



George "Skip" Briand

March 21, 1945 - November 4, 2016

Hampton - George "Skip" Briand, 71, of Hampton, passed away on Friday, November 4, 2016 after a brave battle with Leukemia.

Skip was born in Dover on March 21, 1945 to Ernest and Bella (Legere) Briand. He was a graduate of Somersworth High School and served with the N.H. National Guard in Vietnam.

Skip worked at General Electric in Somersworth and then at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard, retiring in 2005. He worked the last few years at Seacoast Florist in Hampton.

He enjoyed traveling to the White Mountains with his wife, NASCAR, all New England sports teams, collecting baseball cards, and spending time with his grandchildren.

Skip is survived by his wife of 34 years, Claire (Thibault) Briand of Hampton, his children Kenneth (Kristen) Briand of Rochester, Gary (Debbie) Briand of Barrington, and Paula Panteledes of West Newbury, Massachusetts, his stepsons John Chasse of Bedford, and Brian Chasse of New Durham, his grandchildren Brittney Carter, Tyler and Aimee Briand, and Isabella and Olivia Panteledes, and step grandchildren Amber, Ryan, Evan, and Olivia Chasse. He is also survived by his sister Linda (Jim) Sunderland of Barrington and brother Don (Marjorie) Briand of Dover, a special niece, Megan Benitez and her husband Moises and children Joseph and Andreyra of Floresville, Texas. Skip also leaves behind special friends, Beverly and Richard Ward and family of Hampton and lifelong friend, Bill McDaniels of Charleston, South Carolina. He was fortunate to have in his life many other nieces, nephews, cousins, and special aunts. Skip was predeceased by his parents, brother, Paul "PJ" Briand, and stepson, Jeff Chasse.

A mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at 11 A.M. Wednesday, January 11, 2017 at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church, 289 Lafayette Road, Hampton. Donations in Skip's name may be made to your local SPCA or consider becoming a blood or platelet donor in the fight against leukemia. Assistance with the arrangements was by the Remick & Gendron Funeral home-Crematory, Hampton.

Comments



“ Skip was a wonderful person. He always made me laugh. I can picture him with his "PATs hat on! I will miss him. Claire he is watching over you.

Love,
Phyllis

Phyllis Ender - November 17, 2016 at 10:26 AM



“ Rest In Peace my dear friend. The loyalty you offered to Seacoast Florist and to me is unmatched. As you always said " a good match". Rest now in the arms of your beloved mom and brother knowing your jobs are all well done and Claire and all your loved ones will be okay.

Cindy Willis - November 13, 2016 at 07:43 AM



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Cindy Willis - November 13, 2016 at 07:19 AM



“ NO... Looks are Deceiving. Special Niece indeed, Megan Benitez Briand. His brothers daughter. Paul Briand never paid child support nor contributed anything anything, nor did Skip, Bella, or any family member contribute to the support of Megan. Bella and Paul wanted me to get an Abortion. I did not. I supported that child myself. The Briand family bad mouthed me from day one and will never stop. That shows their character. Looks are quite deceiving for sure. When Megan turned 18 Skip poisoned her mind against me her mother who supported her. They did not contribute. They were out for revenge for their benefit. The Briand Trait. Hypocrites. They only care about themselves and no one else.

Briand - May 31, 2020 at 12:52 PM



“ The Briand Family never paid a cent, not a penny, toward the support of Megan Briand. Not food, not child support, not a koimedical or dental bill, not clothing, not education, not shoes, not a birthday card or Christmas card, nothing, absolutely nothing toward the health and welfare of that child. The kind words here do not portray the truth of Skip, his brother Paul, or his family. They bad mouthed me from the start, tried and tried to steal my daughter away. When she turned 18 Skip succeeded to convince her of his undying love. It was all a scam to deceive and blackball the mother of Megan to get revenge. Briand family are Evil and want nothing to do with them. Paul Briand was a bum, alcoholic, drug user, unkind, inconsiderate, bookie, didn't work, spent \$75 to \$100 dollars a day at bars drinking, smoking, doing drugs, and refused to pay child support or anything else. As far as I'm concerned they are all LOOSERS.

Briand - September 04, 2020 at 09:23 AM



“ What goes around, comes around...

Briand - September 04, 2020 at 09:26 AM



“ Paul Briand lied and deceived me into thinking he worked full time, was a good man, and had a good family. I married him, it was the BIGGEST mistake of my entire life. It was a nightmare, a total nightmare. It was the biggest and worst mistake of my life. Evil person, evil family. If I had to do it all again, believe me I would not have done it. For sure.

Briand - September 04, 2020 at 09:37 AM



“ Like I said, if I had to do it all over again, I definitely would not have done it, for sure.

Briand - September 04, 2020 at 09:39 AM



“ Skip finally got revenge on me when megan turned 17 he convinced her that her father paul, skip, and the Briand family loved her tremendously she fell for it believed him and turned against her own mother abandoned me in a hotel room with no money well paul her own father never paid child support he beat me at nine months pregnant refused to pay

rent had to move ten times he lived at the legion bar everyday spending \$100 a day on drinking drugs cocaine gambling and was a bookie the police dept protected him because they were in on it too gambling I took paul to court 12 times for child support the judge would not enforce it paul lied about his income skip bella donny and their sister too all Briand family did not contribute one dollar not anything to the support health and welfare of megan they all kept trying to steal my daughter away from me badmouthed me every chance they could get skip professed to megan that he and Briand family liked me and cared about me convincencing her of that but behind her back on the phone with me he said you are not a Briand only megan is she didn't know he said that to me he made her believe otherwise she fell for it hook line and sinker and abandoned her own mother in a hotel room with no money megan turned out just like all of Briand evil selfish lyers she did not want to help me in anyway like carry the groceries in or clean her room she disobeyed me she tried to run my life she wanted to be in charge she was disrespectful while I worked full time with a broken back to support her and keep a roof over her head skip is a lyer bella and paul wanted me to get an abortion I wish I never married paul and Briand family and gave birth they used me abused me neglected me chewed me up and spit me out I hate all of them.

Briand Brisnd - June 19, 2021 at 12:28 PM



“ The Briand family think they are better than anyone else they think they are perfect they badmouth other people to try to make themselves look good or better but they are not they are evil uncaring selfish lying people megan turned out just the same they ruined 30 years of my life I will never get that back it was a nightmare horror show. I am a much better person than any of them combined I did my job but it did not pay off at all I'm glad I'm out of it now and will never return to that abuse and neglect again ever so they can have her she can have them I really don't care.

Briand Brisnd - June 19, 2021 at 01:27 PM



“ Because paul did not want to pay child support megan and I both had to go without a lot of things which resulted megan blaming the way she had to live without things on me what she didn't realize was that back then women only were paid very low wages like \$5 and \$6 dollars an hour no one can live on that and without child support can you imagine what we lacked like food medical care clothes and more but the Briand family did not care at all they knew that paul abused me beat me didn't pay rent or Bill's they knew he was a bookie I didn't they knew he lived at bars everyday drinking smoking marijuana cocaine he was a nut case and unbearable to live with with so inconsiderate Megan's son is a evil pathological lyer looser her daughter is a lesbian they never punished those kids let them do anything they wanted left them alone all day long while at work joey abused andrea beat her kicked her bit her pulled her hair and God only knows what else made her do all the chores at home and lied about it I was on to him so megan and her husband refused to believe it. OMG I am so glad I don't have to deal with this abuse anymore. Never to return guaranteed.

Briand Brisnd - June 19, 2021 at 01:58 PM



“ Now you all have the truth jesus and god as my witness.

Briand Brisnd - June 19, 2021 at 02:00 PM



“ My sincere condolences for the loss of Skip. I worked at the Shipyard for 29 years, every time I saw Skip he was upbeat and happy and helpful. He will not be forgotten.

Pam Fortin - November 12, 2016 at 06:06 PM



“ Sincere condolences to the Briand family. As a fellow Shipyarder, I worked with Skip for many years. He was a great guy and will be missed by all who knew him.
Mike Hughes/ Rigger Shop

Mike Hughes - November 12, 2016 at 03:58 PM



“ I work at the shipyard and although I didn't know Skip, I'm sorry for your loss. Pete Lacasse Shop 38 MCM.

Pete Lacasse - November 12, 2016 at 03:00 PM



“ Skip was a pleasure to work with. My sympathies to his family.
Debbie Hale

Debbie Hale - November 12, 2016 at 02:14 PM



“ i spent a good part of my career at pnsy on the rd....i worked a lot of off yard availabilities ...skip briand was one of the best managers i ever worked for...always helpful ,never a cross word heard..absolutely always up beat....

arthur nye - July 15, 2018 at 10:49 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Skip Briand



Don - November 12, 2016 at 07:02 AM



“ I worked with "Skip" at the shipyard and remember him as a dedicated employee who loved his job and his country. My deepest sympathy to his family at this time of sorrow.

Mark Joncas, South Berwick, Maine

mark joncas - November 12, 2016 at 06:25 AM



“ Remembering Skip as a good hearted, positive, family oriented, smiling and loving person/cousin. Sincere sympathy to the whole family. C.Legere

Cynthia - November 12, 2016 at 06:53 AM



“ 3 files added to the album Skip Briand



Don - November 11, 2016 at 09:00 AM



“ 4 files added to the album Skip Briand



Don - November 11, 2016 at 07:07 AM



“ The world has lost a superb human being, a very special person who put his country, his family and his friends needs ahead of his own. It was a great honor and pleasure to know Skip and furthermore it is hard to find the right words to say how proud I am that he was my friend. My heart and condolences goes to the Briand Family for they have lost a great man and now have a void that will be very difficult or perhaps impossible to fill.

Very Respectfully

Dennis E. Lauze

Dennis Lauze - November 11, 2016 at 06:34 AM



“ I knew Skip well. We were on the road together many times. I can say this in all honesty,

HE ALWAYS HAD MY BACK !

Semper Fi....Robbie the Rigga, shop 72

Robbie - November 14, 2016 at 07:10 PM