



Marvin LeRoy Martin

March 31, 1931 - May 12, 2013

Marvin LeRoy Martin, 82, of Evans CO, passed away quietly surrounded by family and friends on May 12, 2013 in Greeley, CO. Marvin was born on March 31, 1931 in Windsor, CO to Jacob and Pauline S. Buderus Martin. Marvin was a courageous warrior with the most kind, gentle, caring, loving soul. He had contracted spinal meningitis when he was 18 months and was not expected to survive then. True to Marvin's nature he surprised them all and continued to do so for the next 80 years. Marvin had many loves in his life: Christmas, babies, dogs, trees, balloons, riding in the car, his many friends at Envision and his family. Anyone who ever met Marvin was truly blessed to have him in their lives and was quick to find out it was "Marvin's way" or no way. Marvin was very special and there will be a void in everyone's life with his passing. Marvin is survived by his niece, Linda Keener of LaSalle, and her family, Ethan Tong, John Lieder, Jacob Lieder, Samantha and Nevaeh all of LaSalle; Wesley of Gilcrest, niece, Debbie Whitehead and her family of Wellington and a brother, Jack D. Martin and family of Peoria, AZ. He is also survived by his very special friend, Doug of Evans, CO and the numerous people at Envision whom he made friends with over the years. He is preceded in death by both parents and a sister, Patricia Ann Martin Keener. A graveside service will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Friday at Grandview Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

ER

“ *Marvin, you will be missed by all. It was a joy to know you and somehow I think you knew more about us than you let on! Ernie Tong*

Ernie - May 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *I am an employee of Envision. I worked with Marvin for many years. He always to have someone to tuck him in bed. He was a joy to be around. He always liked his music.*

Joan Chapman - May 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *I met Marv five years ago when I started working at Envision. I hung out with Marv and Doug every Friday for a few years. Marv was one of a kind, an out going guy who was a living example of "Age is just a number." After I moved to Denver I still visited Marv and brought him things, it always seemed there was a fun hat or some cool glasses that I found that just said, "Marv". He will be greatly missed, but never forgotten.*

Kate Miller - May 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *Mary gives her condolences on the loss of your family member.*

Mary Amen - May 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CE

“ Dear Linda and Family, thank you for sharing Marvin with us and allowing us to be a part of his life. He was a favorite person to work with for many of the staff and he will be greatly missed. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Celeste

Celeste Ewert - May 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ It was a pleasure knowing Marvin.

Alan Perez - May 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ I think I met him a few times. What a sweet and kind soul.

christine - May 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ I was fortunate to have been able to work with Marvin during the last twenty years. He was a unique and memorable person who will be greatly missed.

Shawn Croissant - May 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Working with Marvin the last 5 years has been a privilage. He always inspired me to appreciate the simple things in life and the joy he experienced in everyday life was contagious. Now, everytime I see pine tree, Christmas lights, or someone wearing a mask I will be able to share in his joy and remember how he touched my life.

Samantha Whittington - May 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

VG

“*Sadly miss Marvin, the McD outings, the nice spirit, love of beauty and art, people, life, the trust. A man who brought the self-centered focus away to a caring real appreciation of events, holidays, and people. May his spirt watch over his loved ones as he is with the angels in Heaven. Bless you all.*

Virginia Goetzel - May 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PF

“*To all of Marvins Family...Today I saw in the paper that Marvin had past. I never knew Marvin very well, I was just a young girl when my parents Alex and Marie would visit your family. Pauline was my mother's best friend. He lived a long life and I am sure you were all blessed to have him in your lives. My heartfelt thoughts and prayers go out to all your family.*

Pamela Felte - May 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JL

“*Miss you uncle Marvin.*

John Lieder - May 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SM

“*Miss you Marvin : I hope Heaven is the most amazing place. Enjoy your wings!*

Samantha Moes - May 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

ET

“*Miss you Uncle Marvin. You will always be in my heart. Say hello to nana for me.*

Ethan Tong - May 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LK

“ To my Uncle Marvin~ you were an amazing person who taught us all patience, kindness, understanding, tolerance and love. We will all miss you. Rest easy and enjoy Heaven! Hug nana, poppa and grandma. In our thoughts and our hearts until we see you again

Linda Keener - May 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ It was sad to see you go Uncle Marvin but I know you are in a better place. I love and miss you. I hope you are resting in peace and were greeted with open arms by your sister Patricia, Papa Jake, and Grandma Pauline.

Jacob Lleder - May 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM