



Brian "Coach" L. Allbritton

April 2, 1959 - May 30, 2024

Brian "Coach" L. Allbritton, age 65, passed away unexpectedly on May 30, 2024, at his home in Helotes Texas. Born on April 2, 1959, in Dallas, Texas, to Charles and Mary Allbritton, Brian spent his early years in Waxahachie, Texas, before moving to San Antonio, Texas, at the age of eight.

Brian graduated from John Marshall High School in 1977. He continued his education at Howard Payne University before earning his degree from the University of Texas at San Antonio (UTSA) in 1985. From a young age, Brian knew he wanted to be a football coach, a passion he pursued with unwavering dedication throughout his career.

He began his coaching journey at Pat Neff Middle School after gaining initial experience volunteering at Sul Ross Middle School. In August 1999, Brian found his calling as the Athletic Coordinator at John Connally Middle School. There he coached football, basketball, track, and also taught History classes. Brian's commitment to education and athletics spanned over 35 years, culminating in his retirement from the Northside Independent School District in June 2019. After his retirement, he continued to pursue his love of athletics by assisting the football games and track meets at Dub Farris Athletic Complex and Gus Stadium in NISD.

On March 10, 1990, Brian married the love of his life, Phyllis Orrick. They shared 34 wonderful years together, marked by love, partnership, and mutual support.. Brian cherished sharing time with his family, holding the dear moments with his wife and daughter close.

Beyond his professional life, Brian had a love for golf, hunting, and fishing, often spending time enjoying these activities with his close friends. He also served as a Deacon at First Baptist Church for several years, exemplifying his deep faith and dedication to his community.

Brian was preceded in death by his parents, Mary and Charles Allbritton. He is survived by his loving wife, Phyllis, his beloved daughter, Katelyn, and his future son-in-law, Ian Niebla. His presence, guidance, and love will be profoundly missed by all who knew him.

A memorial service will be held to honor Brian's life and legacy. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Frontline Heros Outdoors, or a charity of your choice.

Brian was a proud American, a devoted Texan, and above all else a man of God. He will always be remembered for his devotion to his family, passion for coaching, and his unwavering commitment to his faith and community. May he rest in peace.

Cemetery Details

Mission Burial Park North

20900 I.H. 10
West San Antonio, TX 78230

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 6. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North Cherry Ridge
3401 Cherry Ridge Drive
San Antonio, TX 78230

Funeral Service

JUN 7. 12:00 PM (CT)

Fred J. Tips Mausoleum Chapel
20900 IH 10 West
San Antonio, TX 78257

Tribute Wall

AN

“ Brian was an amazing man. He was a light in my life. He was man full of wisdom and always knew the right thing to say! He will live on in my memory. i will cherish the memories i have with him and his family! i know he’s in heaven watching over Katelyn and Ms. A! ... and me too!

anonymous - June 07 at 01:25 PM

BB

“ I had the pleasure of knowing Coach Allbritton when I attended Connally Middle School in 2006. I am 32 now and I still talk about how great of a coach he was. We all loved him. It’s sad to know he is gone.

Brittaney Beaumont - June 07, 2024 at 09:23 PM

LP

“ What a beautiful soul who is the epitome of a God loving God fearing, loyal husband, daddy and friend. A true man of God. He made such a beautiful impact and difference in so many lives... his legacy will live on through everyone he impacted. It’s so beautiful to see how he was loved, appreciated and respected. He will surely be missed although, he will always be that positive and inspiring voice in the heart and soul of everyone he touched. God bless the Allbritton family and everyone who loved him.

Linda Pena - June 07, 2024 at 08:30 PM

RG

“ Please accept my condolences. I worked with Brian at Pat Neff MS. I can still see him walking down the hall, smiling and greeting everyone. He always brightened my day.
Rosanna Goff ❤️🙏

Rosanna Goff - June 06, 2024 at 04:15 PM

KH

“ I had the pleasure of working with Coach Allbritton for 8 years at Connally. He was never short on conversation and always had a way of cracking us up with his commentary on all things teaching Jr High entailed. He would approach with that twinkle in his eye and little half smile and we knew he had something good to share. That smirk and twinkle paled in comparison to how he simple beamed at the mention of his family. You only had to know Coach for 5 minutes to know his family was the light of his life. My heart aches for you all. Praying for comfort in this devastating season

Kristin (Frye) Henson - June 06, 2024 at 02:54 PM

CK

“ No more offsides, technical fouls, false starts coaching is a tuff profession Brian You did it well

coach Larry Kensing - June 05, 2024 at 05:16 PM

SF

“ Steve, Elena Sanchez & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian "Coach" L. Allbritton.

Steve, Elena Sanchez & Family - June 05, 2024 at 04:55 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brian "Coach" L. Allbritton.*



June 05, 2024 at 04:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Brian "Coach" L. Allbritton.*



June 05, 2024 at 03:30 PM



“ *brian was the ultimate christian man, he was devoted to family as well as football, he and his dad were the best of friends i have witnessed there love of father and son so many time they hated they fished, the played golf they coached they were a devoted family. his love fro his wife and katelyyn was the true father husband i ever saw in a man, i am a better person to have known him his mom and dad. he will be truly missed by me but hold the memories in my heart.*

i pray for katelyn and phyliss it has to be so hard such a sudden loss but know he is ok in heaven. i will pray for you guys and i pray for peace to you both.

what a guy!

shawn groff

shawn groff - June 05, 2024 at 09:04 AM

RG

“ *Phyllis & Katelyn: My heart is broken, as I know are both of yours. I called Brian about two weeks ago and asked if he would help me move the office furniture of a non-profit for which I volunteer. He came over and we jumped in the truck and moved the furniture. Always willing to help, always there when he was needed. Always an outstanding friend and brother in Christ. Gonna miss him! Love you both.*

Randy Garner - June 04, 2024 at 05:08 PM

CS

“ *Connally Middle School purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Brian "Coach" L. Allbritton.*



Connally Middle School - June 04, 2024 at 04:42 PM

SM

“ *Phyllis and Family: Kevin and I are so heartbroken for you all and were so glad to spend time with Mr. Allbritton at Brian Cheatham's 50th party. We visited quite a long time that evening, and he was so glad to see how well Kevin was doing and mentioned that you all would come for a visit to our place soon. We send our sincere condolences to the family and Pray for all of you at this time. Love, Kevin and Sybil McElyea*

Sybil A McElyea - June 04, 2024 at 03:30 PM

BK

“ *Beverlee K. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian "Coach" L. Allbritton.*

Beverlee K. - June 04, 2024 at 02:21 PM



“ *Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Brian "Coach" L. Allbritton.*



June 04, 2024 at 12:55 PM