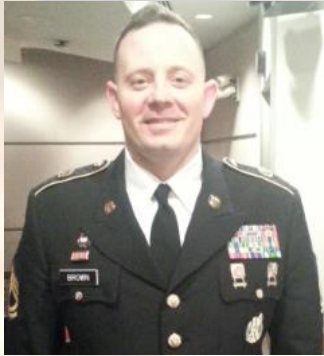


## Harold Francis Brown III



## Town of Tewksbury Memorial Day Ceremony

Monday, May 29<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 pm  
East Street Cemetery  
172 East Street

Sergeant First Class Harold F. Brown III enlisted in United States Air Force in 1993 and completed Security Forces/K9 Training at Lackland AFB in Texas. From there he was stationed at Keesler AFB in Mississippi until he separated in April 2008.

Air Force Deployments include:

- Dhahran Air Base Saudi Arabia - 1996
- United Arab Emirates - 1997
- Prince Sultan Air Base – 1997-1998
- Ali Al Salem – 1998, 2001-2002
- Kunsan Air Base – 2000-2001

In May 2008, Harold joined the Army Reserves and became a recruiter stationed with the Baton Rouge Recruiting Battalion in the New Orleans Recruiting Company. In June 2013 he was assigned to the Army New England Recruiting Battalion in Dover, NH and then moved on to the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard in Kittery Maine where he is retiring from as of June 1<sup>st</sup>.

While stationed with the Army New England Recruiting Battalion, he met his wife, a Tewksbury resident, and was married in October 2016. They reside in Tewksbury with their 3 children.

*"We cherish too, the Poppy red  
That grows on fields where valor led,  
It seems to signal to the skies  
That blood of heroes never dies."*

Master of Ceremonies.....Ms. Lisa Downey  
United States Air Force Veteran  
Veterans Service Officer

National Anthem .....Tewksbury Memorial High School Band  
Directed by Ms. Heather Ware

Pledge of Allegiance

Tewksbury Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Eagle Scouts

*\*Veterans will salute the Flag\**

*"I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United  
States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation  
under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."*

Opening Prayer..... Mr. Larry Sanford  
Vietnam Veteran  
Chaplain/Adjutant VFW Post 8164

Greetings from the town and introduction of our elected officials

Mr. Mark Kratman  
Chairman, Board of Selectmen

Board of Selectmen

Mr. David Gay, Vice Chair  
Mr. Jay Kelly, Clerk  
Mrs. Ann Marie Stronach  
Mr. Todd Johnson

State Senator  
Barbara L'Italien

State Representative  
James Miceli

Guest Speaker.....Mr. Harold Francis Brown III  
United States Air Force and Army Veteran

Lowering the Flag to half-staff

John Saraceni, Vietnam - Richard Withrow, Vietnam Era  
Joseph Candelino, Lebanon Crisis

Presentation of flowers to honor all our deceased service members

V.F.W., D.A.V., and American Legion will present the flowers  
and salute our comrades.

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| 1. Revolutionary War | 7. Persian Gulf War |
| 2. Civil War         | 8. Kosovo War       |
| 3. World War I       | 9. Afghanistan      |
| 4. World War II      | 10. Iraq            |
| 5. Korean War        | 11. Unknown         |
| 6. Vietnam War       | 12. MIA & KIA       |

Reading of John McCrea's Poem "In Flanders Field"

Miss Alivia Pelka

Honor Guard 21 Gun Salute.....V.F.W. Post 8164

Taps and Echo.....Tewksbury Memorial High School Band  
Directed by Ms. Heather Ware

Governor Baker's Proclamation.....Ryan Fraser  
John W. Wynn Middle School

Closing Song (God Bless America).....Mrs. Arlene Wright  
and the Tewksbury Swinging Seniors