



## Brian Keith Hartman

February 27, 1968 - September 2, 2019

Brian Hartman, of Wilmington, IL and Crystal Lake, IL passed away on September 2, 2019 in Thailand at the age of 51, where he had most recently been living. He was laid to rest by his family at the Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood, Illinois. Brian was born on February 27, 1968 in Joliet, IL, graduated from Wilmington High school, then served the United States Navy from 1986-1992, three years active duty, stationed in Pearl Harbor, and three years in the reserves. He earned an associate's and a bachelor's degree in engineering technology and a master's in business administration from DeVry University and Keller Graduate School of Management respectively. He spent much of his working career as an engineer traveling to and working in China. He is survived by his mother, Helen Hartman; his daughters, Claire and Emma Hartman, their mother, Debra Hartman; his brother, Tom (Debbie) Hartman and their son, Adam. He is preceded in death by his father, Jerry Hartman. Brian will be remembered by his family and many great friends, here and abroad, for his zest for life. R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory was entrusted with the arrangements. For more information and to sign his online guestbook please log on to [www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com](http://www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com) or find us on Facebook at R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory.

# Cemetery Details

## **Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery**

20953 W. Hoff Rd.  
Elwood, IL 60421

# Tribute Wall

MC

“ *Helen and family so very sorry to hear about Brian. My thoughts and prayers are with each of you. God Bless*

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**Mary Chaney** - October 15, 2019 at 01:16 PM

BP

“ *Absolutely heartbroken 💔. My most fond memories are of going to your house and baseball always being on. Us kids outside playing and our moms in the kitchen. Aunt Helen and Tom, you are both in my prayers and I love you both.*

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**Brandy Pagni-Antraccoli** - October 11, 2019 at 01:14 PM

MP

“ *We had some awesome times at the club and and at grandma and grandpa Hartmans in Arkansas I'm going to miss you cuz . I had never met your wife or daughters my heart goes out to them and aunt Helen I am sorry your a strong woman I love you an Tom I cant imagine love you all .many prayers Mark Pagni*

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**Mark Pagni** - October 11, 2019 at 07:13 AM



“ *Oh Helen my heart is breaking for you and your family. Brian was such a sweet boy. I flashed back to all the good times spent with you and your family when the kids were little. And of course our Grand Canyon trip. I hope you feel the love, my friend and that someday you find peace. His spirit will live on in you and his children and brother forever.*

*Love, Chris Mann Cochran*

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**Christine Turan Mann Cochran** - October 10, 2019 at 02:27 PM

Annie  
Roehl

“ Sooo sorry Deb, girls n family. We were neighbors in CL. Our love and prayers to you during this difficult time. RIP My friend. ❤️

Annie Roehl - October 10, 2019 at 01:59 PM

SS

“ We are so sorry for your loss, Helen. Susan & Jimmy

susan stanley - October 09, 2019 at 11:30 PM

SP

Sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my prayers.

Spool0509@gmail.com - October 10, 2019 at 03:27 PM

JE

Helen, my heart breaks for you and your family. So sorry to hear of your loss. May you find comfort in knowing that others share your grief with you. You and your family are in my prayers.

Joan Erwin - October 10, 2019 at 09:35 PM

SM

Helen and family, Chuck and I are so sorry for the loss of Brian. words are never adequate at times like this. Our deepest sympathy to you and Brian's family.

With love to all, Chuck and Sandy Marshall

Sandy Marshall - October 11, 2019 at 02:09 PM

CH

Miss you brother. The old days at MOT and the recent ones on my not-often-enough stops in Shenzhen... and of course no matter where we were in the world, the almost daily WeChat catch ups on the Cubs. Will see you at Wrigley every summer! Deb, Claire, Emma, and the entire family.... so sorry for your loss.

Chris Hillman - October 13, 2019 at 12:07 AM

LB

*Helen, I just heard of Brian's passing over the weekend. My deepest sympathies to you and his daughters. So young. Hugs!*

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**Linda Barr** - November 04, 2019 at 09:27 AM