



## Major C. Herrera

July 13, 1974 - July 1, 2012

Maj Herrera - Marc "Cheech" C. Herrera, 37, passed away on Sunday, July 1, 2012. He is survived by his wife Amy; parents Marian and Steve Herrera; grand parents, Alice and Chuck Herrera and numerous loving aunts, uncles and cousins. Cheech was a 1996 graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy who served as a pilot his entire career. He loved to play hockey and was an outdoorsman who enjoyed fishing and hunting. Services will be held on July 6, 2012, 11:00 am at First Unitarian Church of Albuquerque, 3701 Carlisle Blvd. NE. Friends may visit at the church one hour prior to the service. Should friends desire, memorial contributions may be made to any local animal shelter or Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Central New Mexico.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Marc you remain in our hearts always  
Our love for your precious parents will never end! As I call them Kiki  
and Steven Charles! You will never be forgotten!*

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**Darla Ewing** - August 28, 2025 at 01:17 PM

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*You are still greatly missed and loved*

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**Darla Ewing** - December 05, 2025 at 01:09 AM

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*Never forgotten !*

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**Darla Ewing** - December 05, 2025 at 01:11 AM

MF

“ *Marian and Steve, I know this is very late but we wanted to offer our  
prayers and deepest sympathy in the loss of Marc. We know what a  
wonderful son he was and how much you both loved and miss him.  
Just wanted you to know we were thinking about you. Jim and  
Melody Furst*

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**Melody Furst** - March 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *When Marc was a brand new 2LT in pilot training, he was my  
assigned student. Marc and I flew together many times including his  
very first T-1 flight ("dollar ride"). I still have the dollar Marc made for  
me after completing the first flight. I always knew Marc to be fun  
loving, motivated, and he was extremely diligent as a pilot. Marc is  
going to be missed by his Air Force family.*

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**LtCol Ed Stack** - September 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TA

“ For many in the Air Force Marc was their wingman. For me, Marc was my wingman. We were hockey brothers. I will truly miss the guy the taught me to go above and beyond what I could do physically, mentally and emotionally. Godspeed my brother. We love and miss you.

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**Todd Aldrich** - July 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ I am so sorry and want to convey my deepest condolences to the Herrera family. I was a squadron mate and friend of Marc's from the Academy. We actually were big sister and big brother together to a little brother who was 12 at the time. I really enjoyed that and we had many great memories. I know that having a big brother was extra special to our little because his Dad was far away. I understand Marc stayed very active in Big Brothers/Big Sisters and know that he touched many lives that way... I will always remember him for his generosity and kindness and sense of humor (despite being in a stressful environment!). He was one of my 27 "brothers"... You are in my thoughts and prayers in this difficult time. May God bless you and hold you...Kristin Ader

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**Kristin (Petersen) Ader** - July 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HT

“ On behalf of the French Family of Companies, we would like to express our deepest condolences to your family.

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**Harold Hamilton and Team** - July 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM