

## Shawn Coffman- HB 2507

I'm Shawn Coffman, Derek's stepdad. I've had the pleasure of knowing him, since he was a teenager. Derek was energetic, and an overall fun person to be around. He was so proud to serve this country as an airman, and bravely completed 3 deployments to the Middle East. Those deployments certainly took their toll on him, sadly, he didn't return home as the same person he was when he left. Derek's mom, and I always enjoyed our trips to Florida & California to visit Derek and his family. I feel that Derek was an American hero and is deserving to have this bridge dedicated in his name.