



Edward L. Mendenhall

May 15, 1952 - June 4, 2026

Edward Lester Mendenhall passed away on June 4, 2026, at the age of 74. He was a very beloved father to Renee, Chris, and Coty, as well as a devoted grandfather to Pedro, Nick, Shayna, Gio, Eli, Lorenzo, Styles, Anastasia Edie, and Harvey. He was an important family member to many and a lifelong friend to a special few. His big heart, kindness, and relentless sense of humor left a mark on us all.

He was a lover, a deep thinker, and an even deeper feeler.

He often had a heavy heart for our troubled world and wished only for peace and love for everyone.

He could be described by all three of his children as a safe place, someone to confide in with no judgement, laugh with, and who somehow made the world seem more wonderful with just his presence.

His laugh was unforgettable and could fill a room with joy.

His theories on everything were complex, well researched, and eye opening.

His love of music, plants, people, and all living things was genuine and unwavering.

He strived for truth, peace, and simplicity.

He brought so much love into a family that needed just that, and changed the course of all our lives in the best and most powerful way.

He is missed tremendously, but everything will remind us of him for the rest of our lives.

He is in the birdsong, the breeze, the bloom of spring flowers, and the silence

of winter.

He is everywhere and will never be forgotten.

In accordance with his wishes, no traditional memorial service will be held.

Instead, family and friends will gather later this year for a Viking-style feast to celebrate his life, share stories, raise a glass in his honor, and remember the remarkable man who brought so much love into the world.

Arrangements were made by Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home, our family serving yours.