



## Robert Lee

May 28, 1943 - January 17, 2026

Robert Wayne Lee, 82, a lifelong resident of Old Town, Florida, passed away on January 17, 2026 in Port Charlotte, Florida with his family by his side. He was born May 28, 1943 to the late, Lonzie Lee and Ida Bell Brim Lee.

Robert Lee was a proud veteran of the United States Navy. He served on the USS Saratoga Battleship from 1960 to 1964.

He worked as a heavy equipment operator for General Development in Port Charlotte, Florida, followed by his service as a correction officer at Cross City Florida Prison, where he retired.

Robert was an avid outdoorsman with a passion for hunting and fishing. He also enjoyed all forms of racing and was a die-hard Florida Gator fan.

He is survived by his beloved daughter and son-in-law, Sherri Lee and Victor Pollina; and his granddaughter, Cassidy Ketchum of Port Charlotte, Florida; his nephew, Tony Barry; and many family members in Old Town, Florida.

He will be loved and missed forever by so many.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City Chapel, with locations in Cross City 352-498-5400 and

Chiefland 352-493-0050. Please sign the online guest book at  
[rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com](http://rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com)

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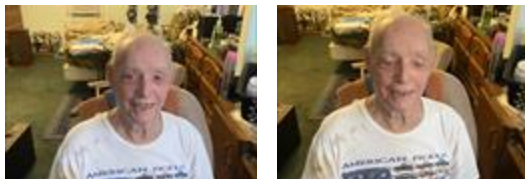
“ So sorry to see you go Mr. Lee, but I am sure I will see you on the other side! It was a pleasure being your nurse and getting to know you better. I loved hearing that you kept getting on the tractor even though advised not to. It shows your tenacious spirit! Sherri, it was great working with you, you took the best care of your dad considering he was miles away. May God heal your loss in time. Prayers to you and your family.

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**Annette Hall** - February 03 at 08:23 AM

AW

“ Mr.Lee  
It is was a honor to know you the during the last chapters of your life .  
I was able to get to know you and share stories with with you .I cooked Thanksgiving dinner ,and Christmas dinner for you what a wonderful time , all the rides to doctors and the Pepsi zeros and being able to see your smile when I walked into the room you light up like the sun , the only other person you did that for was your daughter. I can't wait to see you again at the gates of heaven . Till we meet again . Love Always  
Alise



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**Alise Weitzman** - January 31 at 10:45 AM

DH

“ I always enjoyed my visits with Mr. Lee, such a sweet man. I pray for comfort to the family in this time.

Douglas Hope - January 26 at 06:43 AM

SL

“ So many memories I don't know where to begin. My Loving Father is with the Lord in the Mansion in the Sky! I will see you again one day Daddy



Sherri A Lee - January 22 at 12:51 PM

IS

Sherri - Thank you for this beautiful picture. Your father was a strong, independent and kind soul. I glad our paths crossed. My deepest condolences - Ilse Salcedo

Ilse Salcedo - January 26 at 08:47 AM

SL

“ For my Daddy, Love an we Miss you dearly



Sherri A Lee - January 22 at 12:47 PM

AB

“ All my love to Mr.Lee's ,family. I will forever look after your daughter and granddaughter. Love, Andra Bogardus

Andra Bogardus - January 22 at 11:28 AM

RF

“ I worked with Mr. Lee at CRCCL, he was always a happy person to work with, and I knew Tony Berry also, Mr. Lee was my friend also. I know he will be missed, Ronnie Futch.

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**Ronnie Futch** - January 21 at 10:04 AM

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*Thank you, Daddy Loved his job an people he worked with*

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**Sherri A Lee** - January 22 at 12:53 PM