



Brian Allan Nichols

April 29, 1971 - November 13, 2025

It is with profound sadness that we announce the passing of Brian Allan Nichols, age 54, who entered into eternal rest Thursday, November 13, 2025 in Newnan, Georgia at Piedmont Newnan Hospital. He was born April 29, 1971 in Gloucester, Massachusetts, and was the son of Carlene Smith Smyly and George Allan Lucas. Brian Allan Nichols met his best friend and soulmate Melissa Ann Rabago Nichols when he was 16 years old in Deming, New Mexico in 1987. Brian and Melissa married on December 7, 1990. Brian worked for Bank of America for 30 years in several departments and was appreciated and admired by his supervisors and coworkers. Brian liked to tinker with cars and enjoyed fishing with his best friend adopted brother, Monserrat (Buddy) Nieves. Brian enjoyed spending time with his family. He would always say his 14-year-old granddaughter Brooklynn Skye was his "Heart". He enjoyed taking her on trips, they had a strong bond with each other. Brian was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Melissa Ann Rabago Nichols of 30 years who left a lasting impact on his heart. And two bonus dads, Charles T. Nichols and Mongin M. Smyly and nephew Zachary A. Miller. He is survived by two daughters Brittany Nichols and Alyssa Nichols and his granddaughter Brooklynn Skye Nichols; his mother, Carlene Smith Smyly, his father George A. Lucas, his sister, Michelle E. Lucas and bonus sisters, Darlena Nichols Brown and Marci Nichols Merriman. Special mention Donnie (Elizabeth) Linnell, and Jennifer Price. A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, November 29, 2025 at 5 PM in the chapel McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson

St. in Newnan, Georgia. The family will receive friends on Saturday from 4 PM until service time. Condolences may be expressed to the family online at www.mckoon.com. McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580.

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
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<http://www.mckoon.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **29**. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Funeral Service

NOV **29**. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Brian Allan Nichols*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - November 29, 2025 at 09:16 AM



“ *From Don and Liz Linnell purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Brian Allan Nichols.*



From Don and Liz Linnell - November 29, 2025 at 11:41 AM