



## Jason Paul Haschke

March 2, 1986 - August 30, 2025

Jason Paul Haschke, 39, of Amarillo, passed away on August 30, 2025, surrounded by the love of his family.

He was born on March 2, 1986, in Amarillo, Texas, to Eugene and Mary Beth Haschke. Jason

graduated from Caprock High School in 2004 and went on to earn a Bachelor's degree in

Culinary Arts from Johnson & Wales University in Denver, Colorado.

Jason's life was defined by his passion and his heart. He found his calling in the kitchen where

his creativity came alive. Cooking wasn't just a career for him—it was his art, his way of

showing love. As Executive Chef at the Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center, Jason poured his skill

and joy for food into every meal, nourishing not only the body but also the spirit of all who

gathered there. Friends and family knew that if Jason was cooking, you'd not only eat well,

you'd feel cared for and loved. Every dish told a story; every shared meal created a memory.

As proud as he was of his work, Jason's greatest pride and joy were his three daughters. They

were his everything—his reason, his light, his favorite audience. He was happiest when he was with them, whether he was making them laugh with his quick wit, teaching them to cook, or enjoying life’s simple joys together. They loved cheering at baseball games—whether watching the Texas Rangers or their hometown Sod Poodles—and exploring the beauty of Palo Duro Canyon on family hikes. Jason poured all of himself into being their dad, and his love for them will always remain the truest part of his legacy.

Jason also had a gift for bringing people together. He and his wife loved hosting their annual Oktoberfest, a celebration filled with food, fun, music, and laughter. Over the years they opened their home for other gatherings too, including festive Mardi Gras parties, each event full of joy, community, and Jason’s signature hospitality. What started as simple get-togethers grew into beloved traditions that reflected Jason’s joy for life, his love of heritage, and his knack for creating connection. Those memories will live on in the hearts of everyone who filled their home and backyard with cheer year after year.

Jason will be remembered as a man who lived with warmth, generosity, and passion. He made people feel at home, whether at his table or in his company. His absence leaves an ache, but his spirit continues to live on—in the daughters he adored, in the recipes and traditions he passed down, and in the countless lives he touched along the way.

He is preceded in death by his grandparents Lavern Wilhelm, Pauline Haschke, and Leander Haschke and uncles Stephen Wilhelm and Robert Wilhelm and aunt JoAnn Haschke.

Jason is survived by his three beloved daughters, Hannah, Abigail, and Elsie Haschke, and their mother, Courtney Haschke; his parents, Mary Beth and Eugene Haschke; his sister, Jessica Kohler, and her husband, Bobby; his brother, Albert Haschke; his niece, Hanna Kohler, and nephew, Levi Kohler. He is also survived by his grandmother, Veronica Wilhelm, along with a host of loving aunts, uncles, and cousins.

A Rosary will be celebrated in Jason's honor on Tuesday September 2nd 2025 at 7:00PM at St. Mary's Catholic Church with A celebration of Jason's life will be held on Wednesday September 3rd 2025 at 10:00AM. at St. Mary's Catholic Church with Fath

To honor Jason's memory, the family requests that donations be made to the "Benefit Fund For Hannah, Abigail and Elsie Haschke" via Venmo @BenefitFund-Haschkesgirls in lieu of flowers.

To send a check directly to the bank, contact Jessica Kohler or Matthew Wilhelm at [benefitfundhaschkesgirls@gmail.com](mailto:benefitfundhaschkesgirls@gmail.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Memory Gardens

14200 I.H. 27 South  
Amarillo, TX 79119

# Previous Events

## Holy Rosary

SEP 2. 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Cathedral  
1200 South Washington Street  
Amarillo, TX 79102

## Mass of the Christian Burial

SEP 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Cathedral  
1200 South Washington Street  
Amarillo, TX 79102

# Tribute Wall

DS

“ To all of Jason's family, please know you've been covered in prayers since early last Wednesday when Lori requested them. You are wrapped in love and what an amazing person Jason is and always will be. With so much love, DJ Stubben

DJ Stubben - September 02, 2025 at 06:32 AM

BC

Jason was a good man. We loved his meals. I did not know him well but he was always so polite. He will be so missed.

Bill Chudej - September 05, 2025 at 08:16 AM

AS

“ My sincere condolences to the family and friends of Jason. I know the DeFalco staff and guest will surely miss him. Rest in eternal peace. 🙏

Alma Swain - September 01, 2025 at 11:59 AM

JH

“ Justin Haschke planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jason Paul Haschke.

Justin Haschke - August 31, 2025 at 11:08 AM

JH

“ Justin Haschke purchased the Simply Elegant Sp athiphyllum for the family of Jason Paul Haschke.



Justin Haschke - August 31, 2025 at 11:08 AM

SH

“ Sue Haschke lit a candle in memory of Jason  
Paul Haschke



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**Sue Haschke** - August 31, 2025 at 09:55 AM

DM

We are so,so sorry to hear of the passing of Jason 😞 Know that you all  
are in our prayers 🙏

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**Doug and Kim Monroe** - September 02, 2025 at 11:52 PM