



# Brian P. Flynn

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**B**rian P. Flynn July 16, 1958 - February 5, 2026.

Brian was known for his smile, never meeting a stranger, and for always finding a reason to laugh, even up to the very end. Therefore, he would be very upset if I, the author, took this too seriously. So, here we go:

The man, the myth, the legend passed away peacefully in his sleep after an exhausting battle with multiple melanoma on the afternoon of February 5, 2026. The icon spent his final moments surrounded by family, his daughter's dog, Buddy, and several loving staff members of Lacombe Nursing Centre.

Born in New Orleans on July 16, 1958, to Joyce Picou Flynn and John Michael Flynn, Jr. ("Jack"), the mythical 6' 2" king of dad jokes, a.k.a. "Brian," spent a majority of his youth in New Orleans, Louisiana. Uniquely, he graduated from Rockwell College, a high school in Tipperary, Ireland, in 1976. While attending Rockwell College, Brian started the school's first basketball team, and the school has maintained its basketball team to this day.

Just like his grandfather, who was featured in Ripley's "Believe It or Not!" for having held more jobs in his life than most, Brian was a man who wore many hats (literally and figuratively). He spent his career in a number of industries including photography, music, massage therapy, management of several plant nurseries, diving, construction, and healthcare. At the time of his retirement, Brian was a certified nursing assistant and paraprofessional working with adolescents at Northlake Behavioral Health (formerly Southeast Louisiana Hospital).

On September 12, 1987, Brian (the great) married the love of his life, Logan, and on August 22, 1988, his legacy was continued by the birth of his daughter, their only child, Mallory.



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Brian loved fishing and music almost as much as he loved his family (possibly more, but the author is biased). In his final years, he enjoyed going fishing with his brother-in-law, Nicky Parr.

The late king of dad jokes is preceded in death by his parents: Joyce P. Flynn and John Michael Flynn, Jr.; his sister: Mary F. Campo; his brother-in-law: Nick Campo; Tupac; Elvis; and Marilyn Monroe. His royal highness of fatherly puns is survived by his wife: Logan B. Flynn; his daughter: Mallory B. Flynn (and Mallory's dog, Buddy); and his cat, Lellow. He is also survived by his siblings: Diana Flynn Breen; Kathleen Fresko (Emmanuel Fresko); Patricia Parr (Nick "Nicky" Parr); Kevin Flynn (Pam Flynn); and John Michael Flynn, III (Cathy Flynn). Brian is also survived by his numerous nieces and nephews, who will be listed by first name in the interest of brevity, because the author is lazy, and because none of them have slain a legitimate dragon (author reserves the right to amend this section in the event that changes): Bonnie, Billy, Bridget, Patrick, Sean, Ryan, Devin, Anthony, Kelly, Brendan, Brady, Bailey, Evan, Anita, John, and Matthew. His royal highness is not survived by any of his enemies (because he never had any).

For family and close friends, a small, informal celebration of life will be held on February 28, 2026, at the home of Brian's brother, Kevin Flynn. Please wear what you want; he hated formal events. For information, and to RSVP, please email his daughter, Mallory: [malloryfjd@outlook.com](mailto:malloryfjd@outlook.com).

His daughter, Mallory, will be arranging a larger gathering for extended friends and sketchy relatives—that she never knew existed but who want to come out of the shadows—at a time, date, and location TBD. Contact her via email [malloryfjd@outlook.com](mailto:malloryfjd@outlook.com) for details.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests a donation be made to Louisiana State Parks (<https://www.lastateparks.com/make-a-donation>) in his royal highness' most esteemed honor (i.e., in his name).

Final arrangements for Brian have been made by the loving, dedicated, and amazing professionals of E.J. Fielding Funeral Home. The family is truly grateful for their outstanding service and focus on maintaining Brian's dignity in the end.

The family would like to thank the loving staff and administrators of Lacombe Nursing Centre, Harmony Hospice, E.J. Fielding Funeral Home, and the few nurses of the St. Tammany Parish Hospital Oncology Unit who worked tirelessly to give Brian a chance in the end. Thank you, truly.



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E.J. Fielding Funeral Home has been entrusted with funeral arrangements. The family invites you to share thoughts, fondest memories, and condolences online at E. J. Fielding Funeral Home Guest Book at <https://www.ejfieldingfh.com>.



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**Nicky Parr** lit a candle in honor of Brian.

It's surreal that you are not here anymore Brian. Sometimes I think I need to call to tell you stuff but stop and remember. My heart is broken. You and I grew up so close and stayed that way thru out our lives! We had so much fun at the camp,at concerts and riding horses. We helped each other thru out life and now you no longer need anything- in Heaven. Everyone in our family misses you so much- fishing buddy, work buddy, silly buddy!Love you Brian #6From Tricia #5



March 20 at 5:35 PM

MC

**Mary Ann Cushman** posted:

Whenever we came to visit Jack and Joyce and our cousins, even though I was just little, I remember that Ambassador Brian always made us feel particularly welcome. When it came time to return to wherever our home was at the time, I always wanted to stay and wished we lived in NOLA.Brian and Father McCool visited us for several weeks when we lived in Germany and they were on their way to Ireland. My oldest brother Tracy and Brian were such great pals.Seems that fishin' genes run in the family - my brother Jonathan and Brian would have had a good time together fishing and listening to music.There never seems to be enough time.

March 4 at 6:10 PM



**Emanuel Fresko** posted:

Every encounter with Brian has been a memorable one, but this memory of Brian and me going to Germany on a business trip, gets the prize.We went to Germany together, to a sales meeting with a clothing manufacturer I represented. I introduced Brian as a new addition to the company as a sales manager. Next thing I know, every one was talking to Brian, from the owner to his staff and the other countries' sales forces , completely ignoring me and absolutely hypnotized by Brian's enthusiasm, warmth and magnetic personality. As if this was a natural thing in his life, Brian with his humble personality didn't even notice what happened. He laughed it off as he always did.I love you my beautiful brother in law, and I certainly miss you so much!!!May God bless your beautiful soul in eternal peace.Emanuel Fresko

February 13 at 2:04 PM



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**Lindsey Humble** posted:

Sleepovers at Mallory's and summers in the Pass never had a moment without the sound of Mr. Brian's laughter, endless mental archive of Snapple facts and the sound of countless VHS classics and, of course, SNL. My deepest condolences and sincere love. He was truly a light

February 11 at 3:22 AM



**Stella Schramm** posted:

Logan and Mallory, I am so very sorry to hear of Brian's passing. He will always be remembered as such a kind and gentle soul. He will be deeply missed.

February 10 at 1:44 PM



**Mallory Flynn** posted:

My dad was also heavily active on Rockwell's rugby team. I forgot to mention that. Thank you everyone who has already reached out. My dad was truly loved by many.- Mallory

February 10 at 1:06 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Brian by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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