



Brian Alan Jones

August 1, 1967 - November 9, 2022

Brian Alan Jones, 55, of the Nashville area passed away on November 9, 2022, after a courageous battle with cancer. Brian was born on August 1, 1967 in Knoxville at the “old” St Mary’s Hospital, to Mary Jane and Charles “Buck”(Sweetwater native) Jones of Loudon. He graduated from Spanish River High School in Boca Raton, FL in 1987 and went on to graduate from the University of Tennessee in 1991 with a degree in business finance. Brian utilized his education and “never met a stranger” personality to succeed in a 30-year career with commercial banking. He was admired and respected by colleagues and supervisors alike.

Brian loved all sports. He was a golfer, enjoyed tennis and softball, was an avid VOLS fan, and cheered for the Cubs and the Bears. Brian was also full of humor, quick wit, and a little bit of mischief. He found joy in being the instigator of harmless pranks and jokes. His smile and laughter were infectious. Brian also loved to travel, exploring new places and making new friends along the way.

In addition to his parents, Brian leaves behind his brother; Brett Jones, his niece, and Goddaughter Isabella, who was the light of his life, along with her dogs, Dakota and Shiloh and a multitude of friends that are forever changed with the void they now carry.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

Kyker Funeral Home in Sweetwater is serving the Jones family. www.kykerfuneralhomes.com

Tribute Wall



“ *My greatest sympathies to the Jones family. Brian and his three roommates were like my family during our time at UT. He was a loyal friend and I will miss him tremendously.*

Suzanne Caruthers - November 17, 2022 at 06:05 AM



“ *I worked with Brian at Sumner Bank and Trust in Gallatin. We kept in touch after he left the bank, he always gave me 2 of his season football tickets to one of the Tennessee Volunteers games every year. Such a great guy and will be greatly missed.*

Christina A Moore - November 15, 2022 at 08:41 PM



“ *So sorry to hear about Brian , deepest heartfelt prayers for all . Love you Cheryl
And Family*



Cheryl Smith - November 15, 2022 at 10:50 AM



“ *Worked with Brian while he was at US Bank in the business banking division. Such a kind and funny gentleman. Breaks my heart to hear of his passing. Gone way to soon my friend. Rest in peace Brian ❤️*

Melissa Mccrary - November 14, 2022 at 04:57 PM

TC

“ As one of Brian’s friends from UT I have lots of great memories of laughter and pranks! Those were the best years and we had so much fun. Lots of “Jonesey” memories Prayers to the family’. Definitely a life taken too soon ❤️

Tina Cardwell - November 13, 2022 at 10:55 AM

CG

“ I met Brian through a mutual friend in Nashville, and he and I just seemed to get along immediately. He was a great friend to me many times over. I am very sad to hear of his passing. He will be deeply missed by all that knew him. If I wanted a good laugh, all I had to do was talk to Jones. We hung out a lot when I lived in Nashville, and he was one of the few people I could count on when I needed a good friend. I moved away from Nashville ten years ago, but I always tried to look him up when I came back to town. He even took a solo trip to Columbia, MO to hang out with me at a TN-Mizzou game, and we had a blast! It’s been a few years since we spoke, but I was always hoping to hear from him again. Rest in Peace, Jones. I miss you

Chris Gish - November 11, 2022 at 08:30 PM

WG

“ There are a lot of memories I could share but here are two. Brian called me one Friday to grab some lunch and while at lunch asked what I was up to that weekend. I told him that I was going on a road trip to pick up a pointer puppy. He asked how far and where I was heading, told him it was in West Virginia that it was about 5-6 hour one way trip. He asked if I wanted him to go along because he knew of a killer place to eat in Lexington KY. We had an epic road trip and yes it was a great place to eat. The other time was when I was caring for my wife during an illness. Brian calls and asked what I was doing, I told him and he said how about if I come over and we hang for a bit. He sat with me on my deck and visited until we were out of conversation and anything to drink. He is one of the kindest and best guy I have counted as a friend. This is the highest compliment I can offer. Loved the guy, Rest well my friend!

William Gabers - November 11, 2022 at 08:20 PM

CS

“ In high school Brian was affectionately known by his friends as "Fozzie Bear." I knew him in high school and from work and immediately got along. We played tennis, basketball, took road trips and attended a number of concerts and sporting events. Brian as other's mentioned had a terrific sense of humor. One event I recall attending with him was the AFC Championship game between Miami and New England in 1986. He was kind, funny and overall just terrific person of whom I wished I had reached out to catch with. I am sad to hear of his passing. He will be missed by his friends and family.

Charles Sweeney - November 11, 2022 at 06:35 PM

KA

RIP Brian. Prayers for his family and friends. Tom and Katherine Anderson

Kathy Anderson - November 14, 2022 at 11:08 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Brian Alan Jones.*



November 11, 2022 at 05:26 PM



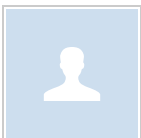
“ *Brian was always very nice to me and fun to be around both at work and outside of work. I had not seen him in a few years but have fond memories of the od banking days and a couple of concerts with friends. He will be missed!! Prayers and condolences to his family*
❤️ - *Kristen McCarter*

Kristen Midgett-McCarter - November 11, 2022 at 05:25 PM



“ *So very sad to hear this news. As one of Brian's roommates at UT, I can attest to being on the receiving end of many amusing pranks. To be around Brian was to place yourself at the center of a lot of fun and yes, a lot of mischief, too! I have many Jonesey memories from those days that will last a lifetime. My deepest condolences to his family and friends for a life taken far too soon.*

Joe Miller - November 11, 2022 at 05:09 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Brian Alan Jones.*



November 11, 2022 at 04:43 PM

KJ

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Kelly Johnson - November 11, 2022 at 04:23 PM



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Kyker Funeral Home - November 11, 2022 at 01:45 PM