



Edward Joseph Galindez

September 22, 1964 - November 16, 2024

Edward Joseph Galindez, affectionately known as Eddie, passed away on November 16, 2024, at the age of 60 in Greer, South Carolina.

Born on September 22, 1964, in Bronx, New York to Abelardo Galindez and Martha Colon Galindez, Eddie's journey through life was marked by numerous accomplishments that touched the lives of those around him.

Eddie proudly served his country as a United States Marine, embodying loyalty and courage in all that he did. His unwavering determination led him to significant milestones, such as purchasing his home in South Carolina—a place where he found peace and happiness—and marrying his loving wife, Shannon.

Eddie's adventurous spirit and passion for the water culminated in buying his first boat, a testament to his zest for life. Known for his sweet nature and unyielding loyalty, Eddie was also recognized for a touch of stubbornness. However, it was this very determination that made him a reliable source of comfort, always knowing the right words to console his family and friends during difficult times.

Eddie is survived by his loving wife, Shannon Galindez, his cherished sons Kenshiro, Hiro, and Armand Galindez; his devoted parents, Martha and

Abelardo Galindez; his sister Lisa Mirambeau, and brother Luis Galindez. Their love and memories will forever keep his spirit alive.

A celebration of Eddie's life will take place on Monday, November 25, 2024, at the Funeral Home with a gathering of friends and family from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM and Funeral Services in the Chapel at 12:00 Noon.

As we gather to honor his memory, we remember his enduring love and kindness. Though Eddie is not here to hug or kiss us farewell, he lives on in our hearts and in every cherished memory, giving us the courage to carry on until we meet again. Eddie, we await the day you greet us once more...we love you.

Cemetery Details

M.J. "Dolly" Cooper Veterans Cemetery

Anderson, SC

Previous Events

Gathering of Friends and Family

NOV 25. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Travelers Rest Funeral Home
113 N Poinsett Hwy
Travelers Rest, SC 29690
(864) 834-9953
<https://www.travelersrestfuneral.com/>

Funeral

NOV 25. 12:00 PM (ET)

Chapel - Travelers Rest Funeral Home
113 N Poinsett Highway
Travelers Rest, SC 29690

Tribute Wall

LM

“ 1 file added to the album *TRIBUTE WALL ALBUM*



LISA MIRAMBEAU - April 04, 2025 at 11:11 AM

LM

BEAUTIFUL MEMORIES LOVED YOUR VISITS TO FLORIDA

LISA MIRAMBEAU - April 04, 2025 at 03:12 PM

LM

“ *Lisa Mirambeau lit a candle in memory of Edward Joseph Galindez*



Lisa Mirambeau - April 04, 2025 at 10:43 AM

LM

“ *I love You my Big Brother. You will Always be in my Heart. Rest In Peace. Still in such disbelief. How can I continue with out you. Love Your Sister Lisa*

Lisa Mirambeau - April 04, 2025 at 10:43 AM

KH

“ *Karen Hay lit a candle in memory of Edward Joseph Galindez*



Karen Hay - November 26, 2024 at 03:19 PM

KH

i will always remember your smiling face I will keep yur family in my prayers.

Karen Hay - November 26, 2024 at 03:21 PM

RW

“ *REBECCA WAITS lit a candle in memory of Edward Joseph Galindez*



REBECCA WAITS - November 25, 2024 at 04:27 PM

RW

“ *Eddie I had not known you for very long but I was deeply saddened to hear of your passing. I really enjoyed our conversations and the joyous spirit you brought into the office. May you rest in peace.*

REBECCA WAITS - November 25, 2024 at 04:27 PM

LC

“ One of my favorite memories with you was making key lime pie. It was essential that we scratch our butts throughout the process. Thank you for those memories and laughs. Love you, cuz!

♥♥ Lisa



Lisa Colon - November 23, 2024 at 11:32 PM

RJ

“ Brother...I'm at a lost for words and don't know what to say, it's hard to believe you're gone. You introduced me to your family 45 years ago, treated me like a brother and made me part of the family whom I still treasure to this day. We had good times and bad but I always thought that we would eventually grow into grumpy old men and spend our time on a pier somewhere fishing and sharing old stories.

It's sounds cliché, but Eddie would literally give you the shirt off his back, I remember back in the Marine Corps when we first got to Okinawa, he actually gave up his apartment to me and my new family while he stayed in the barracks until I could get another apartment.

Another time, my little beat up Japanese van's engine had died and I didn't have the money to repair it, Eddie, unbeknownst to me went out, found an old working engine, brought it back to the house in the trunk of his car, where he and I installed it so I could have wheels.

I could go on with the stories, he was just that kind of person, I will miss him and pray he finds peace.

Love you brother.

Richie



Richard Jackson - November 22, 2024 at 11:19 PM

PA

“ *Peggy Aubin lit a candle in memory of
Edward Joseph Galindez*



Peggy Aubin - November 22, 2024 at 06:55 PM

“Cousin Eddie was a man with a heart for family. He had a deep determination to bring us together, and he never gave up on that mission. His calls, texts, and visits were his way of reminding us that family mattered and that we mattered. Sadly, death has a way of showing us how finite life is and how important it is to hold on to those we love.

Eddie had a way of making you feel valued and heard. He wasn't perfect, as none of us are, for the Bible reminds us that "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). But what set Eddie apart was his ability to reach out, to check in, and to let you know he cared. He was the only one of my cousins who truly sought me out. He would call or text to see how I was doing, and we shared locations so he always knew where I was. He'd send a simple "CUZ" that somehow meant so much.

I remember when we were celebrating my dad's 75th birthday in Tennessee, up in the mountains. Eddie reached out, and on a beautiful July Saturday morning, he showed up in flip-flops, shorts, and a shirt. We didn't pre-warn him, but we ended up going on a hike to Abrams Falls a five-mile round trip through some of the harshest terrain, and he did it in flip-flops. You know what? Eddie didn't care. He loved every minute of it because he was with family, and that's what mattered most to him. When Eddie visited, he always brought something special, southern desserts like pies or jams that you couldn't find here in Florida. It was his way of sharing a piece of himself with you, a thoughtful gesture that reflected his love for family. I think we all have stories like that, moments when Eddie made us feel seen and valued. We laughed, we shared, and created memories no one can ever take away.

It's true, we don't fully appreciate what we have until it's gone. Losing Eddie has reminded me of that in the hardest way. He was the kind of person who made every moment count, and I'll cherish those times forever.

His presence in my life was a gift, and I will miss him greatly. But even in this loss, I am grateful for the memories, for the way he brought us together, and for the example he left of how to care for one another.

As we say goodbye, let us honor Eddie by carrying forward his love for family. Let's reach out, check in, and make time for each other, just as he did. Life is short, and Eddie has shown us how important it is to make every moment count.

I love my cousin Eddie, and I always will.



George Asencio - November 22, 2024 at 09:28 AM

LA

“ *Because we are crazy about each other no matter the distance and the time in between. Forever my crazy cuz!! Miss you dearly 💔*



Lindy Ayala - November 22, 2024 at 02:46 AM

LC

“ Eddie you gave us so much of you but not enough,, remembering when all the boy were together and you be walking around, we had to watch you because you would come from behind and you know what you did, for a reason they were jumping up away from you, yes you were trouble but we loved every moment together, we will never forget you, RIP my Godchild may the Lord be with you.

Luis Colon - November 21, 2024 at 09:04 PM

FA

“ Eddie thank you for treating me as family from day one. I remember kayaking with the family and having a blast. Your laugh was contagious. Even though we weren't blood you were family. You will be truly missed. Rest in peace. Fabio

Fabio Alvarez - November 21, 2024 at 07:57 PM

AC

“ Love You Cuz, I will always remember our fun times , hard laughs , and remarkable memories.



Angel Colon - November 21, 2024 at 07:40 PM

LC

“ Words cannot express the sadness and heartbreak your loss has caused. The moments we shared over the years are forever etched in my memory. Who can forget Key West where we committed a number of moving violations on those scooters. Or when you convinced me to accompany you on an overnight trip to Fort Meyers where we delivered a truck load of JCPenny spring catalogs that were not on pallets. And, we spent 4 hours unloading the cargo. LOL.

Great times. I will forever miss you cuz!!



Luis Colon - November 21, 2024 at 07:21 PM

NG

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Natasha Galindez - November 21, 2024 at 07:17 PM

NG

“ *Natasha Galindez sent a virtual gift in memory of Edward Joseph Galindez*



Natasha Galindez - November 21, 2024 at 07:04 PM

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Phil Asencio - November 21, 2024 at 06:23 PM

MA

“ Eddie,

My first memory of you was when you briefly dated Alicia Perez, she was so smitten with you, but then life happened and nothing really came out of that friendship with her and you each moved on.

Never would have I imagined that LIFE would come full circle-40 years later and I would get to see you again as I married into your family and got to call you "COUSIN."

It was amazing to get to know you and how you loved life, and how much you and Phil loved to talk about anything and everything, we had a great time with you and it will always be remembered as Phil's chicken piccata weekend!!

The loss of you is without measure surreal, but the person that I got to know will forever be in my heart.

Rest easy and until we see each other again in the circle of life.

Love you cuz! Mindy Asencio

Mindy Asencio - November 21, 2024 at 01:57 PM

ED

Hey you~

Thank you most of all for Armand. Thank you for guiding Mikey, back when he was an aspiring "punk", and taking him to the Young Marines. God bless you now, in His peace and healing Love. Edie

Edie - November 22, 2024 at 08:18 AM

MA

“Eddie, I am still numb, I cannot process your loss. You were such a beautiful soul. You loved your family immensely. You would travel miles just to see us. I still remember our Tennessee trip where you walked miles in sandals just because we wanted to go hiking. I will miss our long talks. I will miss your hugs. You always wanted a family reunion, I never imagined it would be like this. You are and will always be in my heart. I love you forever! Rest easy. Love your cousin Martita 💔

Martha Alvarez - November 21, 2024 at 12:36 PM

LA

“Dearest cousin I am devastated with such a broken heart. My best memories of you picking me up on your motorcycle and us riding to the arcade to play games. Eating pizza. Pop getting mad with me on the bike but oh well, I learned how to love that feeling. Then us riding together down to Wildwood. My treat to ride the rollercoaster, “sit in the last seats”, then eating pizza. Again. You and I will always be a team. I will always be your “number one” because you are mine. My greatest hero and my heart. Thank you for always reaching out and for being there for my mom. I pray you are together in heaven. I love you dearly ❤️ I will see you again.

Lindy Ayala - November 21, 2024 at 12:34 PM

PA

“My cousin Eddie, still in disbelief you're gone. You always made time to make a call to us or if you were a few hours away you would drive to see us. We had some incredible times together some great talks, they were always about family that's what we love about you no matter how far you were it didn't matter to you, because you will make that trip just to be with family. You will be missed cuz! Phil Asencio

Phil Asencio - November 21, 2024 at 12:03 PM

LM

“ Eddie I will never forget the beautiful times we had together. You were and still are a great big brother. I will never forget the days on the lake and the great meals together climbing waterfalls. I will miss our daily talks on the phone keeping each other company while driving to work. I won't forget your laughter or your beautiful Mohawk. I will miss you calling me Froggie the way only you knew how. Nobody can ever fill your shoes. You will always be my big brother that I am proud of. I love you my Brother forever. My heart is shattered but I now know you are at peace. Rest Eddie I'll see you later. 💔

lisa mirambeau - November 21, 2024 at 11:11 AM

NG

“ Thank you for welcoming me into the Galindez Family. I will miss your hugs. -Natasha Galindez

Natasha Galindez - November 20, 2024 at 06:45 PM



“ Heartfelt Sympathies Blue & White Funeral Standing Basket was purchased for the family of Edward Joseph Galindez.



November 20, 2024 at 06:44 PM