In Memoriam

2016-17
Champ Allen: 1952-2017

- Co-owner, Thera-ssage
- Avid Harley rider
- Husband of renowned author, massage therapist, Laura Allen
Benjamin Barth: 1974-2017

- Lead Instructor and Spa Manager for Central Arizona Valley Institute of Technology
- 2016 ACTE New Teacher of the Year
Mark Beck: 1947-2016

- Author
  
  *Theory and Practice of Therapeutic Massage*

- Teacher

- Disabilities advocate

- Role model
“Pualani” Rachael Gillespie: 1950-2016

- AFMTE Ethics Committee
- Massage Therapy Foundation
- Aloha spirit
John (JR) Olson: 1975-2017

- Director of Sales and Community Relations, Upledger Institute International
Stephen Perkinson: 1959-2017

- Founder, National Institute of Massotherapy
John M. Upledger: 1961-2017

- Chief Executive Officer
  - Upledger Institute International
  - The Barral Institute
  - International Alliance of Healthcare Educators (IAHE)
- Son of Dr. John E. Upledger, developer of Upledger CranioSacral Therapy
Dan Webster: 1944-2017

- NMT Practitioner
- Public Speaker
- Instructor
  - *Pura Vida College of Massage Therapy*
  - *Costa Rica School of Massage Therapy*
- Veteran, United States Air Force
Ed Wilson, 1933-2016

- Massage Therapist
- Teacher at Educating Hands, Miami Florida
- Peace activist
- Reflexologist
- Husband of Iris Burman