



Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen

May 31, 1980 - August 27, 2024

Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen (née Hempe), 44, passed away on August 27th, 2024.

Brienne was born on May 31st, 1980, in Ames, Iowa, to Cynthia Jackson and Mark Hempe. A wife, mother, and cherished friend, Brienne lived her life with a spirit of adventure and boundless energy. Her infectious humor and vibrant personality left a lasting impact on everyone she met. She embraced every moment and touched all who knew her.

Brienne had a deep passion for traveling, music, human rights and activism. She attended Florida Gulf Coast University and spent her career as an optometry office manager and data manager. Brienne was known for her fun personality and being fiercely protective of her children.

She married Steven Paulsen on March 18th, 2001, and together they built a loving home filled with laughter, warmth, and many cherished memories. Brienne's greatest joy came from her family; she found immense happiness in spending time with her children.

Brienne is survived by her husband, Steven Paulsen; her children, Michael Johnson, Christopher Paulsen, Caille Marshall (Grant), Connor Paulsen, and Kate Paulsen; her parents, Cynthia Jackson and Mark Hempe; and her sister

Devon Hempe.

A funeral service will be held on September 5th at Mission Park Funeral Chapels- Medical Center, 8332 Fredericksburg Rd, San Antonio, TX 78229. A viewing will be held at 3 p.m. with service at 4 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to a college education fund for Brienne's two youngest children, Connor and Kate, in Brienne's memory.

<https://everloved.com/life-of/brienne-paulsen/>

Her family and friends will forever hold Brienne in their hearts, remembering her as a beautiful soul who brought light and love into our world.

Previous Events

Viewing

SEP 5. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Medical Center
8332 Fredericksburg Rd
San Antonio, TX 78229

Celebration of Life

SEP 5. 4:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

AN

“ *Angel lit a candle in memory of Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen*



Angel - September 05, 2024 at 03:40 PM

KK

“ *Although it has been many years since I have seen Bri, she left an enormous imprint upon my heart. Bri was one of the brightest and energetic people that I have ever known. She was a guiding light, and I know with in my heart she still is. She is guiding the souls in heaven. An angel on earth and now an angel in heaven.*

Kim Knesebeck - September 04, 2024 at 04:20 PM

SW

“ *Steve Wind-Mozley purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen.*



Steve Wind-Mozley - September 04, 2024 at 11:35 AM

JS

“ *Jill Sands purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen.*



Jill Sands - September 03, 2024 at 04:58 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen.*



September 03, 2024 at 04:22 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen.*



September 03, 2024 at 04:17 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen.*



September 03, 2024 at 04:07 PM

KO

“ Steve-I am so very sorry to hear of your wife's passing. I never met Bri, but I can tell from the other posts that she must have been a wonderful companion. Nothing that I can say will help but take time to grieve and remember all of the great times you had together. Laughter does help but it can turn into tears. Spend time with family and share those memories. Kim Oglesby

Kim Oglesby - September 03, 2024 at 03:58 PM

BO

“ Steven - So sorry to hear about Bri. Deepest condolences to you and the family from Debbie and I. - Brian Olson

Brian Olson - September 03, 2024 at 02:54 PM

AM

“ One night Bri, Devon, and I were sitting around on the floor chatting. I made Bri laugh so hard that her drink came out of her nose. She was a special person full of life and love. We always enjoyed each other, she's my sister from another mister, and I will deeply miss Bri.

Amy - September 02, 2024 at 02:50 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen.



September 02, 2024 at 02:27 PM

AN

“ Steven, I'm deeply sorry for your loss. I know there are no words that can ease your pain, but please know that my thoughts are with you during this incredibly difficult time. Much love.

Anu

Anu - September 02, 2024 at 09:51 AM

DW

“ Over the past few years Brienne and I have had many late night Facebook messenger conversations sharing important things about our families. She loves her children dearly. I will miss those conversations so much. I guess one possible good thing about social media is having some permanent records of our important connections. I will treasure mine with Brienne.

Love, Deidre

Deidre Wahlin - September 01, 2024 at 09:22 PM

KA

“ Steve, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Karen - September 01, 2024 at 02:08 PM

MG

“ Steve, you and your family have my deepest and most sincere condolences.

Mikita Geraldts - August 30, 2024 at 04:51 PM

JP

“ Steve - We are so very sorry for your loss, our thoughts & prayers go out for you and your family - Jim & Rosita Preston

Jim Preston - August 30, 2024 at 04:24 PM

KP

“ *When something like this happens, it leaves everyone figuring out how to pick up the pieces. There are no words, only love and support during this sorrowful time. I am here for you. Kenny & Juana Phipps*

Kenny & Juana Phipps - August 30, 2024 at 04:12 PM

OE

“ *Nothing I could say will ease your pain, but please know how sorry I am you have lost someone so special like Brie.*



Olga Escamilla - August 30, 2024 at 10:32 AM

DI

“ *Thank you for being a bright light in this world.*

Diane Fornbacher & Family



Diane - August 29, 2024 at 10:38 PM

MN

“ *Mission Park North lit a candle in memory of Brienne Elizabeth Paulsen*



Mission Park North - August 29, 2024 at 07:38 PM