



John L. "Jackie" Harrison

September 9, 1949 - January 31, 2026

John L. Harrison, age 76, of New Castle passed away on January 31, 2026 in Wilmington Hospital. He was a truck driver at Grubb Lumber for 20 years until his accident. Jackie, Cadillac Jack, or Outback as he was known to everyone was an amazing husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather, brother, uncle and friend. He enjoyed making Sunday morning breakfast and spending time with his family. Jackie enjoyed watching wrestling, cheering on the Rams, going crabbing and relaxing with a Natural Ice. He will be loved and missed by all who knew him until we are reunited one day.

Jackie is survived by his wife of 48 years, Martha "Marty" Jones; daughters: Andrea N. Harrison, Shelly R. Grzybowski, Jaclyn L. Harrison and Tracy L. Wilson; siblings: William "Billy" (Norma), James "Bull", Harriet "Pepper" Tranthum, Francis "Ducky" (Dorothy), Mary Scherer, Woodrow "Ricky", Joseph "Joe Boy", Betty Jo Shoemaker (Larry), Gerald "Jerry" (Linda), and Anthony "Tony" (Barbara); 19 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren,; as well as many nieces, nephews, and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Bertha L. & William F. Harrison; sons, John L. Harrison and Thomas V. Harrison; daughter, Kimberly D. Harrison; and siblings: Andrew "Porky" Harrison, Joan Weist, and Patricia Robinett.

Burial will be private at a later date. To send an online condolence please visit www.stranofeeley.com.

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Family Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ Rest In Paradise Poppop I Know Your Up There Watching Down On Us Catching Up With Uncle John, Uncle Tommy, Uncle Aaron And Aunt Kimi I Know Your In A Better Place God Gave One Of His Strongest Fighters There Wings Rest Easy Poppop You'll Be Missed And Never Forgot 🙏🕊️

Woody Harrison - February 11 at 11:09 AM

CS

To the Harrison family, my deepest condolences 🙏 Jack was a good man, loved by everyone who knew him. He was kind and caring, always there when someone needed him, always a smile on his face. I loved him dearly and wish I could have spent time with him in those last few years but living so far away it wasn't easy to do that although I wish I would have. The world has lost a good man and heaven gained one 😭 there are so many things I could say and a lifetime full of memories, and I mean that literally as I was just a teenager when he came into my life and became my brother-in-law, who was always there when I needed him. It is still so hard to believe he is no longer with us physically, but he will always be with us in our hearts and I know I am speaking for not only myself, but my sister, Debbie, and my parents who loved him like their own. He has left us with so many good times so many good memories rest in peace Jack we love you. ❤️

Cindy Spinelli - February 13 at 09:55 PM

TG

“ Tootie Grybowski lit a candle in memory of John Harrison



Tootie Grybowski - February 11 at 12:02 AM

MW

“ Sorry for your loss the whole Harrison family RIP jack. From Mike Lisa and mj Wilson

Michael Wilson - February 10 at 11:31 PM

RG

“ Oh Jackie what can I say 🙏💔.
My heart is so broken, I truly will miss you. We have know each other forever. Bowling, family get together, I was there watching all those kids growing up. We have been thru alot, I'll miss you. I always asked Mart how's my man doing. When the girls came to Rite Aid I would ask how you were.
Mart, Ang, Shel, Jaclyn, Tracy you are all in my Prayers so very sorry for your l9ss.

Roni Griffith - February 10 at 10:08 PM

FD

“ My deepest sympathy and condolences.
Sending prayers to everyone



Franny Dennis - February 10 at 07:56 PM

HB

“ Harry Broomall lit a candle in memory of John Harrison



Harry Broomall - February 10 at 06:00 PM

HB

“ I’ve been lucky enough to say that I’ve known Pops since I was 8 years old. I loved hanging out with him. Peeling copper wire. Playing softball 🏆. Just being around him was a blast. He was always happy and laughing. He would always bust my balls. I’d go to hangout with John and end up chilling with Out Back. I will miss you daily Pops. You always made me feel like family!

Harry Broomall - February 10 at 05:59 PM

HB

“ I’ve known Pops since I was 8 years old. I have countless memories from hanging out with him. Carrying on. Playing softball. Peeling copper and drinking. Giving me and John a hard time. Busting each other’s balls. I loved it when he was living close to me! I’d stop by every chance I got. The Harrison’s and the Broomall’s are family!! I love him and would do anything for him and his family. I had a lot of fun with Out Back. I’d come to hangout with John and I’d end up hanging out with Pops. He was a joy to be around!! Always laughing and smiling. I love you Pop!



Harry Broomall - February 10 at 05:28 PM

TM

“ I’m gonna miss u I spent most my childhood living in ur home u were like a dad to me and for that im grateful ! God took a great man to soon ! I love u and I’ll see u again one day

Tina Maichle - February 10 at 05:15 PM

MM

“ My heartfelt Condolences to Jacks Family and Friends. He will always be remembered for his outgoing personality. RIP Jack 🙏

Maureen Murphy - February 10 at 03:56 PM

SE

Sorry for your loss Frank

Sarah Esteva - February 10 at 05:08 PM



“ Dang man - such a great guy!!! Prayers up and condolences to my 2nd family “The Harrisons” love yall man 🙏

Tommy Palmer - February 10 at 03:44 PM

MB

“ U will be missed sorry god took u to early



Merideth brownlow - February 10 at 03:32 PM

DR

“ Darrell Robinett lit a candle in memory of John Harrison



Darrell Robinett - February 10 at 03:30 PM

WR

“ William Robinett lit a candle in memory of John Harrison



William Robinett - February 10 at 03:07 PM

DP

“ *Dawn Palmer lit a candle in memory of John Harrison*



Dawn Palmer - February 10 at 02:56 PM

BS

“ *Bettyjo Shoemaker lit a candle in memory of John Harrison*



Bettyjo Shoemaker - February 10 at 02:54 PM