



Brian Ford Madison

November 14, 1953 - January 26, 2026

Brian Ford Madison, 72, born November 14, 1953, in Indianapolis, Indiana, to Harry G. Madison and Lois Ford Madison, passed away on January 26, 2026.

Brian loved spending time with his grandchildren, especially teaching them how to fix things and work on home improvement projects. He enjoyed the outdoors, hiking Indiana's state parks, with special fondness for Mounds State Park and McCormick's Creek, where he spent many Thanksgivings with family. Brian and his wife, Cheryl, were married for 45 years, and nearly every weekend they visited a state park together. He also loved nature preserves and planting flowers to attract birds and butterflies, particularly goldfinches and monarchs. Brian always looked forward to the annual trip with his children and grandchildren to an amusement park.

Brian loved to travel and explore National Parks, with favorite vacation spots being the beaches of North Carolina. He earned his pilot's license and flew a Cessna shortly afterward but chose not to fly again, often saying it was too dangerous; however, when flying for vacation with Cheryl, he would say it was "the quickest way to get there." He had a deep love of history, especially World War II, attended Purdue University, and was a loyal IU basketball and football fan as well as an Indianapolis Colts fan. Brian loved all animals, especially Basset hounds, and enjoyed cars, amusement parks, and rock and roll music.

Brian is survived by his wife, Cheryl Madison; son, Randall (Kelly) Madison; daughter, Cynthia Hunter; granddaughter, Ava Madison; grandson, Joshua Hunter; grandson, Chase Hunter; granddaughter, Isabel Madison; granddaughter, Samantha Madison; cousin, Anne (Gerald) Harper; cousin, Phyllis Morrison; cousin, Barbara Madison.

He was preceded in death by his parents', Harry and Lois; brother, Daryl Madison; and several aunts and uncles.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, January 31st, 2026 from 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM at Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, 200 West 53rd Street, Anderson, Indiana 46013.

Services will begin at 2:00 PM with Deacon Jeff Stewart of Kingston Avenue officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to Animal Protection League or Tuberos Sclerosis Complex Alliance in honor of Brian.

Brian will be remembered for his curiosity, kindness, and unwavering devotion to his

family.

The family would like to thank Dr. Reddy and staff, Dr. Robert Anderson and Compassus Hospice staff.

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Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 31. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (est)

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Funeral Service

JAN 31. 2:00 PM (est)

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Tribute Wall

ME

“ Cynthia and ava I am so sorry for the lost of your sweet father and grand father I love ❤️ you both and keeping your family in my thoughts and prayers 🙏 Melissa Ellingwood

Melissa Ellingwood - February 03 at 08:51 AM

LF

“ Love, The Tufts Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Brian Ford Madison.



Love, The Tufts Family - January 31 at 01:52 PM

LF

“ Love, The Tufts Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian Ford Madison.

Love, The Tufts Family - January 31 at 01:52 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brian Ford Madison.



January 30 at 08:14 PM

SK

“ Shawna, Erik, Aleks, and Kora planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian Ford Madison.

Shawna, Erik, Aleks, and Kora - January 30 at 08:14 PM

TJ

“ I was so sad to hear of Brian's passing. We worked together at Culligan Water Conditioning years ago. He was always do kind and fun to work with. I had the opportunity to talk to him ny phone about a year ago. It was a great conversation. I know he will be missed.

Teresa Joyce - January 30 at 03:33 PM



“ 113 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Loose Funeral Home - January 30 at 03:02 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity* was purchased for the family of *Brian Ford Madison*.



January 29 at 11:14 AM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Brian Ford Madison*.



January 29 at 11:06 AM



“ *Anne M.* planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of *Brian Ford Madison*.

Anne M. - January 28 at 09:41 PM



“ *Jeffery S.* purchased the *Divine Peace Bouquet* for the family of *Brian Ford Madison*.



Jeffery S. - January 27 at 04:38 PM

JS

“ Jeffery S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian Ford Madison.

Jeffery S. - January 27 at 04:38 PM