



## Jason Colenda Harris

September 3, 1977 - November 19, 2025

Jason Colenda Harris, 48, of Danville, passed away on Wednesday, November 19, 2025 at his residence surrounded by his family.

Born on September 3, 1977, in Danville, he was a son of William Robert “Bobby” Harris, II and Treva Hope Colenda (Leon), all who survive.

On September 3, 2004 (Jason’s birthday), he married the love of his life, Karmen Leigh Teague Harris, who survives of the home. Jason worked as a local tattoo artist and in historic home restorations. As a child and youth, he attended West Main Baptist Church.

Jason had a profound talent of precision and detail that set him apart as an artist and craftsman. He had a passion and skillset for working with his hands to build and create which was exhibited throughout his work. Aside from his many artistic talents, he enjoyed cooking, building legos with his children, was an avid seashell collector, putt-putt enthusiast, and was a life-long lover of skateboarding. His happy place was at the coast.

In addition to his parents and his wife, Karmen, Jason is survived by his three beautiful children he was so proud of, Meredith Hailey, Natalie Lauryn, and William Preston Harris; a brother, Patrick Harris; a sister, Jillian Harris (Nick); his father and mother-in-law, Harry and Anna Teague; sisters-in-law, Christi

Esparza (David), Karen Hardy (James), Corrie Bobe (Iulian); aunts and uncles, Richard Harris, Carolyn Garrett (Joe), Andrea Short (Dwight), Lavinia Buchberger, Sandy Mitchell, Don Vipperman and Dee Colenda; his nieces Harleigh Esparza and Kendyl Neal; nephews Nicholas and Ryan Bobe; honorary daughters Sadie Gunn and Stephanie Villalobos; and numerous wonderful cousins.

Jason was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Richard and Mildred Harris; maternal grandfather, Chauncey Colenda uncle, Chauncey Colenda, Jr. and his aunt, Linda Vipperman.

The family will receive friends on Friday, November 21, 2025 from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home, Westover Chapel.

A private graveside service will be held at a later date.

The Harris Family would like to extend their deepest gratitude to Mrs. Susie Powell for taking such great care of Jason, Prince Charles Home Healthcare Agency, Mountain Valley Hospice for their wonderful care and support.

Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home, Westover Chapel, is respectfully serving the Harris family.

# Cemetery Details

## Chatham Burial Park

111 Whitehead Street  
Chatham, VA 24531

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

NOV 21. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel  
5858 Riverside Drive  
Danville, VA 24541  
(434) 793-5511  
[info@wrenn-yeatts.com](mailto:info@wrenn-yeatts.com)  
<https://www.wrenn-yeatts.com>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jason Colenda Harris*



---

**Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes** - November 21, 2025 at 03:39 PM

SH

*Precious memories of yours too hold on to. Sending prayers and love*  
💕

---

**Sis Hyler** - November 22, 2025 at 11:18 AM

RA

“ *Was a client of his for a long time. He was so kind and relaxed, smart and genuine...and such a talented artist. He just made getting a tattoo such a wonderful experience. I'm so glad I get to wear his art, but I hate that I won't be able to add more pieces. What a loss for his clients, his family, and the world.*

---

**Rachel** - May 07 at 02:07 PM

JP

“ *Jason and I went to high school together. We would often hang out at his house and draw. I remember him making his first homemade tattoo gun. He was one of my best friends, such a gentleman, and I will forever hold on to our memories.*

---

**jennifer perkins** - April 25 at 06:42 PM

KE

“ I was a client of Jason's for a long time. Every time i was in his chair i just had so much fun; he talked about his family and was so proud. I have been thinking about your family since i heard the news, and cannot express how sorry I am to hear about his passing. I wish all of you the very best and hope you find as much peace and comfort together as you can at this time

Kirstie Ew - December 20, 2025 at 07:00 PM

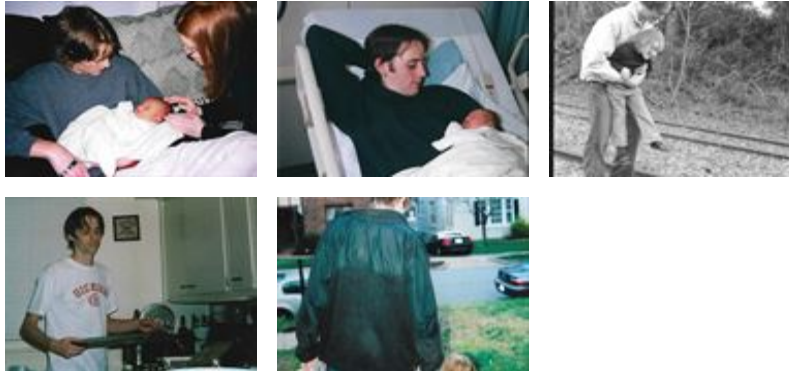
ML

“ Mark L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jason Colenda Harris.

Mark L. - November 22, 2025 at 10:19 AM



“ 184 files added to the album LifeTributes



Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes - November 21, 2025 at 03:26 PM

EH

“ Eddie and Megan James, Hank and Harper planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jason Colenda Harris.

Eddie and Megan James, Hank and Harper - November 21, 2025 at 02:16 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jason Colenda Harris.*



November 21, 2025 at 02:16 PM



“ *From Iulian and Corrie Bobe planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jason Colenda Harris.*

**From Iulian and Corrie Bobe** - November 21, 2025 at 01:45 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Jason Colenda Harris.*



November 21, 2025 at 01:45 PM



“ *Don Vipperman, VIP and Carrie Vipperman, John and Kathryn Buff & Chase, Ellie, Titus, Jonah, Moriah, Sarah purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Jason Colenda Harris.*



**Don Vipperman, VIP and Carrie Vipperman, John and Kathryn Buff & Chase, Ellie, Titus, Jonah, Moriah, Sarah** - November 21, 2025 at 12:06 PM

AM

“ Aunt Pat & Uncle Mikey purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Jason Colenda Harris.



Aunt Pat & Uncle Mikey - November 21, 2025 at 10:55 AM

SC

“ Simerly Creek Believers Fellow Church purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jason Colenda Harris.



Simerly Creek Believers Fellow Church - November 21, 2025 at 10:29 AM

WF

“ With Love From The Tucker Family purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Jason Colenda Harris.



With Love From The Tucker Family - November 20, 2025 at 11:08 PM

RF

“ Roy Giles & Family lit a candle in memory of Jason Colenda Harris



Roy Giles & family - November 20, 2025 at 10:07 PM

LH

“ Love & prayers, Casey + Ben Harrelson purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Jason Colenda Harris.



---

**Love & prayers, Casey + Ben Harrelson** - November 20, 2025 at 09:51 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jason Colenda Harris.



---

November 20, 2025 at 08:58 PM

KB

“ You will be missed my friend. Each of us have a little piece of your talent to carry with us always. Sending lots of love, strength, and comfort to Karmen. Meredith, Will, Natalie, and family. Jason, may you rest in peace, see you soon

---

**Kelly Barber** - November 20, 2025 at 08:41 PM

KR

“ Katie R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jason Colenda Harris.

---

**Katie R.** - November 20, 2025 at 10:46 AM