



Major William "David" Olmstead, Jr.

April 2, 1970 - January 5, 2024

Major William "David" Olmstead Jr., 53, of Newnan, GA, passed away Friday, January 5, 2024, in the comfort of his home. He was born April 2, 1970, in Newnan, GA to the late William David Olmstead Sr. He was preceded in death by his brother, Cal Olmstead.

David served in the War in Iraq, where he was given the nickname "Omni" by his battle buddies. David was injured and honorably discharged, earning him The Purple Heart. David then returned to work for Coweta County Department of Corrections from which he recently retired after working for Coweta for 32 years. He had a passion for fishing, and playing his guitars and keyboard, but most of all he loved his Coca-Cola. David had a sense of humor as well as a heart like no other. During his time on earth, he proudly fought for our Country and treated everyone equally, even the county's prisoners. David changed so many lives. He loved his family, friends, and co-workers and will be greatly missed by many.

Survivors include wife Lisa Olmstead, daughters Kallie Olmstead-Hall (Charles Hall, along with grandsons Wesley and CJ, Meagan Caldwell (Jimmy Erb) sons Zachary Olmstead and Aaron Caldwell (Amanda Caldwell and granddaughter Norah) Carly Olmstead (grandsons Kolton, Paxton, and Kayson); brother, Bryan Olmstead, and sisters, Geraldine Harrison and Anne Boynton.

Visitation will begin Tuesday, January 9, 2024, at 1:00 PM with Memorial Service following at 2:00 PM at McKoon Funeral Home. The family requested for red and black to be worn as David was an absolute Georgia Bulldog fan. In lieu of flowers, the family would like to have donations made to The Wounded Warrior Project and The White Ribbon Project.

Condolences can be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580.

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
care@mckoon.com
<http://www.mckoon.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Funeral Service

JAN 9. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Major William "David" Olmstead, Jr.*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - January 09, 2024 at 11:26 AM

EJ

“ *Served with David in the National Guard. He was a great soldier and friend. May God's love and peace be with you. Rest in peace trooper.*

Corky Jordan

Elliott Jordan - January 11, 2024 at 11:41 AM

TG

“ *Our family is praying for yours as you celebrate and grieve your dear father.*

Tiffany Grier - January 08, 2024 at 09:35 PM

TB

“ *David You were a great friend and coworker. You could always be counted on when we needed you. You made a positive impression on a lot of lives. You will be missed greatly. Lt. Bush*

Tom Bush - January 08, 2024 at 04:16 PM

TF

“ The Scott Carl Memorial Foundation planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Major William "David" Olmstead, Jr..

The Scott Carl Memorial Foundation - January 08, 2024 at 02:46 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Major William "David" Olmstead, Jr..



January 08, 2024 at 02:46 PM

CD

“ Major Olmstead was always in a good mood and helped out where ever he could. Talking to him and joking around always put me in a better disposition. You will be missed Sir.



Corporal Russell Daws - January 08, 2024 at 01:05 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Major William "David" Olmstead, Jr..

January 08, 2024 at 11:39 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Major William "David" Olmstead, Jr..*



January 08, 2024 at 11:39 AM



“ *You will be missed Maj. Dr Olmstead the jokes we told to each other.. Coming to you for Animal Service advice and many other positive encounters we shared... You will be missed!*
Sgt. McQueen

Mibrika McQueen - January 08, 2024 at 10:34 AM



“ *Major David Olmstead was such a nice man. Always had a smile on his face. Praying for the Family.*



Amanda Eiland - January 08, 2024 at 08:21 AM



“ *Corey James lit a candle in memory of Major William "David" Olmstead, Jr.*



Corey James - January 07, 2024 at 05:44 PM

CJ

I had the pleasure of serving with him in Red Platoon in Iraq. He was a good man and true friend that always served with honor.

Corey James - January 07, 2024 at 05:54 PM

JC

“ From the Grand Parents of Aaron Caldwell and Great Grand Parents of Norah Caldwell we are very sorry for the loss of your loved one.

John and Quin Coshnitzke - January 07, 2024 at 09:53 AM

DW

“ Prayers to the Olmstead Family. It was my pleasure to work with him. Sgt Wingo



Dale Wingo - January 06, 2024 at 09:08 PM

SY

“ Prayers to the Olmsted Family. David was a good man who served his country and his county with honor. Retired Sheriff Mike and Bev Yeager Family

SheriffMike Yeager - January 06, 2024 at 08:32 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Major William "David" Olmstead, Jr..



January 06, 2024 at 05:50 PM

JR

“ *Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers!*



Judy Rudbeck - January 06, 2024 at 03:36 PM