



TRIBUTE

IN HONOR OF AND IN MEMORIAL
TO K9 TROOPER DRAKE,
FLORIDA HIGHWAY PATROL

'AMERICAN HERO'

Faithful Friend and K9 Partner to:
TROOPER ROBERT IVEY AND TROOPER BOBBY BOODY (IN HIS RETIREMENT)

'TWO BONDS NEVER BROKEN'

End of Watch 11/23/12

SPECIALTY: K9 PATROL, FLORIDA TURNPIKE, ST. LUCIE COUNTY; TRAINING:
480 HOURS AT FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT K9
PATROL SCHOOL, TALLAHASSEE; CONDUCTED NUMEROUS DEMONSTRATIONS
AT ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, ACTIVE SERVICE DECEMBER 2009 TO MAY 2010.

WOUNDED FROM FOUR SHOTS OF HOSTILE GUN FIRE IN AN ACT OF BRAVERY
DEFENDING HIS AND TROOPER BOODY'S TARGETED HOME BY THREE PERPETRATORS.
HIS VALIANT FIVE DAY FIGHT FOR HIS LIFE ENDED ONLY AFTER HE CREATED
MUCH INTERNATIONAL AWARENESS OF THE SERVICE
OF ALL HERO LAW ENFORCEMENT WORKING DOGS.

SPECIAL APPRECIATION TO DR. KEN SIMMONS, DVM - SIMMONS VETERINARY
CLINIC, GREEN ACRES, FL WHO DID EVERYTHING POSSIBLE IN VETERINARY MEDICINE
TO SAVE HIM AND THEN MORE INCLUDING FLYING HIM PERSONALLY
TO U.F. VETERINARY HOSPITAL; AND TO THE DOCTORS AT U.F;
AND TO CHANNEL 12, CBS FOR ITS CONTINUING NEWS COVERAGE
AND FOR RECOGNIZING THE VALUE IN HIS LIFE, HIS SERVICE AND STORY.

*"NOW HE RESTS AND PLAYS, BOTH IN PEACE,
ONE EAR EACH AWAITING ONCE AGAIN TO HEAR TWO
'GOOD BOYS' FROM HIS TWO TROOPER PARTNERS"*

Thank you for keeping us safe and secure so that we may live in freedom

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"Faithfully, we lead the way"

*"The only weapon a cop has that can be taken away from him/her
but can never be used against him is his K9 dog"*