



## Aaron James Farmer

May 12, 1980 - January 8, 2026

Aaron James Farmer, 45, of Candler, North Carolina, passed away peacefully at home on January 8, 2026, after a courageous battle with cancer.

Born in Asheville, North Carolina, on May 12, 1980, Aaron was known for his kind and loving heart, his generous spirit, and his ability to connect with anyone he met. Outgoing, thoughtful, and polite, Aaron had a way of making people feel comfortable and welcome, often striking up conversations that turned into lasting friendships.

Aaron excelled at sports growing up, participating in youth leagues and throughout his high school years. He was a graduate of Enka High School and later attended Western Carolina University.

Aaron was an extremely talented musician, best known for his fiddle playing, though he could play many instruments. He found great joy in sharing music with others and loved fishing, camping, spending time outdoors, traveling, cooking for those he cared about, and playing golf and bowling. Over the past two years, he became an avid gardener, finding peace and purpose in nurturing growth. He also enjoyed watching sports with friends, proudly cheering on the Chicago Bears and the Georgia Bulldogs.

Above all, Aaron cherished time spent with family and friends. His sweet

smile, warm presence, and giving nature will be deeply missed. The family extends their deepest gratitude to his lifelong friend, Tommy Lipe, and to the many friends who made sure Aaron was comfortable and taken care of, for their love and unwavering support of Aaron over the past two years.

Aaron is survived by his parents, Terry and Patti Farmer of Candler; his sister, Kristin Aycock (Adam); and his beloved nieces, Cora and Claire Aycock.

A celebration of life will be held on Sunday, February 15, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Lewis Farm Venue in Weaverville.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the Colorectal Cancer Alliance in Aaron's memory.

We will miss Aaron deeply, but we are certain he is fiddling in heaven.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Service

FEB **15**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Lewis Farm Venue  
11 Lower Shephard Branch Rd.  
Weaverville, NC 28787

# Tribute Wall

RM

“ Terry and Patti,

*Sorry to learn of Aaron passing, know you're in my thoughts and prayers.*

*May you rest peacefully with your memories of him.*

*Randy McKinney*

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**Randy McKinney** - February 10 at 06:31 AM

MH

“ Terry and Patti, I am so very sorry for the passing for your precious son. Death is so hard!! I will pray for all. I am so sorry for what you are feeling. ILY marcia howell

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**marcia howell** - January 16 at 12:56 PM

TB

“ So sorry for your terrible loss. Praying for all family and friends for comfort and peace.

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**Terri Balding** - January 16 at 09:56 AM

HP

“ Aaron loved life and inspired those around him to live to the fullest. Although he never tried to be the loudest voice in the room, he was the person you always remembered having the most fun with. Talented, thoughtful, kind, and feisty... we love you Aaron

*Praying for peace and comfort for the Farmer Family and all those who cared dearly for Aaron*

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**Heather Powell** - January 13 at 05:47 PM

DN

*Kristen and family, we are so very sorry for all of you, your love and caring for Aaron was amazing, he was so blessed to have you in his times of need. Love and prayers for your comfort and strength. Fondly, Debbie Nageli*

**Deborah Nageli** - January 13 at 07:50 PM

AL

*Patti, Terry, and Kristen, I am so sorry to hear of Aaron's passing. He was a beautiful soul and so very talented, he will certainly be missed by many. My prayers are with all of you-may you find comfort and peace during this most difficult time. Warmly, Angela Lewis and family*

**Angela Lewis** - January 14 at 11:52 AM

JR

*KRISTEN,PATTI,AND TERRY*

*IM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. PRAYING FOR YOU ALL .*

*REST IN PEACE AARON*

**JOE ROBERSON** - January 14 at 04:37 PM



*Rest in peace AARON , he was always just a stand-up guy to me. Just seem to have a gentle soul. My prayers go out to his family.*

**Matt Brackett** - January 15 at 08:40 AM

DR

*I am so so sorry for your tremendous loss. It was a tremendous honor to know him. I have you all him my prayers.*

**Diane Reidy** - January 28 at 10:09 AM