



## David Scott Lowe

December 12, 1955 - June 19, 2018

David Scott Lowe, 62, of Tallahassee, passed away peacefully after a courageous battle with numerous health issues and cancer, June 19, 2018, at the Community Living Center in Lake City, Florida. He was born December 12, 1955 in Johnson City, Tennessee but grew up in Tallahassee, Florida after his parents moved there in the early 1960's. He graduated from Lively Vo-Tech and served in the United States Navy. He worked in construction throughout his professional career.

While attending Tallahassee Community College, he was the first recipient of the HERO Scholarship which was established to assist veterans in obtaining their community college degree. He also served on the board of the Florida Disabled Outdoors Association where he supervised the construction of the Miracle League Field in Tallahassee.

His passions were the Florida State Seminoles, his family, assisting other disabled people to realize their dreams and assisting veterans in regaining their independence due to loss of limbs and traumatic injuries and working in the garden he established at the VA hospital in Lake City, Florida. He will be remembered for his extraordinary courage while facing numerous hurdles regarding his health and the number of people he touched with his friendship. Not one to allow his disabilities to define him, he was an example of not letting anything keep him down.

He was preceded in death by his parents, James E. and Lucy H. Lowe, and his brother, James Kevin Lowe. He is survived by his sister, Becky Lowe Crawford and husband Tom, of Franklin, NC, His niece, Tracie Crawford, of Franklin, NC; his nephews, T.J. Crawford of Havana, Florida, Matt Crawford and his wife, Lisa of Quincy, Florida; David Pritchett and his wife, Misty, of Weeki Wachee, Florida; his great nieces and nephews - Matt Crawford, David (Kirsten) Pritchett, Drew (Makayla) Pritchett, Ashley Pritchett, Anna Machado, Grace Machado, Jackson Machado and Collin Crawford; one great-great nephew and two great-great nieces, and his favorite nephew dog, Whiskey.

The family wishes to thank Brian Jones and his wife, Tammy, for their friendship these last few months, and to the staff of the VA Lake City hospital and Community Living Center for their compassion and dedication to him and to other veterans in their care.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Florida Disabled Outdoor Association ([fdoa.org/donations](http://fdoa.org/donations)), the HERO Scholarship at Tallahassee Community College Foundation and/or the Veteran's Village of Tallahassee.

Family will receive friends at Bevis Funeral Home on Sunday, June 24th from 2pm-4pm and burial will take place at the Tallahassee National Cemetery on Monday, June 25th at 12 noon.

A memorial service will also be held at the Community Living Center at the VA Hospital in Lake City, Florida, at 10:00 Friday, June 22nd.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **24**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory  
200 John Knox Rd  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 385-2193

## Graveside Service

JUN **25**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Tallahassee National Cemetery  
5015 Apalachee Parkway  
Tallahassee, FL 32311

# Tribute Wall

DM

“Becky & family, our heartfelt condolences to everyone. It was hard to write about a friend that you haven't seen since High School. David always made sure we were comfortable & made sure that we got to where we were going & we always had fun. He was part of my circle of friends & was like family. Since, I left High School at an early age, I never knew why David went into the service. When we became FaceBook friends later, we were always going to "catch up," but, it always seemed that there was tomorrow & that we would have time. Turns out "Life is short." David has always been a likeable person & was always fun. You knew where you stood. I enjoyed keeping up with him & his accomplishments & there were many. He blew us away when he wanted to learn how to ski & scuba dive. I told everyone that I knew about how incredible he was as a person! He put the rest of us to shame. I know that he had his issues, everyone does. You could see that he was such a positive role model & I hope to continue to learn qualities of compassion and forgiveness in terms of our daily living, as I think of him. Not sure if I have learned the lesson of "don't put off until tomorrow, what you can do today," but when I think of David, I sure do give that saying a 2nd thought. It really meant so much to learn that we were family for real. I'm going to miss him. I'm not going to say that he died, but he has become alive, and was taken by the Beloved father, our Lord, who art in Heaven. There, I know, he will always be safe. May God bless. Dale & Ran Meador

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**Dale Meador** - June 23, 2018 at 02:02 PM

DL

“ BECKY AND FAMILY IM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS I TRULEY LOVED DAVID AND HIS HEART OF GOLD I KNOW ITS SAD AND I KNOW HIS IN A BETTER PLACE HE WAS THOUGHT OF ALOT WE NEVER FORGOT HIM AND LOVING WAYS ALL THE VOLLEY BALL GAMES WE PLAYED AND TUBEING THE CREEK WE HAD ALOT OF GOOD TIMES REST IN PEACE DARISE LOWE

DARISE LOWE - June 22, 2018 at 08:56 PM



*Darise..we know how much you loved each other then. You and the kids will always have a special place in our heart. Love you too! Becky*

Becky Crawford - June 23, 2018 at 10:15 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Scott Lowe.*



June 22, 2018 at 03:05 PM

KM

“ *David was a great friend and a loving, caring brave and inspiring person and he will be missed. I remember all the fun that David and I had growing up, he was a true and trusted friend. I consider David as a Brother and his family was and still is my own family. Prayer and love to David and the family, and God's speed to David on his new journey. RIP my Brother until we are together again in our real home with our heavenly Father.*

Kevin McCroan - June 22, 2018 at 02:39 PM

JM

*I don't even know what to say. My heart is broken and happy at the same time. David was was such a phenomenal person in all that he accomplished regardless of his physical disabilities. I believe God only deals these cards to the ones he knows can pop proudly bear the burden as David always did . I think Gods plans for this great man was fulfilled and that he is sitting right there with his heavenly father today now reaping all the glory from his hard but loving works here on earth. RIP David, we will see you again 🙏 Jimmy& Wanda Moon*

**Jimmy & Wanda Moon** - June 22, 2018 at 03:17 PM

DM

“ *Deborah Messer McFadden lit a candle in memory of David Scott Lowe*



**Deborah Messer McFadden** - June 22, 2018 at 11:35 AM

KC

“ *I truly enjoyed serving on the board with David through the Florida Disabled Outdoors Association. His passion for serving others and his giving soul will forever be missed. Especially his dedication to the Miracle Sports program. It was through his connections to the construction world and his insight of the process that allowed the project to stay on budget. Love you David Lowe - Kristy*

**Kristy Carter** - June 22, 2018 at 10:18 AM

DF

“ *David was so much of an inspiration at CLC in Lake City. Have known David off and on for the past 11 years of his nursing visits. My brother Paul, from Tallahassee has MS as well is a patient at CLC2. Just saw David this past Sunday on our monthly visit to see Paul. David will truly be missed. Prayers go out to his family.*

**donna formby** - June 21, 2018 at 08:09 PM



*Thank you Donna. He will be missed.  
David's family.*

**Becky Crawford** - June 22, 2018 at 09:02 AM

GM

“ *David has been my friend and hunting and fishing buddy for over 20 years. When I took him fishing at a wheelchair accessible fishing pier in 2009, he suggested we set up a series of fishing outings for patients at the VA Hospital CLC. We did, and the outings were very successful for several years thanks to David. Good guy, and good friend. He will be missed, but is now in a better place.*

*Gene McNeill*

**Gene McNeill** - June 21, 2018 at 09:54 AM



*Thank you Gene, he loved fishing. Thank you for helping him to help others. It was his passion.  
His Sister  
Becky*

**Becky Crawford** - June 22, 2018 at 09:00 AM

MD

“ *Prayers for the family! David was such a sweet man was glad to have known him. He was always there if you needed something.*



**Michelle & Brian Duprey** - June 20, 2018 at 09:35 PM



*Thank you for the sweet words. He was a great guy and we will miss him too.  
David's family.*

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**Becky Crawford** - June 22, 2018 at 09:03 AM