



## Stephen Scott Craawford

May 3, 1960 - December 23, 2023

Stephen Scott Crawford of West Roxbury, Massachusetts passed away surrounded by his family in Decatur, Georgia on December 23, 2023 at the age of 63 from complications related to pancreatic cancer. Stephen was preceded in death by his father, Ralph, and his brother, Andrew. He is survived by his wife, Diane, children Justin, Jonathan, and Kathlyn, mother Barbara, and siblings Kenneth and Diana.

Stephen was a loving husband, caring father, and committed colleague at work. He strived always to accomplish everything he did honorably, with a commitment to do everything “the right way,” and with his family always top of mind.

Stephen had a passion for sports: playing ice hockey, football, basketball, and baseball through high school and beyond. He also mentored and coached all of his children throughout their hockey careers and left behind countless unforgettable stories from the hockey rink. He loved to spend his free time fishing with his closest friends and family or entertaining any child or bird within earshot with his legendary bird calls.

Whether it was recounting outrageous tales of his many travels, making legends out of anyone he met, or rewriting the words to familiar tunes, Stephen had a passion and a gift for creating and telling hilarious stories and singing silly songs that endlessly entertained his family, friends, and colleagues.

Stephen and Diane, his wife of 41 years, grew up in West Roxbury,

Massachusetts, where they started their family before moving to Woodbridge, Virginia, where they spent over 20 years. They settled in Decatur, Georgia in 2011. His infectious personality led to having many close friends in all of the places he lived or visited throughout his life.

Stephen will be honored at Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Home in Scottdale, Georgia on Saturday, January 13, 2024 at 11:00AM and in West Roxbury, Massachusetts at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 5250 Washington Street West Roxbury Saturday February 17th at 11AM.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to [lustgarten.org](http://lustgarten.org) to further research for a cure to pancreatic cancer.