



James "Hartso" Harte

August 29, 1955 - May 2, 2022

Mr. James "Hartso" Harte, 66, of Stockbridge, passed away at his home on Monday, May 2, 2022, surrounded by his loving family after a brief yet courageous battle with cancer. Born on August 29, 1955, the son of the late James and Marilyn LeBlanc Harte, he graduated from Lee High School.

Jimmy was a craftsman by heart and worked installing drywall as well as painting for J. Harte Drywall. It was there he dedicated many years until his illness.

Among many things, Jimmy had a real knack for music. He was a sound engineer, spending many summers working at the Guthrie Center. He also loved keeping the beat behind the drums. Hartso always wanted to learn how to fly planes and was extremely interested in flight simulation. Additionally, Jimmy loved trains as well as boating.

Jimmy is survived by his fiancé of 9 years, Elizabeth "Beth" Doner, as well as his son, James P. Harte (Lisa). He leaves behind his siblings, Kimberlee Anne Baccoli (Fran), and Jeffrey Leonard Harte (Wendy), as well as his nieces, Chantal Baccoli and Nicole Baccoli, his nephew, Nathaniel Riley, and his grandnephew, Jayce Foster-Baccoli. Besides his parents, Jimmy was predeceased by many aunts, uncles, cousins, and loved ones too numerous to list.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Mr. James "Hartso" Harte will be Friday, May 20, 2022 at 1 pm at the Unity Terrace at the Dwyer-Wellington Funeral Home, 220 East Street, Pittsfield MA 01201. In lieu of flowers, donations in Jimmy's memory can be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or to the Shriners Hospital for Children in care of the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Service

MAY 20. 1:00 PM (ET)

Dwyer -Wellington Family Funeral Home - Pittsfield

220 East St.

Pittsfield, MA 01201

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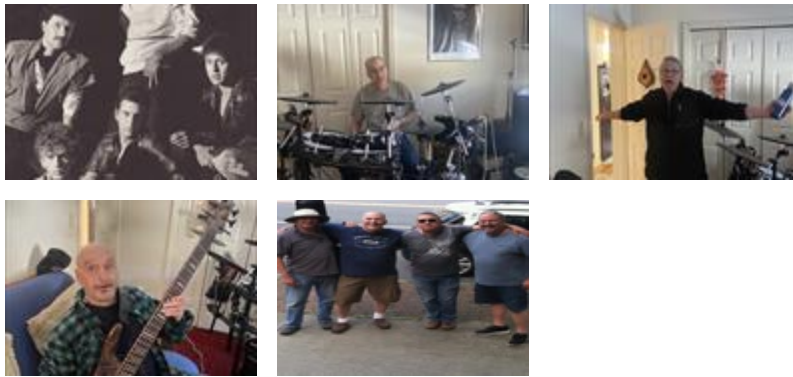
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<https://www.dwyerfuneral.com/>

Tribute Wall

PZ

“ Miss you Hartso every day. We were really putting together an incredible band in 2021 and we all knew it. You’ve always been our friend and mine since I was 14 and my partner in rock and roll music playing. Thanks for always being there and for your incredible talent and friendship. I don’t have a picture of me when we were recording the Drama Kings cuz I took all the pictures. So I just included another one so we could all be photographed together in this amazing band. I wish they could’ve heard what we all did. But I promise we’ll take it forward and make ya proud brother!!!



paul Zarvis - May 20, 2022 at 10:40 PM

PE

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Pete Evangelista - May 20, 2022 at 02:09 PM

PE

“ Sorry I missed this service. Jimmy was a fun and patioate guy. I am proud that he considered me a friend. His humor and talent will be sorely missed. God bless you Beth, RIP Jimmy. (Sincerely, "Pit")



Pete Evangelista - May 20, 2022 at 02:05 PM

CS

“ Loved my vacations with Jim and the family. Will miss our lunches in Lee. Love you all. Colleen Dermody Sample

Colleen Dermody Sample - May 20, 2022 at 10:06 AM

JA

“ Julie, Rod, Julie, Charlie and Kaye Agar purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of James "Hartso" Harte.



Julie, Rod, Julie, Charlie and Kaye Agar - May 18, 2022 at 04:15 PM



“ 36 files added to the album LifeTributes



Dwyer Funeral Home Inc. - May 17, 2022 at 03:09 PM

PE

I will be planting a tree in Jimmy's honor

Pete Evangelista - May 20, 2022 at 02:10 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James "Hartso" Harte.



May 17, 2022 at 01:42 PM

JB

“ My condolences to the family. May the fond and loving memories be a comfort and always be with you.

John A. Bernardo - May 14, 2022 at 11:26 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of James "Hartso" Harte.



May 12, 2022 at 06:35 PM



“ ~~~~~My condolences to Beth and all of Jimmy's loved ones.

There are so many great memories I have of you, especially when you would come to the house to visit " Harla " 🐷 not the humans ,but the pig!

Your friendship has always meant so much to me, thank you for being a friend. I'll miss bumping into you and catching up with everything. My heart broke when I heard of your illness and broke even more that you have journey'd onward.

My prayers are for you to rest in eternal peace, and that your spirit is free to fly...fly high happy, nd always drum on. 🕊



Teri Moro - May 11, 2022 at 01:47 PM



“ To the family of Jim

I went to school with Jim at Lee Hight School, he was a wonderful person to all of us. He loved to play the drums, such talent. I will never forget when he played Wipeout on the drums that day, took your breath away. You will be missed by me and many of our classmates. God is with you Jim.

Lisa (Mountain) Tenney

Lisa (Mountain) Tenney - May 09, 2022 at 12:44 PM

BW

“ Growing up in Lee in the summer we had block dances at the park. Vices and Habits were the favorite choice of everyone I knew. Jimmy meant so much to a lot of people. He was a good man and will be missed by all who knew and loved him God speed Jimmy. You've gained your wings.

Bernadette Williams - May 07, 2022 at 03:37 PM