



John David Harris

September 16, 1946 - July 30, 2021

John David Harris (JD), 74, was called home by our Heavenly Father on July 30, 2021. He leaves behind a legacy of service to the community and dedication to his family that will be greatly missed.

JD was born on September 16, 1946 in Dallas, Texas and grew up in Houston with his parents, Jane and Leon, and his five siblings. He attended Lee High School, proudly served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War and later attended the University of Houston before growing his family and starting a successful business.

JD had a quick wit and sense of humor that always left those he met with a smile. His ability to connect with people has never been more evident than through the expressions of condolence and sharing of memories in the days since his passing. He will be forever missed and remembered for the joy he brought to those around him.

JD was preceded in death by his parents Leon and Jane Harris, brother Jefferson Paul Harris, and brother in law Jeffrey L. Riley. He is survived by his wife Wendy Harris, children Robert Harris (wife Kristina) of The Woodlands, TX, Stephanie Harris of Montgomery, TX, and Paul Harris (wife Adrienne) of Littleton, CO, nephew Shane Holman (Rhonda) of Spring, TX; grandchildren, John David Harris, Corbin Harris, Abigail Harris, Jonah Harris, Colin Holman and Ryan Holman; siblings, Karl Harris of Greenville, TX, Rebecca J. Wright (John David) of Greenville, TX, Suzanne Riley of Springfield, VA, and Daniel L. Harris (Betsy) of El Campo, TX. He was also blessed with nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews and extended family too numerous to name.

The family was fortunate to have a man like JD. He was a loving husband, father, and grandfather and man of faith. All those who knew him will miss him dearly. He loved his wife, Wendy, with all his heart and his grandchildren were the apple of his eye.

Previous Events

Service

AUG 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Montgomery
20423 Eva St.
Montgomery, TX 77356

Tribute Wall



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of John David Harris.*



August 06, 2021 at 04:29 PM

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“ *Sylvia Withrow lit a candle in memory of John David Harris*



Sylvia Withrow - August 06, 2021 at 02:08 PM

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“ *JD was so awesome, truly a man of God, of honor, and a friend to all who knew him. We will always remember his smile, his humor, his love for golf, his love for Wendy, his love for his country, and most of all, his love for God.*

Well done, good and faithful servant...enter into the joy of your Master ~Matthew 25-23

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

~Sylvia & Jerry Withrow~

Sylvia Withrow - August 06, 2021 at 02:08 PM

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Oh Sylvia, thank you for the sweet words for my Love (Jd). I know he considered you and Jerry good friends. I loved how much he enjoyed spending time, discussing politics abs life with the 2 of you. I love the 2 of you 🤔🌟🌟🌟🤔

Wendy Nelson Harris - February 02 at 10:09 PM



“ Although we disagreed about nearly everything, I considered J.D. to be my lifelong friend. I respected him for his ability to stick to his guns when disagreeing, but he was seldom disagreeable. He and Wendy raised a beautiful family, more proof of his great and warm heart.

David Cazalet - August 06, 2021 at 01:37 PM

WH

David, I know Jd thought a lot of you and enjoyed discussing politics with you. I know personally he was a strong man with strong beliefs. I'm saying this with love, he enjoyed discussing why he disagreed with and you (everyone). Lol. He didn't back down. He would state the facts, and dates happily to all. David, I want you to know my Jd always called you his friend to the end. Thank you for sharing. God Bless 🙏 ✨ ❤️

Wendy Nelson Harris - February 02 at 10:05 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John David Harris.



August 03, 2021 at 07:28 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John David Harris.



August 03, 2021 at 07:03 PM



“ Continued prayers for the family. Its plain to see through photos, he was a wonderful grandfather. What a big loss for everyone 🙏 ☐ 🙏

Cherokee - August 03, 2021 at 06:01 PM