



Brandon Mulina

February 22, 1981 - August 17, 2023

Brandon Mulina, a resident of Hammond, Louisiana, died on Thursday, August 17, 2023 at the NeuroMedical Center in Baton Rouge, at the age of 42.

Suddenly stricken with Guillain-Barré syndrome last month, Brandon had made great strides in overcoming this adversity with a huge amount of determination, persistence, and faith. After making vast improvements and with the end of his rehabilitation in sight, he tragically succumbed to other complications of the disease.

Having accepted Jesus Christ as his Savior at a young age, Brandon was a member of First Baptist Church Franklinton. He graduated from Franklinton High School in 1999 and later received a degree in Communication Arts from Louisiana College. At the time of his passing he was the Director of Customer Experience at Great American RV SuperStore where he worked tirelessly and befriended countless coworkers and customers alike.

As Vice President of the Board of Directors of the Hammond Regional Arts Center, Brandon left an indelible mark on that organization. It described him as “a beacon of progression and compassion.” He always ensured that everyone involved with its events felt welcome and enjoyed themselves, and helped the organization reach new heights.

For over fifteen years, Brandon had been devoted to the Iota Delta Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity at Southeastern Louisiana University. He was a founder and former officer and served as a chapter advisor for the fraternity. More importantly, Brandon was a friend, role model, mentor, and positive voice for anyone who needed it. His loss is profoundly felt among his many Theta Chi brothers.

Brandon was most renowned for his generosity. He freely gave of his time, resources, sense of humor, gift of singing, knowledge of Star Trek, and his home. Above all, he blessed us with his laughter. Gifted with the most unique, infectious, and genuine laughs, he could instantly light up not just a room but an entire building. Coming from a place deep within, his laughter seemed so natural and effortless and brought pure unadulterated joy to all those who were fortunate enough to hear it.

He is survived by his mother, Lynn Ball Mulina; a brother, Wesley Mulina; a sister, Judy Kennedy; numerous uncles, aunts, and cousins; along with many dear friends. Brandon also leaves behind his beloved Shih Tzu, "Miss" London, a faithful companion and the light of his life for the past sixteen years.

Preceding Brandon in death were his father, J. W. Mulina, and his grandparents, Cecil and Lillian Ball, and Jewell and Athalee Mulina.

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home, 1109 Bene Street, Franklinton, on Monday August 21 from 5:00 pm until 9:00 pm and will resume at 9:00 am on Tuesday. A funeral service will be held in the funeral home chapel at 11:00 am Tuesday with Eld. Duane Ball and Eld. Doyle Ball officiating. Burial will follow in the Canaan Baptist Church Cemetery. Pallbearers are John Burriss, Chuck Cormier, James Erwin, Dylan LaPlante, Darren LeBlanc, Mauricio Mena, Jacob Sharkey, and Steven Thibodeaux. Honorary pallbearers are members

of the Theta Chi fraternity.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Hammond Regional Arts Center,
P.O. Box 2974, Hammond, LA 70404.

Tribute Wall

 Genny
Gen
Scott

“ My deepest and most heartfelt condolences for this immense loss of Brandon. I've only just found out today, one year nearly to the date of his passing. Such a great gift was Brandon, to each person he knew and to people meeting him for the first time. He had the best stories to tell and he told them with so much intensity that you felt like you had been there too!! Another soul sadly gone entirely too soon; the best ones always do.

Genny Gen Scott - August 23, 2024 at 12:39 PM

AB

“ Brandon interned at KALB-TV when I was a news reporter. Instant instant instantly became a friend. Though life took me to other cities in television we remained in contact for 23 years. That inofitself shows the character of him. To always be a friend. God needed a beautiful soul in heaven. God needed new laughter in heaven. God needed a new beaming light in heaven. Brandon may each of us live life as you did. For I will not cry. Because if we live right. On that day you will be there to welcome us with your beaming light and laughter. Allison BAEHR

Allison braxton baehr - August 22, 2023 at 11:52 PM

TA

“ On behalf of the Joann Hightower family...our deepest condolences. May the Lord give u peace & comfort. Prayers for the family.

Taylor - August 22, 2023 at 10:31 AM

RB

“ *Richard And Lisa Bourgeois lit a candle in memory of Brandon Mulina*



Richard and Lisa Bourgeois - August 21, 2023 at 08:36 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Brandon Mulina.

August 21, 2023 at 03:49 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Brandon Mulina.



August 21, 2023 at 03:49 PM

JF

“ *Jenny Brown and family purchased the Vivid Recollections* for the family of Brandon Mulina.



Jenny Brown and family - August 21, 2023 at 01:21 PM

PH

“ Lynn, I am so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my daily prayers. Peggy Dillon Hilburn

Peggy Dillon Hilburn - August 21, 2023 at 01:11 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Brandon Mulina.



August 21, 2023 at 12:34 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Brandon Mulina.

August 21, 2023 at 12:34 PM

GC

“ GREAT AMERICAN OF COLUMBUS planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brandon Mulina.

GREAT AMERICAN OF COLUMBUS - August 21, 2023 at 09:38 AM

GC

“ GREAT AMERICAN OF COLUMBUS purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Brandon Mulina.



GREAT AMERICAN OF COLUMBUS - August 21, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Brandon Mulina.*



August 20, 2023 at 10:11 PM



“ *Our deepest condolences to you and your family Lynn praying for your strength 🙏🙏🙏 Elie n Frances Robinson and family 💔💔💔*

Frances Robinson - August 20, 2023 at 08:26 PM



“ *Deepest sympathy for Ms Lynn and families.*

Sharon Thomas Beckett - August 20, 2023 at 01:52 PM



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Brandon Mulina.*



August 20, 2023 at 12:29 PM

DP

“ He was always a joy to be around with his amusing stories , laughter and loving personality. He was in Jr. High and High School together with my daughter, Jennifer Pigott, and I knew him through her and my nephew, Michael McDaniel. Everyone who knew him knows what a big loss will be felt by his beloved family and friends. Prayers for all.



Deby Pigott - August 20, 2023 at 11:57 AM

SD

“ I meet Brandon through Chuck Cormier. I am Chuck's Aunt. Brandon was a joy to meet, he captured a room and everyone in it with his laughter, story telling, beautiful smile and sweet disposition. I enjoyed every encounter I had with him and blessed to have know him. He called me Aunt Sheila💙. Rest in peace sweet Brandon, you have left and imprint on my heart.

sheila daigle - August 20, 2023 at 09:34 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Brandon Mulina.



August 20, 2023 at 06:24 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Brandon Mulina.

August 19, 2023 at 10:55 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brandon Mulina.*



August 19, 2023 at 10:55 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Brandon Mulina.*



August 19, 2023 at 10:52 PM