, Robert Marine; his grandbaby twins, Cameron and Cole Roberts; his sister, Angie Shores; his brothers, Eloy Marin and Manuel Marin; his uncle, Ernie Marin; mother and father, Irene and Arthur Marin. Rosary and Funeral

Mass will be at Holy Family Catholic Church, 326 N Whitcomb, Fort Collins, CO 80521 on Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. followed by a Christian Burial at Grandview Cemetery with Military Guards and Honor Salute. Memorial contributions can be made to Hope Marine or Access Hospice in care of Bohlander Funeral Chapel, 121 W. Olive, Fort Collins, Colorado 80524 in Memory of Ernie Marine.

# Tribute Wall

BB

“ *Our deepest sympathy for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire family.*

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**Baja Broadband** - January 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *Dearest Hope, and family, My sincere condolence on the loss of a great person, Ernie was that great person.wonderful memories of him will be with us all .May God Bless you all and be with you at this difficult time. My heartfelt sympathies are with you all. Always a friend Marge Arellano from doctors office long ago*

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**Margaret Arellano** - January 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DO

“ *I remember Ernest as a funny nice wonderful man he & Hope were always so sweet to me and always made me feel i was special. he will be missed. My Condolences to the entire family.*

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**Denise Ortiz** - January 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *I was so very sorry to learn about "Grandpa" Marine's passing. When I worked with Mike at Laurel and Leshar, he was so supportive to his children and grandchildren as well as me. I remember one time I was in the hospital after surgery and "Grandpa" and Mike were walking the halls as "Grandpa" was also in the hospital. So they stopped by to visit. It was so nice of them. Of course, Mike has always held a special place in my heart. My Deepest Sympathy to all of you for the recent losses you have had. Love to all. Cheryle Haworth*

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**Cheryle Haworth** - January 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

NI

“ Sorry for another loss in your family. You will be in our prayers.  
Wolff family

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**nicki** - January 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ Marin Family, The Dominguez and Reyes Family send you prayers  
and our love, Maria E. Reyes Semper Fidelis

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**Maria Elena Reyes** - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ Our most sincere condolences to Hope, daughters and  
grandchildren. Also to cousin Ernie's brothers and sisters. No words  
can ever lend themselves to lessen the anguish and deep pain that is  
felt with the loss of a loved one. Time may heal the hurt, but it will  
also will also strengthen the memories we will carry with us until our  
turn comes to join him. "Adios Primo, y despues nos vemos!"

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**Marcial Reyes Jr.** - January 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM