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## **E**ric Kaplan Obituary Sunrise: July 14, 1958 Sunset: March 21, 2023

Beloved Husband, Father, Grandfather, Brother, and Son, Eric Ira Kaplan grew up in Florida, where he gained a love for surfing and wrestling. He was an all-star in both sports and won many awards and trophies competing. Eric had a tremendous love and attraction to the Ocean and its waves, beaches, and animals of all sorts. He spent a lot of time volunteering and coaching the Youth at the local Skate Park and even recieved an award for helping Disabled Paralyzed Veterans.

Eric loved and cared for his wife of over 35 years, Arlene Kaplan, until his last day. He also raised her children, Linda Coleman, Sheron Weaver, and Thomas Jr. Eric raised his grandson, Darius Kaplan, as his own son. He is also survived by his Sister Hope and Brother Jeffrey.

Eric is preceded in death by his Mother, Audrey Ruth Kaplan "Mudds", and Father, Eugene Harold Kaplan.

Eric Kaplan will be missed and forever remembered. Friends and Family all know he is Big Wave surfing in Heaven and watching over us always.

Rest in Paradise Eric Ira Kaplan.

Private services.

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RA

**Ralph** posted:

A hui a kakou. See you in the water

April 15 at 8:45 AM

NB

**Nonglak Blair** posted:

Love you Uncle Eric ,Rest in Heaven Surf the waves in heaven for us ,tell my Dad I love him and watch over us with yall wings

April 15 at 4:24 AM

MM

**Melinda Mobley** posted:

Sending prayers for the ohana.

April 15 at 2:43 AM



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