



## William Brian Hall

December 14, 1967 - January 3, 2020

William Brian Hall, 52, of Murphysboro, passed away at 9:10 p.m. Friday, January 3, 2020, at his residence in Murphysboro.

William was born on December 14, 1967, in Louisville, Kentucky, to Charles W. Hall and Nannie J. (Rogers) Hall.

He had served in the U.S. Navy.

He was on the Honor Roll and he graduated from John A. Logan College with his LPN Degree. He worked as a LPN at the jail. William was also accepted to the John A. Logan Nursing Program, but due to his health, he was not able to complete this degree.

Mr. Hall was a member of The Vine Church in Carbondale. He was a member of the Haiku Society. He wrote poetry and short stories, played music, and went fishing and hiking. He was a fanatic when it came to KY Basketball, Pittsburg Steelers Football, and Cincinnati Reds baseball.

William married Amy Hobbs on May 19, 1995, in Murphysboro, and she survives.

Other survivors include three children Evan Hall, Lily Ann Hall and Owen Hall,

all at home;

three brothers Michael (Mindy) Tindle of Ft. Myers, FL, Mark (Anita) Hall of Murphysboro, Jody Hall of Elizabethtown, KY;

and one sister Lori (Karol) Hall of New Haven, PA.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

His body will be cremated, and a Memorial Service will be held at 10:30 am Saturday, January 11, 2020, at The Vine, Carbondale, with Pastor Michael Stephens officiating. There will be visitation to greet the family from 10 to 10:30 am at the church. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Southern Illinois, Inc. For more information, please visit [www.pettettfuneralhome.com](http://www.pettettfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Crain Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of William Brian Hall*



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**Crain Funeral Home** - January 03, 2020 at 12:00 AM



“ *William Brian Hall*

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October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *I really enjoyed getting to know Brian when he took my microbiology class last fall, before he got too sick to be in school. He was a delight as a student: charming, kind, smart and always ready with an interesting perspective. Wishing for peace and comfort for all who loved Brian.*

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**Jo Forer** - January 10, 2020 at 06:46 PM



“ *Brian was a Great Person, Very kind & Caring. I worked with him at John A Logan College & we hit it off as we are both huge Pittsburgh Steelers Fans. I pray for Brian's Family during this difficult time , God Bless*

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**Jason Mueller** - January 10, 2020 at 03:37 PM

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“ Brian was my greatest friend - since high school we've strummed guitar, swapped books quotes and poems, and have done things centered around writing for a long time. We wrote poetry and had set out to write some good haiku...we did that. We'd take long drives for the sake of art, or just to see something cool. There was a long stretch when every Friday Night meant dinner and a hangout, with him, Amy, Evan, Lily, and Owen - okay - the hangout part was with him and Amy mostly, lol, but those were really special times. They all had that wonderful sense of humor and easy disposition that Brian had, so even the atmosphere was hospitable... I was proud of him ...he just knew what it meant to have everything in life and he showed me important things about how to live it!

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**Steve Smolak** - January 07, 2020 at 11:24 PM

DG

“ I met Brian as a teenager. We both had moved to Murphysboro with our parents and siblings. We lived in the same neighborhood and rode the same school bus, we were good friends. He helped me with Algebra homework often. I asked him too often and sometimes I would bribe him with \$ to get him to help me. 😊 I have ran into Brian a few times in our adult life at the ballfields or local businesses. He introduced me to his beautiful family and we caught up on what was happening with our parents and siblings. Brian is a big chunk of my childhood memories in Murphysboro. One thing I remember was all the neighborhood kids would play outside games in the summer evenings and my parents would always make me be home by the time the street lights came on. Lol We all had great fun as kids together. You won't ever be forgotten Brian!

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**Dana Garsky** - January 07, 2020 at 03:58 PM

CH

“ I met Brian in 2017 when he and a friend drove to Austin, Texas from Carbondale for a haiku-centered poetry reading I was hosting. It was a joy to meet him and spend time with him. My condolences to the family. May his memory always be for a blessing.

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**Cindy Huyser** - January 07, 2020 at 01:19 PM

DO

“ I'm so very sorry. I worked with Brian at WPS. He was always a gentleman. Brian was so proud of his family, he loved his church and the Lord. I remember walking by his desk and he would be reading his bible. It has been an honor to know him.

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**Donna** - January 06, 2020 at 09:56 PM

JA

“ Amy, my heart goes out to you, Evan, Lilly and Owen. I have been praying and will continue, for you all. Brian was always very kind and sweet when I was around him, God welcomed a special person into his kingdom. ❤️❤️❤️❤️ and 🙏🙏🙏🙏

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**Janet Austin** - January 06, 2020 at 02:38 PM