



## Brian Christopher Cousins

November 12, 1980 - November 24, 2019

Brian Christopher Cousins "BCuz", 39, of Bloomington passed away Sunday morning November 24, 2019 at the IU Health Bloomington Hospital.

He was born on November 12, 1980 in Bloomington, Indiana the son of Gary Frederick and Elaine Ann (Moore) Cousins. Brian was a 2000 graduate of Bloomington High School North, where he served as the baseball and basketball manager. He attended Indiana University and served as the Football manager there and later served as football manager at BHS South in 2006. Brian was a hard worker and was employed at Kroger in Bloomington and in Powell, Ohio for over 15 years.

Brian was a member of Sherwood Oaks Christian Church, he was an avid sports fan and loved IU Football and Basketball, The Green Bay Packers, shooting archery, all animals especially dogs, and spending time with friends and family. He adored all of his nieces and nephews. He will be missed by all who loved and knew him.

Brian leaves behind his loving parents, Elaine (Phil) Cohen of Powell, Ohio; Gary F. Cousins of Bloomington; his sister, Betsy (Jason) Mulder of Powell, Ohio; two nieces, Elena and Olivia; two nephews, Collin and Luke; a step-brother, Jereme Fox; and three step-sisters, Sara Cohen, Chelsea Chalfant, Kensey Goad, one step niece and two step nephews; his aunts Karen Willis and Linda Wehr, and uncles Phil Moore and Paul Cousins and their families. He is preceded in death by his grandparents, Richard and Lois Moore and George and Martha Cousins, and his step mom Lucinda Cousins.

A celebration of life will be held at Sherwood Oaks Christian Church in Bloomington, IN on December 12th with visitation time at 6:00 pm and ceremony beginning at 6:30 pm. Cremation Rites have been accorded. Allen Funeral Home and Crematory have been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences, photos, and memories may be shared with family and friends at [www.allencares.com](http://www.allencares.com)

# Previous Events

## **Celebration of Life Gathering**

DEC 12. 6:00 PM (ET)

Sherwood Oaks Christian Church  
2700 E. Rogers  
Bloomington, IN 47401

## **Celebration of Life Service**

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# Tribute Wall



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Brian Christopher Cousins.* ”



December 11, 2019 at 05:44 PM



“ *The Hanje, Hevezi, & Sayat families purchased the Classic Sympathy Dish Garden for the family of Brian Christopher Cousins.* ”



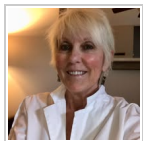
**The Hanje, Hevezi, & Sayat families** - December 09, 2019 at 11:21 AM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Brian Christopher Cousins.* ”



December 07, 2019 at 01:07 PM



“ *I always enjoyed going through the checkout at Kroger when Brian was working. He was engaging and funny and always made me laugh. He is a joy, and I'm grateful to have known him.* ”

**Karen Helming** - December 02, 2019 at 11:13 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All Red was purchased for the family of Brian Christopher Cousins.*



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December 01, 2019 at 02:28 PM



“ *Sherri, Erik and Randy Smith purchased the Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers for the family of Brian Christopher Cousins.*



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**Sherri, Erik and Randy Smith** - November 30, 2019 at 07:10 PM



“ *Brian was deeply involved with Indiana University Christian Student Fellowship during my time there as lindahesecretary. I remember him as always being a devoted IU football and basketball fan; but even moreso, as kind, gentle, fun-loving, easy-going, with a great laugh and beautiful smile. I am blessed to have known him; his time here far too short. May God hold you all in His loving hands and comfort you.*

*Linda Sarchet*

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**Linda Sarchet** - November 29, 2019 at 09:56 PM

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“ I first met Brian in the early 80’s at his grandpa George and grandma Martha’s house. George was my favorite prof at IU and we’d visit now and then, generally outside where there were chairs under the trees. His greatest joy was introducing his “little Buddy,” aka Brian. Fast forward over the years, and whenever, wherever I saw Brian, mostly at Kroger, he always had a big hello, a bigger smile and a hug...and he without fail had kind words about people we knew. Brian was...is...a good, gentle soul, he is missed. My heart and thoughts go out to the family.

Gayle Hart - November 29, 2019 at 09:07 AM



“ I remember too well that he would always come to visit me and my roommates at CSF during my years at IU. Such great times!!! We always went out late nights together. Went to places such as the Bluebird, Yogi's, Kilroy's, and the Video Saloon. B-Cuz, I miss you and I love you. B-Cuz, I like to thank You for being one of my best friends. You have always been and always will be a part of my life. Now, you're home. I LOVE YOU, B-CUZ!!! FLY HIGH!!!!

Brock Easley - November 29, 2019 at 06:45 AM

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“ Bcuz was one of the first people I met when I arrived on campus in 2005. He was such a joyful friend and loved to laugh. I will always remember him when I watch IU sports. You'll never meet a more devoted fan than he was! We'll miss you brother! Prayers for the family. May the Lord surround you with his love and give you peace.

Nathan - November 27, 2019 at 10:16 PM

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“ *Brian always knew how to make me laugh. He was always concerned about our family. I will miss his special laugh He had.* ”

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**Dorothy Barrett** - November 27, 2019 at 08:31 PM