# HUMMINGBIRD HOSPICE Meet The Owners



#### WE ARE VETERAN AND CLINICIAN OWNED



### Lilieth Stearns

Lilieth Stearns is a Founder and Owner of Hummingbird Hospice. Her passion for patient care is a driving force that encompasses the organization and pushes for excellence. Lilieth shares her extensive knowledge and skills among staff; educating the administrative and clinical teams and advocating for patient care above and beyond typical expectations and guidelines.

Lilieth is a Texas native, born and raised in San Antonio, and is honored to contribute her services to her hometown. Lilieth earned her Bachelors of Science in Nursing, specializing in Adult-Geriatric Critical Care. With an extensive clinical background in hospice and palliative care, Lilieth practiced in various roles in the hospice industry before deciding to form Hummingbird Hospice in 2019 to better serve her community and help to bridge the gap in accessible healthcare. Lilieth attended The University of The Incarnate Word majoring in Biology. She graduated from Galen College of Nursing and plans to attend a masters program to become an Acute Care Nurse Practitioner.



## Roy Lackey

Roy Lackey is an Owner of Hummingbird Hospice, joining the team in 2021. Upon discovery of the Hummingbird Hospice vision and potential future, he believed this was his intended path, and dove in without hesitation. Roy is a natural born leader, mentor, and educator. He values honesty and trust and incorporates those morals in each and every staff member.

Roy is a 21-year Marine Corps veteran from Charleston, SC. During his military service he served as an engineer, foreign military advisor, and civil affairs specialist. While deployed as a civil affairs specialist, he worked with non-governmental and inter-governmental organizations to provide humanitarian aid to those in need. It was during this work that his passion for patient centered health care began.

Roy is a graduate of Hawaii Pacific University and the University of Nebraska Medical Center. His degrees include Associate of Health Sciences, Bachelor of Science, and Master of Physician Assistant Studies. He is a licensed Physician Assistant currently working in Emergency Medicine.

#### Sasha Montemayor

Sasha Montemayor is a founder and co-owner of Hummingbird Hospice. Sasha possesses a vision and desire to offer a safe haven for medical staff, where they can work with compassionate and supportive team members who truly focus on patient needs. She saw the disparities within the healthcare community and felt the calling to create a change. Sasha continues to spread her mission to the staff of Hummingbird Hospice with continual training.

Sasha is an Army veteran, mother to four wonderful girls, and a proud San Antonio native--she has many hats and titles not only at Hummingbird, but in her own home. Her respectful, reassuring, and knowledgeable approach to families and patients in vulnerable situations is a staple in our care practice to this day.

Sasha studied at Galen College of Nursing, and has been a nurse since 2017. Sasha has seen it all in nursing--from long term care, memory care, hospice case management, telemetry, post surgical, and medical surgical! Starting as an LVN, she has also been an ADN, and has earned her BSN accreditation. Sasha is currently enrolled in the nurse practitioner program with the focus in psychiatric and gerontology primary care.

