



## Jason Lavern Bash

July 27, 1974 - December 20, 2021

Jason “Jay” Bash, 47, of Chanute, KS passed away Monday, December 20th at Research Medical Center in KC, MO. He was born in Atlantic, Iowa to the loving parents Richard and Gwen Bash on July 27, 1974. They still reside in Chanute. He was preceded in death by his maternal and paternal Grandparents.

Jason, “Honey”, left his soulmate and best friend of 13 years, Carrie Yebra and she says, “We will see each other again.” He is survived by his 2 boys, Shane and Keelan Bash in Huntsville, AL, 2 brothers and sisters in law, Leon Bash (Ann) and Kasey Bash (Jasmine) in Chanute, KS,

6 Nieces and Nephews, several great nieces and nephews and lots of extended family and friends.

His oldest son, Shane, has his love of fishing and the great outdoors. His youngest son, Keelan, has his love of football (GO CHIEFS!!), fantasy football and a good scary movie. His younger brother, Leon, has the same sense of humor and was his partner in crime. They shared the love of racing, fishing and football. Kasey, his baby brother, shared the love of a good beverage, a good laugh and good music. When Jason would come home on leave from the Navy when Kasey was just a little guy, he would ask, “You wanna go to the Navy with me?” Kasey would tell him yep! Jason’s career in the Navy began in July, 1993, where he attended Boot Camp with his cousin Blair. He then went to Florida to C School, which sparked his love for creating wonderful food, then was assigned to the US Enterprise in Norfolk, VA. His Navy career ended at Gulfport, MS in 1999.

He enjoyed spending time with his nieces and nephews. From SnapChat streaks with Karli, fishing with Kaden, rib pokes and jokes with Kylie and Kenzi, to snuggles, playtime and chatting with Owen and Briley he made them all feel special. He also adored his great nephews and nieces and would always make time to hold them, play with and most important, tease them. There was no shortage of laughter when Jason was around. His love of family extended to his Uncles, Aunts, many, many cousins and even more friends who were also considered family.

A boy from Adair, IA also had 2 Godfathers, Great Uncle Larry Ludlum, who is in heaven with Jay, and his Uncle Perry Leeper, who has always been there for him. So we ask how a boy from Adair, IA ended up in Chanute, KS in August of ‘86 where he left his mark on

tons of hearts (you all know who you are). Family is what brought him back to Chanute, KS.

He was always in his gear, meaning it was GAME TIME!! Whether it was the Iowa Hawkeyes, the Kansas City Chiefs or KU (Basketball, NOT Football), if there was a game on Sunday, you would find him with family watching it. But his other gear was his fishing gear and he spread his love of fishing to all ages. He collected family like he collected fishing gear.

We will be holding a Celebration of Life for Jason on January 22nd at the old VFW building on West Main. We will announce the time at a later date. Donations can be made in his honor to Charlie 22 Outdoors (an organization that helps disabled vets with outdoor activities, such as fishing) or Wounded Warrior. Online condolences may be left at: [www.countrysidefh.com](http://www.countrysidefh.com). Services entrusted to Countryside Funeral Home 101 N. Highland, Chanute, KS 66720.

# Tribute Wall

RE

“ Renee Evans lit a candle in memory of Jason Lavern Bash



Renee Evans - December 27, 2021 at 09:45 PM

DC

“ Dwayne And Tisha Crellin lit a candle in memory of Jason Lavern Bash



Dwayne and Tisha Crellin - December 27, 2021 at 03:08 PM

AD

“ Here's to the memory of my fellow shipmate and brother, even when I was on the other side of the world, you lifted me up with care packages, just such a big heart, we had some supah adventures whenever I did make it home to visit, the golf cart incident, fishing, the natty light tower, the geocaching, and so many more, it's impossible to think of a time we weren't laughing and having fun...now this day is here and it's not a thing I thought I would have to accept in my lifetime...I thought we would be telling salt life stories forever...see you on the other side brother...sending prayers and love to your family, you were one of my greatest friends and unreplacable, believe that!



Alex Daniels - December 23, 2021 at 08:51 AM

CK

“ Candace Keller lit a candle in memory of Jason Lavern Bash



Candace keller - December 22, 2021 at 12:22 PM

PC

“ Pam Catterson lit a candle in memory of Jason Lavern Bash



Pam Catterson - December 22, 2021 at 09:01 AM

KB

“ You were the best uncle anyone could've asked for. I'll forever cherish the days we all went out fishing and shooting. You had a smile and a laugh that could light up a room from a mile away. Rest easy uncle Jay. We love you ❤️

Kenzi Boyd - December 21, 2021 at 06:20 PM

PC

“ Pam Catterson lit a candle in memory of Jason Lavern Bash



Pam Catterson - December 21, 2021 at 05:00 PM