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Dear colleagues,

I'm really sorry to give you very bad and sad news: Ken Evans, one of the most esteemed colleagues and a friend for many of us, died yesterday of a heart attack.  
He was peaceful at home in Normandy.

It's a shock; Ken was full of energy and vitality, incredibly active in the field of psychotherapy, at many levels. It's a big loss for the Gestalt community and for the EAGT. He created and contributed to many associations, he was an EAP president and an EAGT president. The EAGT as it is today was mainly shaped during his presidency, he widely contributed to the recognition of Gestalt Therapy as a professional modality in Europe, promoting educational standards and research, he started the Human Rights and Social Responsibility Committee in the EAGT and he was contributing at many levels in our association.

He was a brilliant author of many books and papers, a point of reference for many of us.  
Last year we acknowledged his contribution by awarding him with the EAGT honorary membership.

It's also a personal loss for many of us: he was a teacher, a mentor, a friend in many countries.

He said, one day, that the soul is in the between, at the contact boundary. I can feel his presence now, at our contact boundary, in the between of us.

Joanna and Ken's family are inviting the EAGT community to participate the celebration of Ken's life. The ceremony will be held on July 31<sup>st</sup> at 2pm at St. Helen's church, Burton Joyce Nottingham, United Kingdom.

On behalf of EAGT: my deepest condolences to Joanna and his family.

Warmly,  
Gianni Francesetti  
EAGT President