



## James "Bob" Crafton

December 1, 1946 - January 16, 2024

Husband, Father and Grandfather, James Robert "Bob" Crafton entered into the presence of our Lord on Tuesday, January 16, 2024. He was 77 years old. He passed peacefully with his loving wife by his side. He had struggled with several serious illnesses for the past three years, but he fought hard to continue a full and happy life with dignity and love. He is survived by his wife of thirty years, Norma Kathleen Crafton. His early life was full of adventure. He loved the outdoors and was involved in every sport that challenged him. He would say he "college shopped" looking for the right fit and always mixing responsibility with adventures. After college he had a very successful career in sales. The last twenty years, with Kathy always by his side, was spent building and then enjoying a dream home in the woods. He called it his "Peace in the Woods". He is and always will be sorely missed and loved. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that a donation be made to Hospice of Marion County. A graveside service will be held on Saturday at noon. His love and zest for life will always be celebrated by those that loved him.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JAN 27. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Highland Memorial Park  
1515 NE 3rd St  
Ocala, FL 34470  
(352) 502-4078

# Tribute Wall



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of James "Bob" Crafton.*



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January 24, 2024 at 09:35 PM



“ *Norma K. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James "Bob" Crafton.*

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**Norma K.** - January 24, 2024 at 09:35 PM