



Jonathan Atienza Velasco

December 27, 1963 - November 18, 2025

Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven

Jonathan Atienza Velasco, 61, passed away Tuesday, November 18, 2025, in Southaven, MS. No services will be held at this time. Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven is in charge of arrangements.

Jonathan was known for his ever-present smile and his love of karaoke, one of his favorite pastimes. He was a loyal friend—someone others could always count on. He shared a special bond with his niece, Jessica Berry, to whom he was a devoted uncle, and he cherished his family deeply, especially his grandchildren.

Jonathan is survived by his wife, Sherri Ligon of Byhalia, MS; stepchildren, James Ligon, Alicia Burkes and her husband Jeremy, and Cindy Ligon; grandchildren, Kimberly Manley, Amber Smith, Gavin Ligon, and Ruby Ligon; and his siblings, Jocelyn Wallace (Richard), Jason Velasco, Lee Velasco, and Lou Velasco.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Romeo Garcia Velasco and Gloria Atienza Velasco.

Expressions of condolences may be shared on Mr. Jonathan Atienza

Velasco's Tribute Page at www.colemanfuneralhmesh.com.

Tribute Wall

JM

“ *This is sad news indeed. Jon and I hung out in the same crowd at JEB Stuart HS and saw each other occasionally for many years after graduating. He was a nice guy and he loved the Beatles and his karaoke. Sincere condolences to his family. He will be missed.*

John McD - November 22, 2025 at 03:21 PM

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“ *Falls Church VA crew sending condolences to John's family. He always made everyone laugh and will be missed. Prayers*

Falls Church VA Crew - November 22, 2025 at 08:02 AM

JB

“ *Gone too soon. You will be greatly missed. Thanks for being a cool uncle. You were always one of my favorites. Rest easy.*

Jennifer Hall Barrasso - November 21, 2025 at 07:06 AM