



Eric Fields Vierling

October 9, 1954 - December 8, 2018

Eric Fields Vierling, 64, of Bonita Springs, FL, passed away suddenly on December 8, 2018 upon returning from an annual trip he had made for the past fourteen years to St. Maarten, an island country in the Caribbean.

He was born on October 9, 1954 in Kensington MD and lived there until 1972. His love for travel took him cross country over the next several years with repeat visits to the Florida Keys where he spent time fishing, hanging with friends and enjoying what this special spot in paradise had to offer. He moved from there in 1980 and made the Fort Myers/Bonita Springs area his home.

Eric started out his career in the construction industry, but his love for plants led him to developing and owning a 20 acre wholesale plant nursery called Dragonfly Nursery. He was well known for producing and supplying quality plants to landscapers throughout Florida and the Carolinas. He loved sports, the outdoors, and was passionate and extremely knowledgeable in the fields of Geology, Archeology and Gemology.

Eric is survived by his loving partner for 27 years and wife for 15 years, Pollyanna Caddell Vierling; his parents, Robert Morgan and Janet (née Fields) Vierling of Ellicott City, MD, his sister, Laura Mawhood of Columbia, MD; brother, David (Amanda) Vierling of Silver Spring, MD; and his nephews and nieces, Keith Mawhood, Erin Mawhood, Scott Mawhood, Morgan Vierling,

Alexandra Vierling and Katherine Vierling. Eric was predeceased by his nephew Michael Mawhood and his brother-in-law Thomas Mawhood.

A celebration of Eric's life will be held at Enzo's Italian Restaurant located at 4351 Bonita Beach Rd SW, Bonita Springs, FL 34134 on Saturday, March 2, 2019 between 12:00pm and 3:00pm. A complimentary light lunch and a cash bar will be provided. Please RSVP to pcvierling@gmail.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Eric Fields Vierling*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *I hope you know how much I love you. I hope you know how much I miss you. I hope you know how important you were to me. I hope you know you meant more to me than anything else in this world. I hope you know how much I treasure the life we had together. I hope you know that I would do anything to be able to hold you and to once again tell you how much I love you. I hope you know you are the first thing I think about when I open my eyes in the morning. I hope you know how many times you are thought of throughout my day. I hope you know you are the last thing I think about when I close my eyes at night. I hope you know I pray God is watching over you and that He has welcomed you into His paradise where there is no sorrow, no pain, but only peace and joy. I hope you know I pray you are smiling and surrounded by those you loved who passed before you. But most of all, I hope you know that safe inside my heart you'll stay until we are together again.*

Your loving wife, Polly

Polly Vierling - February 24, 2019 at 10:44 AM