



Matthew A. Cowee

September 3, 1958 - September 19, 2025

Matthew Adam Cowee, 67, of Petersburg, Illinois, passed away on September 19, 2025, at his home. He was born on September 3, 1958, to Howard and Martha Ann (nèe Morton) Cowee in Huntington, New York.

Matthew served in the United States Marine Corp for 18 years retiring as a Staff Sargent. After the military, he worked for AT&T as an Area Manager for over 20 years.

Matthew is survived by his daughter, Katlyn; his sisters, Patricia Cestaro and Elizabeth Solomon; brothers, Timothy Cowee and David Cowee; and his caregiver and friend, Wesley Pratt.

Matthew was preceded in death by his parents.

A graveside service will be held at Camp Butler National Cemetery in Springfield, Illinois, on Thursday, October 2, 2025, at 11:00 am. Military honors will be performed by the Menard County Inter Veterans Ceremony Unit.

Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg, Illinois is assisting Matthew's family with final arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Camp Butler National Cemetery

5063 Camp Butler Road
Springfield, IL 62707
(217) 492-4070

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Prayers to the family for their loss. He was a good person.



Lori Martin - September 28, 2025 at 02:04 PM

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“ Larry and Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Matthew Cowee



Larry and Mary Hundt - September 23, 2025 at 09:07 AM

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“ So sorry to hear about Matt. He was a great friend to me when I had no one many years ago. I am so sorry for your loss. He was a great person.



Lisa Logsdon - September 22, 2025 at 11:37 AM

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Sorry for the family's loss. Matt was a wonderful person.

Lori Martin - September 28, 2025 at 04:46 PM