



Saori Harrison

July 7, 1965 - April 17, 2025

ASHBY - Saori (Tamaki) Harrison, 59, of Ashby, passed away on Thursday, April 17, 2025, in her home surrounded by her loving family.

Saori was born on July 7, 1965 in Tokyo, Japan and arrived in the United States in 2000. She grew up in Tokyo, graduated high school and earned her Bachelor's Degree in Nursing. Saori worked as a Registered Nurse for several years before coming to the United States.

Saori enjoyed travel, crafting, and homemaking. Always ready for adventure, she stood atop Mount Fuji, Mount Monadnock, the "Top of Europe" Swiss Young Frau, Saint Peter's Basilica, and the Cliffs of Moher. Her first son was born while newly arrived to America. Living in Valdosta, GA among swamps and alligators. While her husband served overseas, she lived in Arlington, MA and welcomed her second son. Shortly after, Saori became a homeowner in Ashby, MA. Life's twists and turns ensured adventure continued. Saori sewed the fabric of family while running the house in Germany followed by Virginia, Ft. Drum, New York, Iowa, and New York City before returning home to Ashby. "Home is wherever Mom is."

She leaves her loving husband of 25 years, Michael Harrison of Ashby; two sons, Jack Tsubasa and John Ryuma both of Lunenburg; her mother Katsuko, her brother, Yoshimitsu and two sisters, Yumika and Chie all reside in Japan.

A graveside service will be held on Saturday, May 3, 2025 at 10am at
Glenwood Cemetery in Ashby.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Jimmy Fund, c/o
Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, PO Box 849168, Boston, MA 02284-9168

The T.J. Anderson & Son Funeral Home, 250 Main St., Townsend is assisting
the family with the funeral arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Glenwood Cemetery

763 Main Street
Ashby, MA 01431

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAY 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Saori Harrison.

May 02, 2025 at 12:20 PM



“ Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Saori Harrison.



May 02, 2025 at 12:20 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Saori Harrison.

May 01, 2025 at 09:30 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Saori Harrison.



May 01, 2025 at 09:30 PM

LF

“ Love, Jean Harrison & the Paiva Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Saori Harrison.



Love, Jean Harrison & the Paiva Family - May 01, 2025 at 09:04 PM

RL

“ Rika Lowe purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Saori Harrison.



Rika Lowe - April 30, 2025 at 06:47 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Saori Harrison.

April 30, 2025 at 02:40 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Saori Harrison.



April 30, 2025 at 02:40 AM

AN

“ Thank you for being such a kind and loving person Mrs. Saori, I remember the amazing food you would make for me whenever I went over with my mom and my brothers would play with Jack and John. You were like a sister to my mom, a light in her life and everyone you met. I wish we could've gone on that shopping spree I said I would take you on all those years ago. Rest in peace Mrs. Saori. We love you, forever and always.

Love,
Angie <3

Angie - April 29, 2025 at 01:55 PM

JO

“ Thank you for everything Mrs Saori. You always took care of us whenever we played or had sleepovers with Jack and John. The food you made would make the entire family so happy. We would be so excited when our mom told us that we have food from you at home. Your phone calls with our mom would make her entire day. Our mom gets so happy whenever she gives us updates on Jack and John. You have and will continue to have a significant impact in our lives, especially for our mom. Jack and John, it's been so long but we always think of you both as our brothers. Let us know if you guys ever need anything. Thank you again for everything Mrs Saori.

- Jonathan and Jeshua

Jonathan - April 29, 2025 at 01:22 PM

DA

“ *Dima, Lucy, Jonathan, Jeshua & Angie purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Saori Harrison.*



Dima, Lucy, Jonathan, Jeshua & Angie - April 29, 2025 at 10:13 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Saori Harrison.*



April 28, 2025 at 10:18 PM



“ *Dear Michael, our thoughts are with you and the boys. We will never forget her. Take care. From Germany, Birgit & Andreas*



Birgit Keune - April 24, 2025 at 12:40 AM

KA

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. The world has gained a warrior angel. Katy*

Katy - April 23, 2025 at 10:51 AM