



## Edward Eugene Eloshway

March 18, 2019

Edward Eloshway, 73, a native of St. Petersburg, passed away suddenly Monday, March 18, 2019. Edward was a counsellor and teacher in Pinellas County having taught at Northeast High for 22 years, St. Petersburg High for six years and Dixie Hollins for three years before retiring. He is survived by his devoted wife, "Pearl." Ed is the loving father of Kerry Marks and Steven Eloshway, brother of Timothy Eloshway and adoring grandfather of Savanna Marks. The family will receive family and friends at R. Lee Williams & Son funeral home Sunday, March 24 from 1:30 P.M. until time of service at 2 P.M.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Hurricane Helene is about to descend on the West Coast of Florida. Mr. Eloshway was my 10th grade geography teacher at Northeast high school in St. Petersburg. It would have been 19 78–79. He was a wonderful teacher, one of my favorites. He was kind and he was respectful of his students never condescending or dismissive. And he was very creative in his teaching, which I loved. I remember distinctly him talking about hurricanes hitting the state of Florida that year in class. He said we had not had a “big one “, but that there was one coming. I remember him saying that it’s not if it’s coming, it’s when it’s coming. That always stood out in my mind. With Helene bearing down on Florida I’ve been thinking of Mr. Eloshway and what he said that year to his students. I decided to Google him and was very sorry to see that he passed 5 1/2 years ago. My condolences to his family, he was a wonderful man. Mr. Eloshway was not wrong about a big one hitting the West Coast to Florida, unfortunately. I wish everyone well and I’m sure Mr. Eloshway is there to protect all those that he loves. God bless his soul. Michelle Judd

Michelle Terry (Judd) - September 26, 2024 at 12:27 AM



“ The family of Edward Eugene Eloshway uploaded a photo

August 19, 2019 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Janice Blaine - friend posted a condolence Dearest Pearl and family, Sending deepest sympathy and hugs on the sudden loss of Ed. I know your strong faith will help you feel the warm compassion of God's love as you journey through this time of grief.

Janice Blaine - friend - March 23, 2019 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Michele Fox - Former student posted a condolence Mrs. Eloshway and Family, I am so sorry to learn of the passing of Mr. E. He was in deed my favorite teacher at Northeast High School. His passion for teaching and his witty sense of humor made him one of a kind! He was truly one of the good ones! Please know you will be in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Sincerely, Michele Chestnut Fox

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**Michele Fox - Former student** - March 22, 2019 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ Micah Johnson - Neighbor posted a condolence I am very sorry for your loss. May our loving Heavenly Father grant you the peace, strength, and comfort during this most difficult time.

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**Micah Johnson - Neighbor** - March 22, 2019 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Bryan - family posted a condolence Ed meant a lot to many people. From the thousands of young lives he touched as a counselor and teacher, to his loving wife and children, he will be missed. I will miss your bad jokes and long stories, but more importantly, I'll just miss you being there to tell them (just as long as there isn't a FSU game on). Take care my man.

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**Bryan - family** - March 21, 2019 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Penny - Friend posted a condolence I was saddened to hear the news of Ed's passing. Although our paths had not crossed as often as in the past, I still remember his sense of humor and the way he always welcomed me with a hug. I was fortunate to enjoy his family's company in their home surrounded by Christian music and singing, or dinners out with many of those family and friends. Ed was always the center of it. My deepest condolences to my dear friend Pearl, to Steve, and Kerry, Bryan and Savannah. I have no doubt that Ed is enjoying the beautiful sights and heavenly sounds great in the presence of our Lord.

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**Penny - Friend** - March 21, 2019 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mary Anne Hathaway (Vinsky) - Class of '82 posted a condolence My heart goes out to all of Mr. E.s family. He was such a positive influence in my life. I was adopted & we talked in length about adoption. I told him how proud I was to be adopted. He will very missed.

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**Mary Anne Hathaway (Vinsky) - Class of '82** - March 20, 2019 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ Kerry Marks - daughter posted a condolence Dad, We miss and love you and Steve and I will look after mom.

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**Kerry Marks - daughter** - March 20, 2019 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Tom Picras - Long time friend posted a condolence Ed and I met in Tampa in 1967, working in the same office as State Parole Officers. We were roommates and shared in lots of fun on the weekends catching and smoking mullet. We haven't eaten Mullet since. Work was hard, but times were fun. Not only did we fish, but also hunted together. His greatest accomplishment was introducing me to a female classmate from FSU and a Parole Officer also in our Tampa office. Now after 50 years of marriage, I am still under her supervision. Ed was a wonderful, kindhearted, devoted husband and father who will be greatly missed. Good times will never be forgotten. Tom and Bernadette Picras

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**Tom Picras - Long time friend** - March 20, 2019 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Sue Suddith - student posted a condolence Mr. E was hands down my favorite teacher at SPHS (Class of 75). His inclusive compassion for kids that were not popular or 'stand outs' made us feel good about ourselves. He made high school bearable for me. Best wishes and love to his family.

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**Sue Suddith - student** - March 20, 2019 at 12:00 AM