



## Jerry Ray Harris

June 18, 1946 - March 25, 2024

Jerry Harris passed away peacefully on March 25th, 2024 at Fowler Health Care. He was born June 18th, 1946 in Rocky Ford, Colorado. Jerry was the 4th of eight ornery boys born to Charles and Mattie (Heckart) Harris. Jerry met his future wife, Sherry Torri, at a dance at White Rock School in November 1970. She was the friend of his blind date. It was love at first sight and they married 9 months later. The couple had three daughters together, Tori, Jeri and Lisa. His daughters were the apples of his eyes until his first grandchild arrived. Jerry was 'Papa' to 8 grandchildren, Jared, Teegan, Spencer, Teanna, Alyssa, Andrea, Isabella and Tessa. Jerry worked at Valco for many years before becoming a ditch rider for the Oxford ditch while also raising pigs, cows, goats and pheasants. Jerry and Sherry enjoyed spending time in South Fork, Colorado. Many summers were spent working on their property, fishing, 4 wheeling and telling ghost stories to the grandkids. Jerry will be remembered for his quick wit, ornery smile, slow driving and love of diet Mt Dew. Jerry was preceded in death by his wife, Sherry; parents, Charlie and Mattie Harris; in laws, Al and Clara Torri; brothers, Joe Harris and Gary Harris; and sister in law, Colette Harris. Surviving Jerry are daughters, and families, Tori Harris, Teegan Teanna, Alyssa and Andrea, Jeri and Nick Hagerman, Bella and Tessa and Lisa and Jon Butler, Jared and Spencer; brothers, Chuck and Chick Harris, Marvin and Betty Harris, Byron and Mary Harris, Matt Harris and Randy and Tammie Harris; brothers in law, Mike and Ann Torri and Skip and Dona Torri; and sister in law, Mary Harris. He is also survived by

numerous nieces and nephews. A reception will be held in his honor at Cottonwood Links Golf Course in Fowler on April 4th, 2024 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Online condolences can be made at [roselawnpuelo.org](http://roselawnpuelo.org)

# Previous Events

## Reception

APR 4. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (MT)

Cottonwood Links Golf Course

1 Cottonwood Ln

Fowler, CO 81039-1063

(719) 263-4500

# Tribute Wall

JB

“ I send heartfelt condolences to the Harris and Torri families upon hearing of Jerry's passing. I will cherish my memories of Jerry and my cousin Sherry always. Sending love and prayers to all.

*Julie Asti Ball*

Julie Ball - April 06, 2024 at 01:36 PM

BF

“ Beth Harris & Family purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Jerry Ray Harris.



Beth Harris & Family - April 04, 2024 at 10:20 AM

BD

“ To the Harris Family. We are saddened by the passing of Jerry! Our prayers and love to and for you all! The obituary is so right about his onery-ness BUT he always left you laughing and smiling. Love you girls! Vernon and Betsy Dillon

Betsy Dillon - April 03, 2024 at 01:10 PM

JU

“ So sorry to hear of Jerry passing, my condolences to everyone!

*Jim Ulsh*

Jim Ulsh - April 02, 2024 at 10:16 PM

TB

“ Teresa B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jerry Ray Harris.

Teresa B. - April 02, 2024 at 04:31 PM

TB

“ Teresa B. purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Jerry Ray Harris.



Teresa B. - April 02, 2024 at 04:31 PM

SK

“ My prayers to all the family. I am so sorry to hear this. Donnie and Sandy

Sandra KoehlerTillotson - March 30, 2024 at 12:00 PM