



Brian Neal Parrish

March 10, 1970 - April 19, 2026

Brian Neal Parrish, age 56 years, a resident of Marion, Illinois and a former resident of Vienna, passed away unexpectedly Sunday morning, April 19, 2026, at 3:34 A.M. at his home. Brian has now been reunited with his beloved mother, Judy.

Brian was born March 10, 1970 in Marion, Illinois. He was the son of Bobbie Joe Parrish and Judy Kay (Anderson) Parrish.

Brian is survived by: his soulmate – Jessica Thompson; children – Genesis Thompson, Zepplin Thompson, and Alexis Thompson, JoAnna Hill, and Amanda Baker; 6 grandchildren – Jordan (who was his pride and joy), Kaiden, Brison, Camden, BriAnna, Jack; his maternal uncle – DeWayne (Laura) Anderson; as well as other family members and many friends. Brian also leaves his faithful golden retriever, Memphis, who he loved dearly and enjoyed spending time with.

Brian was preceded in death by his parents.

Brian attended Vienna High School. He was employed for 33 years as the general manager of Prime Time Rentals in Marion.

In his spare time, Brian enjoyed taking drives through the country. He

particularly enjoyed visiting the Crab Orchard Lake area, as well as Johnson and Pope County. Brian loved spending time vacationing in Panama City Beach, Florida.

Visitation will be conducted Saturday, April 25, 2026, from 11 A.M. until 1 P.M. at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

A graveside service will follow at 1:30 P.M. at Glendale Cemetery in rural Pope County. Pastor Danny Cash will officiate. Interment will follow.

Memorials may be directed to the family and left in the care of Bailey Funeral Home, P.O. Box 695, Vienna, Illinois 62995

Cemetery Details

Glendale Cemetery

IL State Route 145
Simpson, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **25**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home
705 North First Street
PO Box 695
Vienna, IL 62995
(618) 658-2311
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com
<https://baileyfh.com>

Graveside Service

APR **25**. 1:30 PM (CT)

Glendale Cemetery
IL State Route 145
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Tribute Wall

MW

“ You will be missed by so many!! So glad I got the honor of being your friend for so many years!! RIP!

Mary Lou & Ted Wheaton - May 12 at 10:55 AM

WJ

“ William Mitchem Jr lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish



William Mitchem Jr - May 10 at 04:46 PM

AB

“ Ashley Barnett lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish



Ashley Barnett - May 06 at 02:21 PM

JP

“ Brian was such a good friend to me with a heart of gold. I could call on him for help anytime. He loved helping others. RIP my friend. I'm sure going to miss your phone calls and visits. I shall never forget you and your kind spirit 💕

Joyce Drew Phillips - April 25 at 02:17 PM

KK

“ Kerry and Candice Drew and kids purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Brian Neal Parrish.



Kerry and Candice Drew and kids - April 24 at 08:38 PM

BW

“ Bill And Barb Warmack lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish



Bill and Barb Warmack - April 24 at 06:27 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Brian Neal Parrish.



April 24 at 01:19 PM

CG

“ Brian i was so blessed too grown up with u became really good friends you will always be in my heart u and your mom was like family u had a big heart loved your family so much try help everyone rest in peace bro love u will be greatly missed



Carla Christine Grant - April 22 at 07:57 PM



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

April 22 at 05:48 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brian Neal Parrish.



April 22 at 05:48 PM



“ Dr. Lori Guyton & Mr. David Smith purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Brian Neal Parrish.



Dr. Lori Guyton & Mr. David Smith - April 22 at 08:44 AM



“ I knew Brian when he would come to the chiropractor office. He was always gentle and full of life and humor. He will be missed.

Roxanne Tesar - April 22 at 12:50 AM

CD

“ *Christina Deaton lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish*



Christina Deaton - April 21 at 08:26 PM

CB

“ *Carol Orange Bryant sent a virtual gift in memory of Brian Neal Parrish*



Carol Orange Bryant - April 21 at 02:27 PM

JM

“ *Jeff And Linda Mathis lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish*



Jeff and Linda Mathis - April 21 at 02:26 PM

GA

“ *one heck of a great friend who will be deeply missed*

Garland Austin - April 21 at 11:25 AM

WM

“ *Brian, you were a good man always cared about others I enjoyed our talks sitting outside having a beer with you may you R.I.P. my friend.*



Wayne Morgan - April 21 at 10:28 AM

SH

“ *R.I.P.*



Scott Hunsaker - April 20 at 08:03 PM

DH

“ *I'm so sorry. I met Brian when we were teenagers and he'd come up to Marion to visit. He's always been very sweet and was confirmed when he brought us a memorial stone from when my daughter passed away in 2023. He will never be forgotten. Fly high, Brian! Yuu will be missed.*



Diana and Toby Hoover - April 20 at 07:17 PM

MP

“ *Matthew Prewitt lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish*



Matthew Prewitt - April 20 at 06:21 PM



“ Angie Cochran lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish



Angie Cochran - April 20 at 05:48 PM



“ When I was a kid uncle Brian put shaving cream in my hand took a fishing pole put a feather on his behind the couch an proceeded to let me hit myself in the face. I woke up freaking out an he was just laughing his butt off lol I will never forget it.

Angie Cochran - April 20 at 05:47 PM



“ Janis Tapley lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish



Janis Tapley - April 20 at 04:36 PM



“ Jerry Bush lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish



Jerry Bush - April 20 at 04:18 PM

DA

“ Brian , you were always good to me . I could call you up with any problem I ever had and you always found a way to help me . I would think of you often and missed seeing you after you retired from Prime Time . You will forever be in my heart . Jessica and family please know you are in my prayers during your difficult time . Love Ms. Dianne



Dianne Adams - April 20 at 02:58 PM

SK

“ Brian was one of a kind and so caring . He would give you the shirt off his back at any given moment. He touched our Community in so many ways . He was always donating meals to feed the Hungry or cutting breaks for his customers at Prime Time Rentals . I will always cherish the many Nascar Races we attended through out the years and especially the Memphis Barbeque. I Always loved traveling with you & Jessica to Memphis , TN . I will never forget the carriage rides around the Peabody or all the memories we all made together . You will be deeply missed . Give Ms Judy hugs from all of us and I know you are catching her up on everything she missed while you were apart . You loved your Momma dearly . My heart is breaking for Jessica, Genesis , Zepplin , Alexis , and little Jordan . You loved and adored them so much . Sending up prayers for all of them during this difficult time . We will forever hold you in our hearts Brian



Sissy Lynn Kent - April 20 at 02:37 PM

JJ

“ I meet Brian when he worked at Prime Time Rental. He was such a pleasant person always smiling. He became a great friend to me. We found out we knew some of the some people. He will be missed by so many people.



Jamie Johnson - April 20 at 01:32 PM

VM

“ We're all on shock to hear about the passing of Brian but, those who knew him know that he was dealing with health issues. Brian was an amazing guy he would done anything to help others in their time of need. He love his mother dearly and missed her everyday. He loved his girls, Jordan, and the love of his life Jessica ❤️ his friendship meant alot to him and this did not go unnoticed. Thank for being such a good friend to Wayne and I. We will miss you deeply 😭 I can see you now sitting on a bench with your mother talking about the good old days God Bless you my friend

Vicki Morgan - April 20 at 12:30 PM

AM

“ Brian was an old friend , My thoughts and prayers are with Jess and the children and grandbbabies . I haven't spoke to him in years but I know he was a great father and grand father and he will be missed .
RIP

Angie Mcroy - April 20 at 09:02 AM

JS

“ *John Slack sent a virtual gift in memory of Brian Neal Parrish*



John Slack - April 20 at 08:19 AM



“ *Brian, BP was a true friend. I'm gonna miss you bud. I'd like to think your overseeing things while sharing a bag of Doritos with my old RedDog.*

Jeremy Travis - April 20 at 02:49 AM

SH

“ *Brian was an amazing grandfather an father! He knew everyone and everything! He was a good friend.. He was compassionate. He stood for what was right. Rest in peace Friend.*



Shanno. Harris - April 20 at 02:38 AM

JS

“ *Brian has helped my family more than he probably even knew, this one really hit hard. Brian and Jessica thank you for everything and Brian im gonna miss seeing you cruising around in your side by side and all the random conversations we had, I loved those conversations we are really gonna miss you, rest easy brian*

Jeremy Scott - April 20 at 12:49 AM

SS

“ Brian was a dear friend, and had a heart of gold..and was there for me through alot... I will miss you and remember you always my dear friend...we will see each other again...

Stephanie Slater - April 19 at 10:14 PM

CW

“ Clearon And Jane(Ross) Wright sent a virtual gift in memory of Brian Neal Parrish



Clearon and Jane(Ross) Wright - April 19 at 09:08 PM

CW

His Mother Judy was a dear friend of mine. Brian will be missed. sending my sympathy and prayers to his family.

Clearon and Jane(Ross) Wright - April 19 at 09:10 PM

GM

“ Brian was like a brother to me and we were always there for each other . I am devastated and at a loss for words . I will miss you my brother and we will see each other when its my time to cross over into Heaven . RIP my brother.

Greg Morris - April 19 at 09:03 PM

SS

I'm so sorry for your loss, Greg..you were both brothers and the best of friends, I always enjoyed you all story's ...He loved you as a brother...

Stephanie Slater - April 19 at 10:19 PM

BF

Good guy. One of the best bosses i ever had. Brian would always stop and chat if we seen each other somewhere. Gonna miss ya man. Rest easy my friend .

Bruce Fosse - April 19 at 11:35 PM

AM

“ *Brian was such a great man and a good friend to my dad, he and his wife gave my son a bicycle for Christmas one year and made it the most special Christmas! He will be missed! Prayers to Jessica and the girls during this difficult time.*



Ashley Marshall - April 19 at 08:46 PM



“ *It saddens me to hear this. RIP Brian, give momma Judy a hug for me.*



Lisa Newbolds - April 19 at 08:01 PM

CW

“ *Genuine soul! Meet with his mother. 😊😊 You will be missed 😊*



Christy Williams - April 19 at 07:08 PM

MM

“ Jerry took him home several times when he was caught out in the rain finishing his paper route on his bike. Brian never forgot that!
Condolences to his family.



Margaret Mathis - April 19 at 06:48 PM

TA

“ Teresa Anderson lit a candle in memory of Brian Neal Parrish



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