



Bryan Blackford

July 24, 1962 - October 9, 2025

Bryan Blackford, 63, passed away in Montgomery, TX. Born in St. Louis, Missouri, Bryan lived a life filled by humor, a strong love for his family and a desire to build community.

A proud 1978 Missouri State Cross Country Champion, Bryan's determination and competitive spirit shone brightly from a young age. He attended what is now Missouri School of Science and Technology where he founded his own Sigma Chi fraternity chapter — a testament to his leadership, initiative, and enduring friendships. He ultimately graduated from Southeast Missouri State University.

Bryan built a successful career in medical sales, where his charisma, ability to make strong connections, and genuine care for others earned him lasting respect and admiration. Outside of work, he was known as the life of every party — always ready with a joke, a quick smile, and the kind of laughter that filled a room. His playful spirit and knack for making people feel special made him unforgettable to everyone who knew him.

Bryan is survived by his loving mother, Donna Blackford; his brother, Todd Blackford; his children, Lauren Lawlis, Jessica Blackford, and AJ Blackford; and his cherished grandchildren, Collins Lawlis and Weldon Lawlis. He will be deeply missed by his family, friends, and all whose lives he brightened along

the way.

A celebration of Bryan's life will be held Oct. 17.02025 at Montgomery United Methodist Church, 22548 TX-105, Montgomery, TX 77356 at 2pm, the reception will follow immediately after the service at Amore Ristorante 14860 Hwy 105 W, Montgomery, TX 77356. In lieu of flowers or gifts, the family asks that donations be made to Montgomery United Methodist Church in Bryan's honor at <https://www.mumctex.org/give>

Bryan will be remembered for his humor, his heart, and his ability to make every moment — and every person — feel special.

Previous Events

Celebration Of Life

OCT 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

Montgomery United Methodist Church
22548 TX-105
Montgomery, TX 77356-2247
(936) 597-6162

22548 TX-105, Montgomery, TX 77356

Reception following service

OCT 17 (CT)

Amore Ristorante
14860 Hwy 105 W
Montgomery, TX 77356

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Tribute Wall

TB

“ *My brother brought passion and energy to everything he did. If he cared, he cared and made sure to provide support. I'll always remember his humor and joy. I loved him and, of course, we had wonderful times and epic arguments. That's what brothers do.*

He greatly cared about his family and friends and only wanted the best for them. If he could help he would try to help, no question. In fact, his greatest sorrows arose from doing all he could to make things better for those he loved and not being able to make it better.

AJ, Lauren and Jessica, you are now the keepers of his flame. How cool is that? . Trust in two things. First, as much as he can he will be there for you. Second, it's never too late to make things right and move forward with joy. Please do that along with being kind to others as often as possible. What great stewards of my brother's legacy.

Mom, I know Bryan always appreciated all that primarily you and Dad did for him. Your determination, love, persistence and care knows no bounds. Thank you. I love you!

I'm looking forward to a great celebration filled with love, humor and gratitude. Thank you in advance to all that honor Bryan's legacy. Your grace and support in our time of need will never be forgotten.

Todd Blackford - October 17, 2025 at 10:46 AM

RM

I am so sorry to hear Brian has passed! Thank God he dances with Jesus. May memories carry you through. Hugs to you all. during this time.

Rhinda Malone - October 17, 2025 at 09:16 PM

DB

Our condolences on the passing of your brother and our fraternity brother. Sigma Chi was always a special place and your brother was a significant reason why we joined the fraternity. It is sad to hear of his passing and entering the chapter eternal.

Godspeed.

*Brother Barrett
Brother DeHart
Brother Taylor*

David Barrett - October 18, 2025 at 09:05 PM

MB

“ *My condolences to the family of Bryan. Bryan was one of a kind, full of energy brother in law that was a friend, confidante and man with a good heart. A great salesman who took care of his family and helped them on their way in life. He loved his children Lauren, Jessie, and AJ and he constantly bragged about them. He was an avid Blues hockey fan that loved the sport and shared it with everyone. In our younger days we shared a lot of cheer and chicken wings along with talking about the GEO/Politics of the country. I miss those days. We can all learn a lot from Bryan's life journey. I miss you my friend. Mitch Bauman*

Mitch Bauman - October 16, 2025 at 11:03 AM



“ *The nieces and nephews always knew they were in for a fun time when Uncle Bryan was around growing up. I wouldn't be the St. Louis Blues fan I am today if it weren't for him stoking that fandom amid the Mighty Ducks craze of the 90s. He'll surely be missed by the Baumans. We love you, Blackfords.*

Clayton Bauman - October 16, 2025 at 11:01 AM

BF

“ *Blackford Family purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Bryan Blackford.*



Blackford Family - October 15, 2025 at 08:28 PM

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“ *Blackford Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bryan Blackford.*

Blackford Family - October 15, 2025 at 08:28 PM

RY

“ *Revelation 21:4 (MSG) - Love y'all. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Bryan Blackford.*



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“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Bryan Blackford.*



October 15, 2025 at 10:10 AM