



Brian Osetek

November 28, 1959 - January 19, 2024

Brian S. Osetek, 64, a longtime resident of Clifton, passed away peacefully in his sleep on Friday, January 19, 2024. Brian was born in Passaic and lived there until moving to Clifton with his family when he was 13 years old. Brian was a 1977 graduate of Clifton High School before attending a technical school to learn about computers. He worked in Information Technology for 3M for over 30 years in addition to being a sales representative at Pantone for 5 years. He spent the last 9 years working for Bio-Reference Laboratories as a Courier. Brian loved life and lived every day to the fullest, but his true passion was music. He was an amazing guitarist. If he wasn't playing a show with his band he was practicing at home. What he loved most was to sit around with friends and family listening to music while reminiscing and sharing old stories over a few beers. In addition to music, Brian loved food and co-created a Facebook group (Culinary Connection) where he would share his homemade concoctions and discuss anything food related. Brian was predeceased by his father, Emil Osetek and was the beloved son of Stephanie Osetek (nee Dubicki). Brian leaves behind his only son, Adam Osetek and daughter, Alexis Osetek as well as his stepdaughter, Jacquelyn Pappas.

Cemetery Details

St. Nicholas Cemetery

2 Terrace Avenue at Passaic Street
Lodi, NJ 07644

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 24. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kamienski Funeral Home of Wallington
106 Locust Avenue
Wallington, NJ 07057

Visitation

JAN 25. 9:00 AM - 9:40 AM (ET)

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106 Locust Avenue
Wallington, NJ 07057

Funeral Mass

JAN 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Rosary R.C. Church
6 Wall Street
Passaic, NJ 07055

Burial

JAN 25. 11:15 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Nicholas Cemetery
2 Terrace Avenue at Passaic Street
Lodi, NJ 07644

Tribute Wall

RD

“ WENT TO HOLY ROSARY TOGETHER AND NEVER FOLLOWED UP WITH HIM WHEN HE MOVED TO CLIFTON. GREAT GUY AND WORKED WITH HIS FATHER EMIL IN THE CITY OF PASSAIC. WE WERE THE SAME AGE. I WISH HE WOULD OF LIVED MORE. WELL SEE YOU UP THERE. WE WILL TALK AGAIN. YOU ARE IN A BETTER PLACE MY CHILDHOOD FRIEND! GOD HAS YOU! REST IN PEACE! RONNIE DOLACK, SCOTTSDALE,AZ.

RONALD DOLACK - July 23, 2024 at 05:43 AM

JD

“ Brian was the guy to start me into a band. I can't even remember exactly how I met him. I just remember him playing his Les Paul that first time and being amazed. It wasn't long and the next thing I knew I was jamming with him in a band in Clifton. He'd pick me up from high school at 2:30 then we'd fly to Jersey. Jam for 5-6 hrs. And then go to his work at 3m where I'd sleep in the cafeteria till he was done and then rush back here to the Poconos to get to school on time (close enough anyway)! That was one of the greatest times of my life. I owe more than I can say to him. He left an indelible mark on my life and those we were in the band with that can never be forgotten. He will truly be missed but always remembered with incredible memories and fondness. If there are any band members who would like to share a story please do. Thank you Brian. I love ya man. Jeff Dorshimer.

jeff dorshimer - January 25, 2024 at 08:10 AM

RD

“ *My good friend, I will miss you, remembering the laughs and the music will always keep you nearby.*



Ray Dera - January 24, 2024 at 09:17 PM



“ *Stephanie, It is with a heavy heart to hear of Brian's passing. Our deepest sympathy to you and your family. May he rest in peace. Donna and Ray Bilar*



Ray Bilar - January 24, 2024 at 07:46 PM

RR

“ *So sorry to hear of Brian's passing. I was the sound tech/mixer for Brian's 'Jersey Divider' band. He was a good guitar player and all around great guy. I much enjoyed working with him. Brian will live on in my memories. Condolences*

Rick Reineke - January 24, 2024 at 03:18 PM

LF

“ *Lenny Altamura & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Brian Osetek.*



Lenny Altamura & Family - January 24, 2024 at 02:56 PM

LF

“ Lenny Altamura & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian Osetek.

Lenny Altamura & Family - January 24, 2024 at 02:56 PM

FD

“ Francine D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian Osetek.

Francine D. - January 23, 2024 at 07:52 PM

BB

“ My oldest friend, I will miss you more than you know. You have been part of my life for over 43 years.

Bob Brendel - January 23, 2024 at 12:33 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Brian Osetek.



January 23, 2024 at 11:20 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Brian Osetek.



January 23, 2024 at 09:42 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brian Osetek.*



January 23, 2024 at 03:13 AM



“ *Leslie Levich Reynolds planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian Osetek.*

Leslie Levich Reynolds - January 23, 2024 at 03:13 AM



“ *The Dziubeks (Kevin, Ipek, Lara, Can) purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Brian Osetek.*



The Dziubeks (Kevin, Ipek, Lara, Can) - January 22, 2024 at 09:42 PM



“ *Jennifer P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian Osetek.*

Jennifer P. - January 22, 2024 at 07:42 PM

NH

“ Jersey Divider rocking the house at Hansils!



Neil Huber - January 22, 2024 at 06:33 PM

JD

Awesome

jeff dorshimer - January 25, 2024 at 10:09 AM

MF

I was friends with Brian (we were part of the Hillside Park gang on Paterson Ave in Clifton) in the 1970's. He was a good friend. I am shocked and saddened to hear this. Sincerest condolences to his family.

Mark Ferry - February 10, 2024 at 08:03 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brian Osetek.



January 22, 2024 at 06:27 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brian Osetek.



January 22, 2024 at 06:14 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Brian Osetek.



January 22, 2024 at 05:56 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Brian Osetek.

January 22, 2024 at 05:56 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Brian Osetek.



January 22, 2024 at 05:43 PM



“ Bill Peterson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Brian Osetek.

Bill Peterson - January 22, 2024 at 05:43 PM



“ Brian aunt used to watch him I would come over and play just about every day I will ever forget all the time we spent together playing football and baseball , and war down by the river, The times we had.

ken Dulsky - January 22, 2024 at 04:48 PM