



# *HMD LECTURE: Thursday, February 27, 2014*

## *Alzheimer's Disease/Dementia*

### *Presented by Edward Thrall*

There will be a discussion about the statistics—more specifically Alzheimer's, because it's the most prevalent cause of dementia. Statistics will include a breakdown by states within the U.S. and statistics by country. Possible causes of dementia and current research and treatments for dementia will be discussed. Included will be some personal stories about the lecturer's experience with his mother, her journey with Alzheimer's, and the spiritual aspects of that experience. There will also be an open forum for questions.



**Edward Thrall** was born in the Panama Canal Zone and raised in the U.S., traveling frequently until his father retired from the Air Force in 1963. Ed has lived in Florida since age 16, graduating from Florida International University with a B.B.A. degree in 1983. Ed has worked most of his adult life for State Farm Insurance Companies, first as a computer operator, then an insurance claims investigator, and the last 30 years owning a State Farm Insurance Agency. Ed graduated from BBSH in 2003. He later completed Advanced Studies, BIP, and Teacher Training, and has been a teacher for the last seven years in Miami. Ed also completed extensive training in Conscious Breathing and teaches Breath Work at several locations in South Florida. Ed is also trained in Remote Viewing with Lyn Buchanan, a former military remote viewer.