



Eduardo Z. Hanna

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Dr. Ed Hanna passed away on August 14, 2020 of natural causes at St. Anthony's hospital in St. Petersburg, FL. He was born on April 9, 1941 in Formosa, Argentina to Jose and Dorotea Hanna. Ed grew up in Buenos Aires, Argentina with his sisters Luisa and Nora. He followed his passion of pharmaceuticals and obtained a bachelor's degree in Pharmacy and a PhD in Biochemistry. He had a long, successful career working in the pharmaceutical industry. He believed in the importance of an education and mentored family and friends to complete their degrees.

He is survived by his wife Isabel, who he married on March 26, 1970 in Buenos Aires, Argentina and his children Claudio (Karen), Perla, and Andrea (Greg). He is also survived by his grandchildren Mallory, Mathew, Jake, Mia, Alex, and Anna who lovingly used to also refer to him as Ed and adored spending time with him. He will also be missed by his beloved dog, Bugsy.

Ed immigrated to the US in 1981 and was very proud to be an American citizen. He was the life of the party who was always willing to help family and friends with anything they needed. As a Captain, he enjoyed planning sailing trips with friends from the St. Petersburg Yacht Club. He was a bartender who loved making drinks for family and friends. He worked hard and played hard and instilled a strong work ethic to his children.

Feel free to honor Ed by raising your glass and making a toast in his memory.

In lieu of flowers a donation should be made to Menorah Manor in St. Petersburg, FL

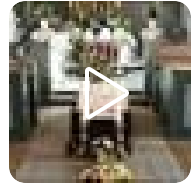


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Memorial Park Funeral Home shared a **Webcast Video**.



August 18 at 6:17 AM



Marcela August 21 at 7:23 PM

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J & L Goulet shared 4 photos to the **VoPI** album.



August 18 at 5:40 PM



Clau August 21 at 2:25 PM

Te quiero mi primo querido!! Gracias por tanto cariño siempre 🍷



Les Bauer posted:

Les and I will always remember Ed! When Ed was around, there were always great laughs. We will forever think of Ed when we have a drink of rum. His knowledge of rum combined with his wonderful humor always made a great party. He will forever live in our hearts and his memory will remain with us always. Ed was a great friend to all. His kindness was always a gift. Our thoughts and prayers are with Isabel and the family. We wish you healing and peace during this difficult time. We hope you feel the love that surrounds you all. Most Sincerely, Les & Nancy Bauer

August 20 at 6:37 PM



Barbara And Heber Weller posted:

Dear Hanna family, Heber and I are very saddened to learn of Ed's passing. We are grateful we had the opportunity to boat with you both over the years. We will miss Ed very much. Please take comfort from all your memories. Thank you for sharing the service with us as well as your family. Barbara and Heber Weller

August 20 at 5:21 PM



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JL

John Lenhart posted:

Dear Isabella I was with great sadness that I heard of Ed's passing. I remember first meeting you on a cruise to Westshore Yacht Club Tampa when you had your first sailboat. Over the years we had many cruises together. When we had the SPYC international food and beverage cruise to the Field Club, your Argentina food creations were a big hit. Ed's PhD chemistry experience showed with the delicious "Mojitos" that he created. Thank you for inviting us to your Passover Seder, it was very special and I will always remember it. Ed was always a beam of sunshine to the SPYC cruising fleet. I was impressed with his old world values of education and his character. He truly lived his dream in his career and in retirement. He was lucky to have found you as a life-long partner. You have a wonderful family let them be your strength in this difficult time. John Lenhart MD8-17-20

August 20 at 9:04 AM

KJ

Ken And Corrine St.Jean posted:

Dear Isabel and all of Ed's family, So many of us thought the WORLD of Ed. Not very tall but a GIANT of a man. We spent many fabulous, fun & rum filled hours with Ed and Isabel during our cruises. We will miss him dearly...his hard work, dedication, boating knowledge/experience, his volunteering of time and energy to step up with a smile as port director and safety inspector over and over again. Ed certainly was one-of-a-kind....a man, a husband, a father/grandfather, a proud American, a faithful friend anchored in both kindness and joy. We grieve with you and for you. Ken and Corrine (PHANTOM)

August 20 at 7:27 AM

BR

Bert Rachel posted:

Isabella ,Susan and I are so saddened to hear Eds passing we had such a wonderful time Thanksgiving last year and were looking forward to many more your in our prayers in and thoughts we love you Susan Bert .

August 20 at 5:20 AM

SS

Sonia Steinberg posted:

Queridos Isabel, Claudio, Perla y Andrea: Ustedes hicieron parte muy importante de nuestras vidas en Brasil y siempre los recordamos con mucho cariño. Eduardo estará siempre en nuestra memoria y corazón. Un abrazo muy fuerte de la familia Kornitz.

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August 20 at 4:57 AM

MK

Mac Kellar shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Dear Isabella, family & friends of Ed:The sad news of Ed's passing came as a big shock to me.I said a special prayer for his sweet soul and the comfort of all who miss him.Despite my sadness, I am smiling as I compose this due to many fun & happy memories.My deepest condolences are extended to all who knew him, especially his family of which he was so proud. Mac from S.P.Y.C.



August 20 at 4:14 AM

TC

Tim & Dianne Connolly shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Our condolences to the Hanna Family. Eddie was one of a kind, in only the best ways: great family, smart, always smiling, always helping, a Rum Master second to none, willing to organize a boat outing, and on and on.There are so many safe boats in the area thanks to his willingness to conduct Coast Guard surveys.His vessel naming ceremonies were always a highlight of any trip we went on together.God's blessings to you Isabelle. We are here for you.Peace.Tim and Dianne Connolly



August 20 at 4:11 AM

RS

Randy Stacy posted:

Ed was a good friend that will be forever missed. Ed went out of his way to help me with medication sources and always ask how I am doing. He was always concerned and interested those he cared about. I so enjoyed spending time with Ed. He was a true blessing to all who knew him.

August 20 at 4:00 AM



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ML

Maria & Peter Loukatos posted:

We are so sorry to hear of the passing of Ed. He was the complete family man, who took great pride in his wife, his children and grandchildren. We know your hearts ache that he is no longer here, but as long as you keep him close to your hearts, he will be with you forever! May the Lord watch over you and guide you through this difficult chapter in your lives. Ed will be missed immensely by all of us. May his memory be eternal. With love, Peter and Maria

August 19 at 6:28 PM

SF

Schmitt Family lit a candle in honor of Eduardo.



August 19 at 11:49 AM

MM

Martha And David Monfried shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.



Dave and I were saddened to learn of Eddie's passing. He was a bright light at the St. Petersburg Yacht Club and of the Cruising Fleet. We first met Ed and Isabel (and Buggy) while docked to spend the night at the Clearwater Yacht Club. We spent many lovely evenings with Ed and Isabel at Cruising Fleet dinners and cruises. He was the one who advised us to go to Walmart and buy blue and white lights to decorate our boat for the holidays, something we as Jews had never done before. His advice garnered us second place in the power boats, while he won first for the sailboats! His bright light will shine on and his memory is a blessing to so many. Martha and David Monfried The Lovely Martha

August 19 at 11:40 AM

CB

Caryn Bain August 20 at 9:56 AM

Ed's smile was as big as his heart – a true friend to all. We will always think of him on the 4th of July as we remember his specially made ice shot glasses filled with rum shooters toasting his adopted country. We loved sharing special times with Ed and Isabela and know he is smiling down on us all. God Bless Ed and his family. Peace Caryn and Willy Bain

AR

Aldo Raquita posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. God bless you and your family.

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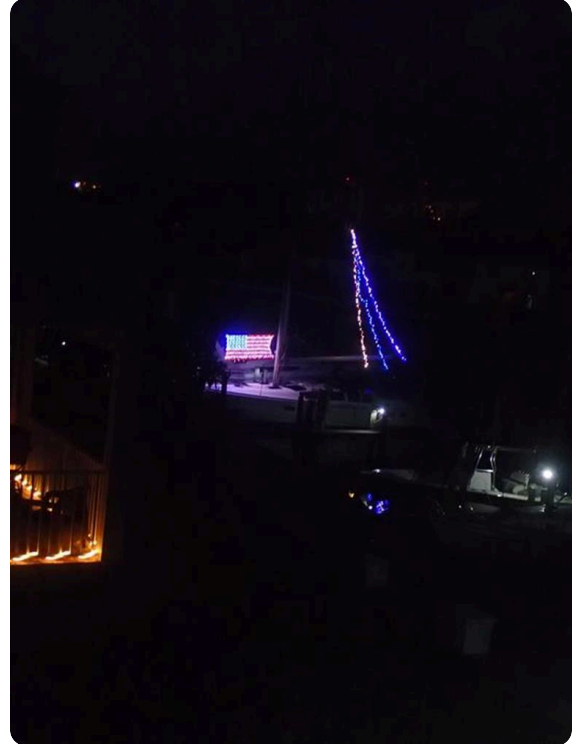


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70 Years Young, Climbing the Mast



American Pride



Neighborly Cheer, Not Held Down by COVID



Festive Boating



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Eddie in his favorite place



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The Lovely Martha decked in white and blue thanks to Eddie



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Eduardo by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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