

# DID YOU KNOW PROFESSOR ELWIN "ED" POWELL?

## Memorial Service

**Dear People:** Dr. Ed Powell passed away on Friday April 20th. A memorial service is planned for May 12th to celebrate his remarkable life. Please pass the word to anyone who knew him, and ask them to participate. You can call his home and his wife, Karen Powell at (716) 836-1815 or his son Jim at (800) 949-4834 for more info. Visit his memorial website at [www.edpowell.org](http://www.edpowell.org)

-----**Excerpt from the University of Buffalo Reporter, Apr 25th, 2001**-----

-- **Elwin H. "Ed" Powell**, emeritus professor in the Department of Sociology in the University at Buffalo College of Arts and Sciences and a legendary figure on campus for his fierce defense of academic freedom, human rights, drug legalization and self expression died Friday, April 20, 2001. He was 75. Powell was a member of the UB faculty for 38 years who often could be seen riding his bicycle down Main Street to campus, even in the dead of a Buffalo winter. Throughout his career he earned a reputation for the attention he gave to the effects of the US government's social and political policy on American participatory democracy. Powell was a popular professor and a mentor... Memorial contributions may be made to the **Western New York Peace Center**. A memorial service for Powell will take place May 12th at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 695 Elmwood Ave., Buffalo, at 11:00am



**Unitarian Universalist Church**  
695 Elmwood Ave, Buffalo, NY 14222 (716) 885-2136  
11:00 AM | Gathering to follow at 124 Jewett Parkway

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