



## Brian Mimms

September 13, 1966 - July 17, 2012

Services for Brian Alan Mimms, 45, of Tyler, will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2012 at 10:00 AM at Stewart Family Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Rose Lawn Cemetery under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Mr. Mimms passed away July 17, 2012 under the care of Hospice of East Texas. Brian was born September 13, 1966 in Dallas, Texas to Odell and Patrice Sue Williams Mimms. Brian went home to be with the Lord after a long battle with cancer. He was surrounded by his loving family at the time of his death. Brian will always be remembered as a devoted and loving husband and father. Brian was an avid golfer, a teaching pro and golf course manager at Eagle's Bluff in Bullard and The Woods Golf Course in Jacksonville. He loved fishing and spending time with his wife Amy and daughter, Emily. Brian was a member of Bethel Bible Church. Brian is survived by his loving wife of 17 years, Amy Lester Mimms and his daughter, Laura Emily Mimms of Tyler; parents, Sue and Odell Mimms of Flint; sister, Monica Campbell and husband Dan and their three children, Kaitlyn, Abby and Christopher, of Flint; brother Nathan Mimms and son Logan of Tyler; mother and father-in-law Karen and Dr. R.A. Lester and son Morgan of Tyler; and the LaSeur Family, Clark Family, Miles Family and Voros Family. Pallbearers will be Dr. R.A. Lester, Chad Oswald, Scott Warner, Shea Mercer, Mark Cote, Matthew LaSeur and Harry Leatherwood. Honorary pallbearers will be Morgan Lester, Dan Campbell, Charles Humphries, Richard LaSeur, Mark Miles, Matthew Miles, and Jeff Clark. Visitation is scheduled from 6:00 -8:00PM on Friday, July 20, 2012 at

Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler. In Lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to The Hospice of East Texas Foundation, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, Texas 75701, or KVNE radio station, PO Box 8525, Tyler, Texas 75711.

# Tribute Wall

MC

“ *My deepest sympathy to Amy, Emily, The Mimms family and Lester family and other close friends and family members. Brian was a great man and I was lucky to count him as a friend. He lead by example and had great compassion for people. He will be missed. I'm very thankful for the precious short time I had with Brian and he will be greatly missed.*

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**Mark Cote** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ *Godspeed Brian....To the family he leaves behind I only imagine how you must miss him already. My memories of times we spent together as friends and neighbors will forever warm my heart. I know in heaven where he now owns his mansion and walks the streets of gold with his Father he will order Johnny's pizza, shoot rounds in the low 60's and shoot hoops with the spirit of a young man. At least that's the Brian I imagine as I stroll down memory lane. Mr. and Mrs Mimms, thank you for Brian's life.....he is surely loved and will be eternally missed! Kim*

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**Kim Edwards Lyles** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *Words can not express how deeply sorry I am for your loss. My heart and prayers go out to you during this challenging time. I am blessed to have known Brian and the memories we shared.*

*I will turn their mourning into gladness; I will give them comfort and joy instead of sorrow. - Jeremiah 31:13*

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**Sandra Dunlap Williams** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ To Mr & Mrs Mimms, Nathan, Monica, and Brian's wife, daughter and family,  
I've never met Brian's wife and hadn't seen Brian in many years and often wondered what he was up to. I can only say that I am so sorry for your loss. Brian was a good friend of mine through our high school years. We had a lot of fun during our baseball games and practices. I have many great memories with Brian and Shea Mercer and all the things we used to do together. Brian had such a quick wit that you could never get anything over on him. He always had a sly comeback! I will never forget him and that sly smile of his. He was a great person with a wonderful, caring personality and I am very honored to have called him my friend! You will all be in my thoughts and prayers in this time of sorrow. He is in a much better place and no longer suffers. He will be greatly missed. God Bless you all!

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**Doug Loyd** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ Brian was a good friend to many people. I worked with him at Meadowbrook CC and was impressed with not only his knowledge of his job but his diligence to his job. He loved his family. Our prayers are with you all at this time.

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**Gene Fout** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ If you looked in the Webster Dictionary for the definition of Nice Man, you would see a picture of Brian Mimms

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**Harold Palmer** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ *Brian was a dear friend that will be truly missed. He could always put a smile on my face when I needed it most!*

*His devotion, hardwork and late hours went unseen my many. But those that worked beside him, saw that he put his heart and sole into everything he did.*

*With heartfelt condolences,  
Kathy Burghart*

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**Kathy Burghart** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ *Im so sorry for you loss.*

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**Melissa Holland** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ *Brian was truly one of the good guys. Words cannot do justice to Brian and who he was as a person. but spectacular, generous, kind, happy, willing to help, special are just a few that may help describe the man I knew and miss.*

*Our prayers are with you and your family.*

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**Rob Shields** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ Dear Mimms' Family,

*Mom called us this week to let us know the very sad news of Brian passing away. I still carry memories of all of you visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mimms when we were all growing up. It was always quite lively with all the "kids" running around. But Mrs. Mimms was always up for the challenge and always so calm!!! Well, maybe it was Mr. Mimms who always remained calm. It sounds like Brian loved life and his family; it is always so difficult to understand why things happen as they do. Know that you are in our hearts and prayers at this time; we pray that God will give you the strength to endure this most difficult time and then give you the comfort and peace that you will need afterwards. God bless all of you.*

*Rudy, Kathy, Julia, and Karl Haas*

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**Kathy Picha Haas** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Monica and Nathan,

*I was so sorry to hear about Brian. I know you will miss him very much. I just wanted you to know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

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DH

“ Quote : ( auth. Unknown ) " The Good Die Young ,, !!!

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**Dean & Cindy Hackwith** - July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM