



## Daniel R. Crawford Sr.

March 1, 1940 - January 17, 2026

Daniel Ready Crawford passed away peacefully on January 17, 2026, at The Compass Regional House in Centreville, Maryland. He was surrounded by his loving family the whole time that he was ill.

He was born in Takoma Park, Md. on February 29, 1940, but because it was a leap year his birthday was officially changed to March 1, 1940. He was the son of the late William and Frances Ready Crawford. Danny attended school in Prince Georges Co and later became an Electrician for over 40 years with Reed Electric Company in Washington, DC.

He married the love of his life Carol Robey on Nov. 5th, 1960. They had 3 children who became very quickly the focus of their life.

Danny loved to laugh, make others laugh and tell jokes. That is why Seinfeld became his very favorite show of all time. Danny was a man of few words but the words that did come out were heartfelt and usually funny. He loved to travel with his wife Carol and he would always say that his very favorite spots were a toss up between Hawaii and Las Vegas. He loved to play the slot machines. He never won big but he didn't care. It was all in fun.

His favorite thing in life was spending time with his family. He loved being with all of his children and their families. He loved crab feasts and big Christmas

celebrations. He also loved to fish and for years he was in a bowling league with his wife and close friends. He loved watermelon and loved trying to grow them. Most of all he was an amazing father. He was gentle and kind and always present. He will be greatly missed.

Danny is survived by his three children: Danielle (Don) Wilson of Centreville, MD; Deena (Tony) Settineri of Pasadena, MD; and Daniel Crawford Jr. of Hollywood, MD. He is also survived by eight grandchildren: Evan Wilson (Kate), Benjamin Wilson (Kristine), Cassidy Wilson (Tiffany), Baylee Wilson, Jessica Settineri (Matthew), Nathaniel Settineri, Justin Crawford (Rachel), and Bethany Crawford; and seven great-grandchildren: Ellie, Everett, Penelope, and Graham Wilson; Amir Jones; and McKenna and Maverick Crawford. He is further survived by his sister, Betty Boston; brother-in-law, Tony Robey (Lynn); and sisters-in-law, Kathy Robey and Brenda McCrea.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Carol; brothers, Billy, Bobby, and Raymond Crawford; brothers-in-law, George and Bill Robey; and daughter-in-law, Susan Crawford.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, January 23rd at 2pm with a gathering being held from 1:30-2pm at Fellows Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, 408 South Liberty Street, Centreville MD 21617. Burial will immediately follow the service at Chesterfield Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers a donation could be made to Compass Hospice, 160 Coursevalle Drive, Centreville, Md. 21617. <https://wl.donorperfect.net/weblink/WebLink.aspx?name=E354255&id=2>

# Cemetery Details

## Chesterfield Cemetery

406 South Liberty Street  
Centreville, MD

# Previous Events

## Memorial Gathering

JAN 23. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location  
408 South Liberty Street  
Centreville, MD 21617  
(410) 758-1151  
info@fhfuneralhome.com

## Memorial Service

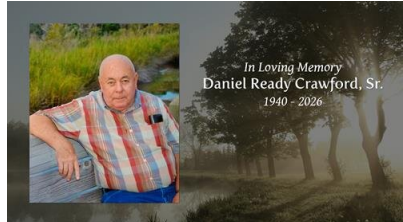
JAN 23. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Daniel R. Crawford Sr.*



**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - January 22 at 11:31 AM



*Dad, I will miss you so much! I will miss sitting with you and listening to your laughter over things you thought were hysterical. I will miss our Father's Day lunches and your very silly gifts you would buy us at Christmas. I will just miss being with you! You were the best Dad ever! I love you love Danielle.*

**Danielle Wilson** - January 23 at 08:34 AM



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**Danielle Wilson** - January 23 at 08:37 AM

KA

*What a beautiful life well lived with a so many loving family memories that you will undoubtedly hold forever in your hearts. Thank you for sharing this video....Chris and I will forever picture PopPop's legacy of love though the stories Ben shares and now this endearing video! God bless and keep you all through this journey! Chris and Kathy Mayer*

**Kathy** - January 23 at 07:58 PM

GP

“ Gene And Lynda Palmatary lit a candle in memory of Daniel R. Crawford Sr.



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - January 27 at 10:09 AM

SB

“ I remember when Danielle and I went shopping for Christmas. She would always look for funny jigsaw puzzles for her Dad- Daniel. They made him laugh on Christmas Day. I loved that both of Danielle’s parents would sometimes join Danielle’s family on vacation at the beach. Once we happened to be down near the beach they were staying at and met them at their beach, at Barefoot Landing and again at Sticky Fingers for dinner. I remember they were so happy to be with their daughter, husband and grandkids on vacation! You will be sorely missed, Daniel Crawford Sr.!

Sue Belmore - January 21 at 10:24 PM

TM

“ The MacLanes purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Daniel R. Crawford Sr..



The MacLanes - January 20 at 03:35 PM

CC

“ *Centreville Methodist Church lit a candle in memory of Daniel R. Crawford Sr.*



Centreville Methodist Church - January 20 at 10:26 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Daniel R. Crawford Sr..*



January 20 at 09:42 AM

PC

“ *Peg Chlada lit a candle in memory of Daniel R. Crawford Sr.*



Peg Chlada - January 19 at 11:21 PM

BB

“ *Barbara and Bob Burkhardt purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Daniel R. Crawford Sr..*



Barbara and Bob Burkhardt - January 19 at 04:36 PM