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Brian Richard Young, 34, of Charlotte, NC passed away unexpectedly in the early hours of Wednesday, February 7, 2024.

He is deeply and intensely missed by his wife, Kimberly M. Young, son, Roman R. Young, daughter, Thea J. Young, and soon-to-be born daughter, Coralie E. Young.

Brian was born in Florida then raised in Hillsborough, NC. He was an avid sports fan and grew up playing ice hockey; however, he would speak most fondly about his time playing lacrosse - mostly because he was tired of being goalie. He attended Appalachian State University where he met his wife, Kimberly. They then moved to Nashville, TN where he began a career in purchasing and they started their family. The family then moved to Charlotte in the fall of 2021.

Brian was an amazing man; reliable, trustworthy, honest, and so stubborn. He lived a life driven by his values and principles; his family always knew he loved them and put them first. He had a fantastic sense of humor and liked watching and listening to stand-up comedy. Brian had an uncanny ability to name the capital of any state and country, and was always knowledgeable on current events and sports stats - which made him a great partner at trivia. He enjoyed running on the weekends, vacations (particularly the beach), and was a foodie at heart (especially pizza and BBQ). He made the very best Chicken Parmesan, which he and his loved ones would eat while playing Bocelli. Brian had an 80% chance of falling asleep during any movie. His favorite team was the Carolina Panthers (even though they never won the Super Bowl) and he had a goal to visit every MLB stadium (and probably buy a hat). He was proud of what a great beard he could grow (everyone always told him so) and that he never had a cavity. But in the end, Brian was most proud of being a father - something he truly excelled at.

We reflect on the small moments and will miss them so much: Dance parties in the kitchen; weekend dinners; taking the kids on his weekend runs (and bribing them with popsicles); nightly



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bath times, then falling asleep putting the kids to bed; board games on weekend mornings while mom slept in; long car rides; museums; and so much more. There is so much grief in our hearts, but also so much gratitude for having had him in our lives and all the memories we made.

Brian was preceded in death by his mother, Catherine Leigh Blackwelder, and grandparents, Charles “Dick” and Betty Blackwelder.

He is also survived by his father, Tim Young of Hillsborough, NC; grandmother, Katherine Young of Hillsborough, NC; grandfather, Robert “Bob” Young of Albuquerque, NM; sister, Alison Matthews of Mt. Juliet, TN and her immediate family.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the family via the following link:

<http://gofund.me/Oc71a0b2>

A memorial service will be held at 2 pm Friday, February 16 at St. John Fischer Chapel; located at 940 Carmichael Street, Chapel Hill, NC 27514.

James Funeral Home is assisting the family, online condolences may be made at

www.jamesfuneralhomelkn.com.



Events


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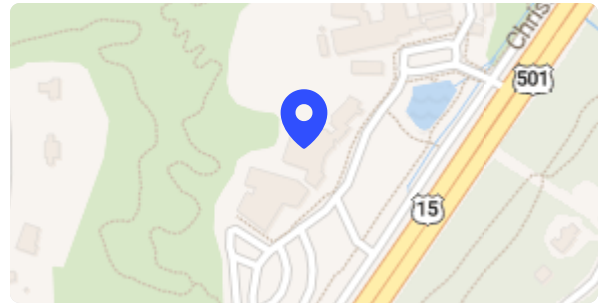
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Memorial Service

 **Friday**, February 16, 2024

 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM ET

 **John Fischer Chapel**
940 Carmichael Street, Chapel Hill NC 27514





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Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Young family.

February 21 at 5:10 AM



Bob And Patricia Young sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Young family.

February 16 at 4:01 AM



Bob And Patricia Young planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Brian.

February 16 at 4:01 AM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Young family.

February 16 at 3:56 AM



The Randalls...Richard, George, & Jane sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Young family.

February 15 at 1:01 PM



The Randalls...Richard, George, & Jane planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Brian.

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GW

Gina Wilson posted:

Sending prayers and strength to the Young family and friends.

February 14 at 11:15 AM

EA

Erik Allen posted:

I'm so sorry for your loss. I enjoyed speaking with Brian nearly every day. My prayers are with you.

February 13 at 7:50 AM

JE

Jay Eichman posted:

Blessings and prayers to Family and Friends. Brian was a pleasure to work with and was an integral part of our team family. Will miss his great attitude, strong work ethic, and lighthearted sense of humor.

February 13 at 5:51 AM

DA

Darcie Austin posted:

So sorry for your loss. Bryan was wonderful to work with & will be missed greatly. - Sincerely,
Darcie Austin

February 13 at 5:20 AM



David Enciso posted:

Brian was a great guy, very patient, objective and hard worker. God bless him, as well all his lovely family, rest in peace. - David Enciso (coworker)

February 12 at 5:30 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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