



## Brian Winn

February 14, 1954 - December 13, 2006

Services for Brian Winn, 52 of Tyler, will be held on Saturday, December 16, 2006 at 2:30 pm at Marvin United Methodist Church with Rev Jeff Olive officiating. Burial will follow in the Rose Lawn Cemetery, 2003 Blue Mountain Blvd in Tyler under direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Mr. Winn passed away Wednesday, December 13, 2006 in Jacksonville. He was born February 14, 1954 in Salt Lake City, Utah to Beverly Winn and the late Edward Bert Winn. Brian grew up in Tooele, Utah where he graduated from Tooele High School and was an Eagle Scout. He moved to Tyler in the early 1980s where he first fell in love and married his beautiful wife Kim in 1983. They moved back to Utah for a short time before making their home in Tyler. He owned his own business, Design Audio, for 10 years before he joined his father-in-law as Vice President of Worden Specialties. He was a member and on the Administrative Board of Marvin United Methodist Church, where he also was an active member of the Friendly Sunday School Class. Brian was a wonderful husband, father, and friend. He enjoyed golfing, fly fishing, and spending time with his family, especially watching his daughters play volleyball. He will be remembered most for his friendly personality and constant smile. Mr. Winn was preceded in death by his father; Edward Bert Winn. Brian is survived by his loving family including his wife of 23 years, Kim Worden Winn of Tyler; daughters, Kelsey and Kaila Winn of Tyler; mother, Beverly Winn of Tooele, Utah; sisters, Teresa Albers of Tooele, Utah, Deanna Winn-Cohen and Alan Cohen of Hawaii, Michaela Winn-Christopherson and

husband Tim Christopherson of Mill Valley, CA; brother, Tyler Winn and wife Debbie of Tooele, Utah; mother and father-in-law, Roger and Deann Worden; sisters-in-law, Terri Worden of Tyler, Lori and her husband Matt Winchester of Wichita Falls, Erin and her husband Steve Robbins of Flint; his loving dog Charlie; and numerous nieces and nephews. Pallbearers will be Rob Stowe, Don Wood, Lee Fisher, Kevin Jensen, David Nichols, and Mike Sanders. Honorary Pallbearers will be Roger Worden, Steve Robbins, Matt Winchester, Neal Maynard, Tim Christopherson, Alan Cohen, TJ Winn, Daniel Winn, Caleb Albers, and the members of the Friendly Sunday School Class. The family will receive friends from 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. Friday, December 15, 2006, at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy., Tyler, Texas 75703. Memorials in honor of Brian may be made to Marvin United Methodist Church; 300 West Erwin Street, Tyler, TX 75702. For more information or to express condolences, visit [www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com](http://www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com).

# Tribute Wall

GS

“ Brian was a very important part of our family. He was always happy, and always had a beautiful smile. We have known Brian for many years and never saw him unhappy. He accepted everyone for what they were with no criticism. Brian was a fantastic Dad, and a wonderful husband. He made this world a better place for all of us. He will be forever missed.

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**george and donna smith** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ I was from St. John, which is a small town 20 miles southwest of Tooele wher Brian was born and raised. Brian was my sisters age, and I went to school with his sibilings Theresa and Tyler. Their grandparents, Meb and CLaudia operated a big ranch a few miles from where I lived and they had big parties. I remember Brian being at my house on several occasions. He was 5 years older than me but he always treated me like an equal. He'd shake my hand and talk to me like a man. That means a lot to a 12 year old boy who thinks that 17 year olds are like god. That smile of his always had the hometown girls swooning.

*I haven't seen Brian for years and I am saddened at his passing. My sympathy and thoughts go to his family.*

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**Marty Ahlstrom** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ To the Winn family our hearts go out to the loss of your love one,he will truly be missed by everyone he has touched in his life time.He was a wonderful man and a true friend.

*May God watch over your family in this great time of need.*

*Sincerely  
Ben & Margie  
Fitzgerald*

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**Ben Fitzgerald** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Kim, I was shocked and saddened to hear about Brian. I can only imagine how difficult it must be for you and your girls. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Jeri*

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**Jeri Brown** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *We were so sorry to read about Brian in the newspaper. We got to know Brian just a little bit last year at the Robert E. Lee volleyball games as our girls played together. May God bless you and comfort you during this difficult time.*

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**Kay and Phillip Monigold** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *We at Mitch's will miss Brian's overwhelming personality. When Brian would visit he would brighten everyone's day. Our sorrow for you in your time of need is shared with all of us at Mitch's. He will be missed.....Sincerely, Mitch,Adam,Chad,Monty*

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**mitch's car audio** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ Dear Kim,  
My heart is very sad to learn about Brian. He was such a friendly person. No matter where or when we'd see him, he would always remember who we were, and always had something nice to say. We are praying for you and your family in this time of such great sadness.  
Nyeer Carswell (Mary Kay client)

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**Kevin and Nyeer Carswell** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Brian, Kim, & the girls were my neighbor before I was married. I will always remember Brian as being such an outgoing person and one who could make you laugh. He will be greatly missed!

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**Laura Villyard Weatherford** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ We were so sorry to read about Brian's passing away.  
  
He installed our audio systems in both our houses, and he was always so nice and friendly. He loved his family and was very proud of them.  
  
We know he will be missed. Our prayers are with you all at this sad time.  
  
The Millers

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**Mark and Leigh Ann Miller** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ To the Winn Family:

*Our hearts go out to your family in the loss of Brian. My brother and sister-in-law, Dwain and Sherry Villyard, informed us of the sad news last evening. The larger extended Villyard family has always heard good things about you, their neighbors. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers at this difficult time.*

*Sincerely,*

*Diane Villyard Johnson*

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**Diane Villyard Johnson** - December 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM