



Leonard "Lenny" Robert Ruibal

April 21, 1955 - January 13, 2016

Leonard Robert Ruibal (Lenny) passed away on January 13, 2016. Lenny was born on April 21, 1955 in Fort Morgan, Colorado to Joseph E. Ruibal and Flora N. Ruibal. He was preceded in death by his Mother and Father, two brothers, Dan and James P. (JP), and one great-grandson, Valentino.

Lenny is survived by his wife, Barb, daughters Andrea and April and Grandchildren, Alex, Campbell, Cole and Lyric; as well as two Great Grandchildren Ulysses and Bella (Born January 15, 2016). Also surviving are his brothers, Mike, Ed, Rudy and Larry and his sister Josie. We also can't forget his faithful companion, Bart.

Lenny was a very gregarious, ornery, loving, committed and loyal husband, father, grandpa, brother and uncle. He loved his family with devotion. Lenny was always happy visiting, partying, or just spending time with the people he loved and his longtime friends (which were many). Lenny will be remembered for his great smile, his "pearls" of wisdom to his nephews, his loyalty and guardianship to his family and friends and his beautiful yard.

He left us suddenly, but we are left with his legacy.

You're a good man Charlie Brown!

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Tuesday, January 19, 2016, 2 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

JAN 19. 2:00 PM (MT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
300 W. Mountain Ave. Fort Collins, CO 80521
Fort Collins, CO 80521

Tribute Wall

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“ *Barb and Family, Words won't do it, but just know that Lenny loved you all. Whenever you are missing him, just think of that smile. It was a beautiful service With all our thoughts and prayers. Jan and Denny Whitehead*

Denny Whitehead - January 20, 2016 at 05:34 AM

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“ *My friend. My partner. My love. I know you 're still doing everything you've always done with and for me. I feel and see you in Lyric, who holds my face at bedtime and kisses me goodnight. He misses you and is wondering. Andi and I are struggling on how & when to explain to your little man. Help us as you always have. Keep me upright and moving. I'll always feel you when my little Lyr smiles, laughs, and goes on his ornery way knowing he's surrounded with love and protection, and devoted attention of family and friends. We want to make you proud. Sweet peace. Rest well my one.*

Barb - January 17, 2016 at 10:10 PM

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“ *Laughing eyes, a quick smile an inquiry about you and your family and friends. This is how I will remember Lenny. Family and friends brought joy to his life and those that knew him. We will miss you Lenny.*

Brady, Carmen Whitehead and family

Brady Whitehead - January 17, 2016 at 03:19 AM

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“ *The last time that I saw Lenny was on a bright sunshiny day. I was riding my bike on the Springcreek trail west. Lenny rode past me heading east. He had just past the railroad underpass almost to College avenue. It was so beautiful that day and he was out enjoying it. The thought makes me smile even in this time of sadness. He was a kind heart who will be missed.*

Robbi Cunningham - January 16, 2016 at 05:41 PM