



Joseph Underwood

October 27, 1967 - June 10, 2022

Joseph Wayne Underwood passed peacefully on June 10, 2022 at home surrounded by family. He was born in Dallas, Texas and split his time growing up there and New Albany, Indiana. He was previously married to Pamela Sue Hernandez where he had four children Justin, Ryan, Brittany and Colby. Shortly after being married he enlisted in the United States Navy in 1985 as a Hospital Corpsman where he served honorably for 22 years. While in service he attended the University of Maryland, Campbell University and Southern Illinois University and obtained his Bachelor's degree in healthcare management. Joseph worked mainly in clinics, hospitals and deployed for Operation Desert Storm and Shield. He was not only a healthcare professional but teacher and mentor to many fellow Sailors and civilians. After the military he taught briefly at Sanford Brown Institute and later held positions as a Healthcare Administrator at Naval Hospital Jacksonville, UF Shands and Orange Park Medical Center. He later met and married Natalie Lynn Harley where he had another son Logan Jack. He will be remembered fondly by whose professional and personal lives he touched.

He loved to travel with his family, especially to Walt Disney World. He had a lifelong passion for the Dallas Cowboys and Notre Dame football teams. His yells of triumph and sorrow were a staple at his home anytime his "Boys." He loved celebrating the holidays whether it be Halloween to Christmas. He lived for decorating the house in decorations and would make it a family affair. He,

being a Sailor, had an attachment to the water, especially beaches. He loved Daytona Beach so much he decided to be married there where he married his wife Natalie.

He was preceded in death by his father Joe Lee Underwood and mother Rita Joyce Condra. He is survived by his loving wife, Natalie; five children, Justin Underwood, Ryan (Kathleen) Underwood, Brittany Underwood, Colby (Stacey) Underwood and Logan Underwood: grandchildren, Jaylend Cowell, Jai'vion and Justice James, Ian Vincent and Benjamin Underwood, Alexis Underwood, Ava Ryan and Ashton Bell: siblings, Libby McCreight, Dee Underwood and Sam Condra: as various extended family.

Previous Events

Memorial

JUN 18. 2:30 PM (ET)

Five Points Chapel
702 Margaret Street
Jacksonville, FL 32204

Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph Underwood*

October 20, 2022 at 02:31 AM



“ *Joe was not a man of many words. Quiet & reserve would best describe him. If anything was ever wrong, you would never know it. I do remember on several occasions he would get on a cracking jokes spree & you couldn't shut him up. I loved working with him at UF, we had so much fun. Such a great coworker. You will certainly be missed, Joe. Rest in Peace, Buddy!*

Peggy Hogan - June 17, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Joseph Underwood.*



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Lorna Matos - June 16, 2022 at 04:56 PM



“ I called him Joey and I met him years ago for a job interview to help me run the internal medicine residency program at UF. He was so strong, confident, and knew his stuff. I hired him immediately and he was ahhhhazing! He helped me so much and would frequently come to my office and take stuff off my desk and say, "I could do this you know so I'm doing it"! He was an excellent administrator, colleague, and friend. He will be missed greatly. I pray his family is comforted by the many great memories of Joe's kindness, love, and fun.

Lorna Matos - June 16, 2022 at 04:43 PM