



James Dean Trujillo

February 28, 1962 - April 16, 2017

James Dean (Jimmy) Trujillo, 55, peacefully passed away at home on Easter morning, April 16, 2017, surrounded by his loving family following a long, courageous battle with cancer. Jimmy was born on February 28, 1962 in Colorado Springs, Colorado to Louis and Betty Trujillo. He was the youngest of 11 children. The family moved to Fort Collins in 1963 where he remained a resident the rest of his life.

Jimmy worked as a construction laborer and warehouseman but devoted much of his life to caregiving of family, including his mother Betty through her battle with cancer. His kind, gentle spirit and generous heart was a gift unflinchingly shared with family and friends. His big smile and sense of humor was a blessing to all who knew him.

Jimmy looked for beauty and goodness in everything. He welcomed strangers and made friends easily, just like his mother. He enjoyed cooking, decorating, and dancing. He loved music, the color purple, and covering his walls with pictures of family and Marilyn Monroe. His greatest joy was time spent with family and his many friends. Jimmy's faith in God was a source of strength and courage through his illness. He had recently renewed his Confession of Faith and was baptized in the presence of family.

Jimmy was able to accomplish the things on his "Bucket List" with the help of

his sister Emily, niece Mykael and nephew Nick; including taking the train to California to see the Redwood Forest, spending a week at the ocean, and taking a family trip to Las Vegas. He was especially grateful to his sister Mary and her husband Steve who took him into their home during his illness. He felt very loved and grateful for each one. Like his mother, he refused to say, "Goodbye," and instead preferred to say, "I'll see you later."

Jimmy was preceded in death by his mother Betty; sisters Francis, Billie Michele, and Louise. He is survived by his father Louis; siblings, Connie Blanco, Sam Blanco (Karen), Bob Blanco, Dave Blanco (Janice), Emily Clark, Randy Trujillo (Diana), JoAnn Brooks (Brian), Gary Wheeler, Mary Kaltenberger (Steve), Steve Trujillo, and many nieces and nephews.

Jimmy, we love you, and all will miss you. We are thankful for the many memories and blessings that you brought to our lives.

A Memorial Service will be held Thursday, April 27, 2017 at 3:00 p.m. at the Vineyard of the Rockies—1201 Riverside Ave, Fort Collins, CO 80524. Interment will follow immediately at Grandview Cemetery—1900 W Mountain Ave, Fort Collins, CO 80521. Reception following interment at Northside Aztlan Center—112 Willow St, Fort Collins, CO 80524

Cemetery Details

Grandview Cemetery

1900 W. Mountain Ave.
Ft. Collins, CO 80521

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR 27. 3:00 PM (MT)

Vineyard Church of the Rockies
1201 Riverside
Fort Collins, CO

Tribute Wall



“ *Sending condolences to Connie and your family.
May your Brother forever Rest in Peace.*

Marianne Kline - April 26, 2017 at 10:34 AM



“ *man you were always a true friend you will be missed*

Theodore Kruse - April 26, 2017 at 12:20 AM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts
and condolences to the family. John and
Maxine Koskie*



maxine koskie - April 24, 2017 at 04:59 PM



“ *I love you uncle Jimmy you were always so good to me and the
girls..Your in our thoughts..Miss you see you again someday .God
bless*

Melis Martinez - April 23, 2017 at 02:07 AM



“ *Sending our deepest condolences to the Trujillo family. We are to
hear of Jimmy's passing.
With Sympathy & Love,
Dan & Hope Leal*

Leal Family - April 22, 2017 at 11:12 PM

LE

“ I am so sorry for Your Loss. Blessings to the Family

leni elliott - April 22, 2017 at 08:18 AM

LE

“ Leni Elliott lit a candle in memory of James Dean Trujillo



leni elliott - April 22, 2017 at 07:36 AM

LE

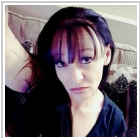
I will miss this sweet man. We had a lot of good times together.. Rest in Peace Jimmy

leni elliott - April 22, 2017 at 07:37 AM

DI

Jimmy always made me smile. He was a bright light wherever he went and a beautiful person. I know he will be missed even by those who only knew him for a brief moment in time. My prayers for Jimmy's friends and family. Until we meet again, Jimmy....

Diana - April 24, 2017 at 09:31 AM



“ The Lucero family sends our condolences, Love & prayers.. Johnny Lucero & family..

Mist Wallace - April 21, 2017 at 04:39 PM

CB

“ *Carrie Blanco-Kepler lit a candle in memory of James Dean Trujillo*



Carrie Blanco-Kepler - April 21, 2017 at 04:15 PM

AB

“ *Andrea Bueno sent a virtual gift in memory of James Dean Trujillo*



Andrea Bueno - April 21, 2017 at 10:06 AM

AB

“ *Andrea Bueno lit a candle in memory of James Dean Trujillo*



Andrea Bueno - April 21, 2017 at 10:04 AM

AB

“ *My loving cousin so sweet and loving fly with the angels!!
Your missed so much Jimmy.
Gone but never forgotten.
R.I.P. Jimmy love you so much!*

Andrea Bueno - April 21, 2017 at 10:01 AM

EB

“ *Estela Baca lit a candle in memory of James Dean Trujillo*



Estela Baca - April 20, 2017 at 06:55 PM

EB

“ *R.I.P Jimmy. My condolences to his family. My you all be comforted and find peace with his sweet memories.*

Estela Baca - April 20, 2017 at 06:55 PM

IO

RIP Jimmy. You will always be forever loved and always missed. May his family be comforted and find peace in this time of sorrows!

louisebarella - April 21, 2017 at 10:54 AM

BE

No more pain to endure and no more tears to wipe away! Your at peace now Jimmers! With your Momma an Weezy dancing and singing again!!! My Prayers go out to the Family for strength. We love you Jimmers!!!

Beello - April 21, 2017 at 08:25 PM

CS

Our thoughts and prayers go out to the Trujillo family. May you find peace in knowing Jimmy is no longer in pain. Our family's always had such good times at the American Legion. May you rest in peace Jimmy. Say hi to your mom and Whezzy.

Cindie & Gil Sanchez

Cindie Sanchez - April 26, 2017 at 04:14 PM