



John Joseph Davis

April 15, 1962 - June 21, 2025

John Joseph Davis (63) passed away on Saturday, June 21, 2025, in Annandale, VA.

John was born on April 15, 1962, in Washington, DC, to Harry Sanford Davis and Diana (Guarino) Davis. He grew up in Hillcrest Heights, MD, surrounded by a large family and many friends.

A talented athlete with a particular love for baseball, John brought enthusiasm and joy to all his endeavors. He retired from his position as a cameraman at the US House of Representatives. He will be fondly remembered for his charismatic personality, larger-than-life presence, and warm, kind spirit. John's absence will be deeply felt by everyone who knew him.

John is survived by his siblings Mary 'Theresa' Davis, Michael Davis, Anne Dillon (Jim), Maggie Mozier (Richard) and Jeanette Davis; nieces and nephews, Jody Szadvari, Jimmy Dillon (Hiral), Josh Mozier (Kayla), Katie Buckler (David), Kelli Ryon (Nate), Jennifer Dillon, Kristen Jones (Ali), Melissa Davis (Ben), Michael Mozier (Holly), and his lifelong friend Joe Neary.

John is preceded in death by his parents, Harry and Diana Davis, and his brothers, Anthony Davis, Joseph Davis and Patrick Davis.

Family and friends are invited to celebrate John's life on Wednesday, July 9, 2025, from 10AM-11AM at St. Joseph's Church (4590 St Joseph's Way, Pomfret, MD 20675). Mass of Christian burial will be offered on Wednesday, July 9, 2025, at 11 AM at St. Joseph's Church. Interment St. Joseph's Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, contribution may be made to St. Joseph's Church or a charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
4590 St Josephs Way
Pomfret, MD 20675-3207
(301) 539-3903

Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

PK

“ *Condolences on behalf of the King family! So sorry for your loss! We were neighbors & John's mother Mrs. Davis welcomed my family to Oxon Run Court & every Christmas bought gifts for our family!*

Prayers of comfort going up for the family!

Pat King

Patricia King - September 12, 2025 at 02:17 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Holy Family*



Jill Donofrio - July 10, 2025 at 10:39 PM

NJ

“ Sending love, thoughts and prayers to John's family during this difficult time.

John was quick with a smile, joke and always kind words. He had a heart of gold. I have fond memories of his Holy Family classroom antics, he even made the nuns laugh.

Heaven has a new angel. 😇

Blessings,

Noël Jackson

Noël Jackson - July 10, 2025 at 09:13 PM

CM

He really did have the sweetest heart and the most infectious smile. We are fortunate to have had him in our lives and to have such unique and rewarding memories of and with him.

Carla Seleme, MD - July 15, 2025 at 03:38 PM

AM

“ As I read the beautiful messages about John, my heart smiles. There's something about our Holy Family bond that's truly shaped many of us that knew him.

I was in the class with Patrick so naturally John became my "little" brother.

So many beautiful memories of their commitment to one another ... and the smiles that they would bring when they entered the room ... and now once again they shall be together.

Truly John will be missed & may we continue to share his love for others ... I believe that's what he'd wanted.

Sending many prayers for strength during this time for his family. 🙏



Angela McBride - July 08, 2025 at 10:06 AM

CM

What a lovely tribute.

Carla Seleme, MD - July 15, 2025 at 03:35 PM

JD

“ 7 files added to the album John & Pat Golfing



Jill Donofrio - July 07, 2025 at 07:04 PM

JD

“ 4 files added to the album Misc.



Jill Donofrio - July 07, 2025 at 06:44 PM

JD

“ I would like to express my deepest sympathies to John's family. I pray that God will give you peace as you hold the wonderful memories you have in your hearts to carry each other through.

Words cannot express the deep sorrow in my heart when I heard this news. It hurts in the middle which is the soul.

All the memories came rushing forward back to the grade school days where I first knew John. The Holy Family Years that molded us and kept us so knit together to this day. I know all our hearts hurt with this news.

We all could go on for pages writing the stories over the years, but I think 2 stand out – a few are just to be kept tucked in my heart!

1. Tucker Road Ice skating rink. I was meeting John (I was not allowed to ever go out so Noel's Dad dropped us off!) and when I got there, an ambulance was pulling out & John was in it! He fell & sprained his ankle, so we didn't get to meet to skate 😞

2. The 8th grade Philly Field trip. We were not supposed to go to Vine Street. We went with all to the Zoo but a few of us including you know who, took a cab to Vine Street.

We also ran up the library stairs Rocky did in the 1st movie!

I wanted to share a few photos of memories I have tucked in my treasure chest that capture John's bigger than life personality. It pales in comparison to his heart that was the purest & kindest I've ever known.

John's life that I knew as an adult, was dedicated to his family & Jesus. John would always say “Jesus, Mary & Joseph” in leu of cursing... I got hooked on that too and still to this day say this... so I think of him every time - a lot!

I know we will see you when the trumpet sounds, so until then, I'll see you when I see you.

I thought these pictures would only show the "Photo's & Video" page but here they are... :)

Jill

Jill Donofrio - July 07, 2025 at 06:36 PM

JD

“ 3 files added to the album Holy Family



Jill Donofrio - July 07, 2025 at 04:58 PM

PM

“ John had a terrific sense of humor. I remember him working a shift at CNN where he hadn't gotten any relief for doing QC. He quipped, "even prisoners get to walk around the yard." In 1999, in our first game of a championship playoff run, our coach, Jim, was recounting people who had played well in our victory. Jim neglected to mention John, and John deadpanned, "I'm not sure I could do better than going 5 for 5..."

He was a Baltimore Colts fan who remained a fan of the team (not the city) and became an Indianapolis Colt fan. A one-of-a-kind guy that seemed to belong to a different era. Rest In Peace

Paul Miller - July 06, 2025 at 05:48 PM



What an incredible loss for this world. He was so kind and so funny and so sweet and so much fun. Miss you, JJMD!

Westen Madeline - July 06, 2025 at 11:38 PM

SS

“ My memories of John go back to 10 years old. We chased each other around the playground and even “got married” in 5th grade. John and Pat were a pair. Oh so handsome and funny and always the life of the party. Oh and the parties in the basement. John was friends with everyone and was Always ready with a quip. Whenever I’m down I think of those days and John is front of mind for me. The world is a little bit dimmer without John Davis

sandy Schaller Sherman - July 06, 2025 at 12:11 PM

CC

“ My deepest sympathies to John's entire family and friends. I have so many great memories with him. Like playing basketball on the Holy Family Basketball Team to playing pool in his basement as the music played. John would sing along in his charismatic style. RIP Brother John
And when the broken hearted people living in the world agree
There will be an answer, let it be
For though they may be parted, there is still a chance that they will see...
Peace and love, Chris Casazza

Chris Casazza - July 06, 2025 at 12:02 PM

BA

“ I had the great pleasure of knowing and working with John at CNN and calling him my friend. We played a lot of golf together, which is how I met his brother Patrick a quiet and kind soul. We had many good times together on the golf course and at work. I will miss his sense of humor, his contagious laugh and his company. Rest in Peace brother. -Bob Armfield

Bob Armfield - July 06, 2025 at 11:53 AM

MO

“ I worked With John At The U.S. House of Representatives' House Recording Studio for 10 years or so.
He was Talented as A Camera Operator an AudioMan!
John had a Great Sense if Humor we shared Many Laughs an Enjoyed Working Together!!
The One thing zi remember about JD as he was known at the House Studio was his Absolute Love of the O's we would compare our Favorite teams (Me Tigers Fan) an talk about going to a game together but we never got to do that! An i must mention he was A Huge Notre Dame Fan an we go back an Forth on the Michigan Notre Dame Games!!
John Loved his Brother Patrick as they shared a place together!
John Was Spiritual an his Knowledge of the Bible was Impressive!
Im Sure he's in God's Hand an i will see him again! RIP John Davis you were a Good Friend an i was an Honor to work with you!
Sincerely, Michael Owens (John knew me As (MO)

Michael Owens - July 06, 2025 at 11:34 AM

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Chris Casazza - July 06, 2025 at 11:52 AM