



## Daniel Thomas Crabb

August 28, 1946 - November 13, 2023

Daniel Thomas Crabb, age 77, passed away on November 13, 2023, while he was out shopping.

His heart finally gave out. He had given so much love and light to his family and friends and all he encountered.

He graduated from Cardinal Mooney High School in Sarasota, Florida, in 1964. After a brief stint in college, he enlisted in the Air Force and was honorably discharged in January 1990. He completed his bachelor's degree in physics at the University of South Florida in 1975. Following his graduation, he was employed as a bench chemist by Thornton Lab in Tampa, Florida. He moved to Tallahassee and began a long career of State Service with the Department of Natural Resources and concluded with the Department of Community Affairs, Emergency Services.

He met his spouse, Martha Porter Crabb, while he was attending USF. They were married in 1974 in Myakka River State Park and were preparing to celebrate their 50th anniversary in March 2024.

He retired in 2003 and pursued his many hobbies: electronics, music, carpentry, reading, and stained glass among many other pursuits.

He was predeceased by his father, Warren D. Crabb; his mother, Genevieve J. Crabb; and his brothers Warren, Robert, and David Crabb.

He is survived by his spouse as well as his sister Judith Kovacs. He leaves behind a host of grieving nephews, nieces, and other family and friends. His humor, his talent, and his big heart will be missed by all who knew him.

A Celebration of Life and reception for Dan Crabb is scheduled for January 19, 2024 for 1:30 pm at Jubilee Cottage at Goodwood Museum and Gardens, 1600 Miccosukee Road, Tallahassee, FL. We will share toasts and stories to celebrate the truly witty, talented and extraordinary person that was Dan Crabb.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Second Harvest of the Big Bend (4446 Entrepot Boulevard, Tallahassee, FL 32310), the Carter Foundation (<https://www.cartercenter.org/>), the Salvation Army, or other charity of your choice.

Dayne Parker of Bevis Funeral Home (850-385-2193 or [www.bevisfh.com](http://www.bevisfh.com)) is assisting the family with their arrangements.



# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JAN 19. 1:30 PM (ET)

Jubilee Cottage at Goodwood Museum and Gardens  
1600 Micosukee Road  
Tallahassee, FL 32308

# Tribute Wall



“ Robert J. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Daniel Thomas Crabb.

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**Robert J.** - January 14, 2024 at 09:41 PM