

# John Drummond, aged seventy-nine

Well known columnist and artist John Drummond died on Friday March 20th, aged 79.

John moved to Fuengirola from London in the late Sixties and became an art director for commercials. He was also known as 'John de las mapas', as he made beautifully drawn maps of various towns up and down the coast.

For sixteen years John lived in Marbella and had a relationship with Xaviera Hollander of 'Happy Hooker' fame. Together they wrote

two books and John assisted her with a column in Penthouse magazine.



John spent the last four years of his life in Fuengirola. He was then already suffering from an incurable cancer, but up until the last moment he maintained his wit and sense of humour. He will be missed by many, both in Marbella and in Fuengirola.