



## Aloha!

If you are reading this e-mail, then the first thing that you must know is that I am obviously no longer among you.

That is not a bad thing.

Life begins and life ends, and my time has come. I accept this and I am thankful for having had the many friends I have – and that *includes you!*

Please do not feel sad or weep for me. I have had a full and interesting life and dabbled in many pleasurable activities that most people would never have had an opportunity to participate in — from government service, the military, advertising design, marketing, publishing, Hawaiian cultural activities, police work, and producing live theatre. I was lucky. *I did them all.*

There are of course, many individuals along the way who made whatever I may have achieved possible – far too many to name individually; but be assured, if you were in my circle of friends, you had an influence on my life for whatever period we were together— *and for that, I thank you.*

Remember me. I will always be as near as your thoughts.

 Dave.