



Mr. Craig Douglas Cowdery

June 4, 1956 - April 9, 2022

Craig Douglas Cowdery passed away peacefully in his sleep on April 9, 2022, at his home in Tallahassee, Florida.

He was born in Denver, Colorado on June 4, 1956, to Robert Douglas (Bob) Cowdery and Mary Sue Barlow Cowdery.

After attending Lakewood High School, he graduated from the University of Colorado with a Geology Degree in 1980 and a Chemical Engineering degree in 1981. He completed a Master's Degree in Chemical Engineering at Colorado School of Mines and was a Certified Environmental Engineer in several states.

Craig is survived by his parents, Bob and Sue Cowdery of Wichita, Kansas; and his sister and her husband, Patricia Lynn Drexler and Bill Drexler of Aurora, Colorado. He is also survived by many cousins.

Among places he worked as a chemical engineer were Delta Environmental in Tampa, Florida, Rocky Flats in Denver, Colorado, at Idaho Springs, Idaho and more recently at NorthStar Contracting Group, Inc. in Tallahassee, Florida.

Craig enjoyed a hobby of gem and mineral collecting, playing the guitar, and art classes.

A family graveside service will be held later. Online condolences may be expressed at www.abbeyfh.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ This is an original David Russo that Craig had commissioned and a digital recorder that he and his buddies would record on to. I have so many beautiful reminders of you. Thanks dear friend!



Sean Gorman - May 16, 2022 at 07:58 PM

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“ My deepest condolences to the Cowdery family. Craig enjoyed all types of music, from Santana to Bach and everything in between. As one of his guitar teachers, I enjoyed teaching him a wide range of styles over the years. During Christmas season he would request that I teach him holiday favorites arranged for classical guitar such as ‘Greensleeves’ and “Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring.” Once the holidays were over it was back to AC/DC’s “Back in Black” or the White Stripes’ “7 nation Army.” He may not have been a performer however, when I accompanied him on the drums with no audience and the volume cranked up to 10, he played like we were on stage in front of a sold out crowd. He enjoyed every moment of it. He made me laugh at every single visit as he had a fantastic sense of humor. Craig will be missed and will live on in our thoughts and memories.

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Craig was a kind spirited soul who was constantly looking for the beauty in life. Through lessons and conversations over the years he taught me so much about gems, Art, and adventure. He always had a treat for my pup Mingus and a smile to share. I am going to miss seeing you every week. Getting to play and talk music with you always brought relief from the ordinary. I know the lineup up of Jerry, Jimi, Johnny, Sachmo, Roy, John, George, and Prince just to name a few will be there Jamming every night with you my friend. Sunday's at one will be a warm reminder of your avid love for life. My condolences and prayers to all who got to know such a cool being. Peace, Love, and Harmony!

Sean Gorman - May 16, 2022 at 07:46 PM