



## Enrique Abeledo

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Enrique died at Morton Plant Rehabilitation in Clearwater, Florida after a three month battle with respiratory failure and COPD. His Memorial service took place at Moss Feaster Funeral Home in Largo, Fla. on 3/29/07.

Born in Sada, Spain in 1924, he was the youngest of three and the only son of Ramon Abeledo and Emilia Tojo. He was raised in Buenos Aires Argentina, where his family moved during the Civil War in Spain. He attended Law school while working in the movie industry as an actor. He was featured in the movie "Armino Negro" first shown in Buenos Aires on 8/27/1953. Enrique came to America in the early 60s to try to make an incursion into the movie industry but found it difficult due to his spaniard accent and the lack of roles for Hispanics at the time. He then found different jobs in the construction industry and slowly moved into real estate development, which became his life passion. He lived in California most of life, until he moved to Florida in 1999. He loved the beach, water, seafood, and believed in living intensely. He is survived by his widow: Leonor Garcia, his children: Emily, Ami, Tracee and Jesus Alberto; his grandchildren Ethan Nicholas and Amelia; his ex-wives: Maria Teresa Castro and Rosalbina Gutierrez; as well as his long time partner Elia Munoz Vargas. He was predeceased by both of his sisters: Carmen and Pilar. He was an excentric man of clear tastes and strong sentiments.

Memories of him will be cherished by his loved ones. We will miss him forever!