



Paul Lester Biason

October 8, 1968 - June 21, 2023

Paul Lester Biason was born October 8, 1968, in Granite City, Illinois. With a heart that was able to provide more love and compassion than to sustain his earthly body, he passed away on June 21, 2023. His passing was unexpected and quick, so he did not suffer. He was able to spend his last full day, and the day before, and the day before... with Team Biason.

Paul's number one priority was his family. His family meant the world to him, and he meant the world to them. He was involved in everything his children did and always supported their activities and efforts. His holidays were spent with either the McDonald or Biason sides of the families. He was fortunate that his children were either living in his basement or within 20 minutes of his home, so everyone was able to get together at least once a week for a family meal (which he always cooked) and family game night (when his wife insisted). Paul is survived by Team Biason; his wife Krista McDonald Biason, his daughter Emilia, son Paul, Emilia's fiancée (the bonus child) Alaina Dabson, and his cat Flotilla. He is also survived by his mother Sandy Kunick, his sister Michelle Moore and her family, Marta McDonald, Kevin McDonald's family, and Kyle McDonald's family, in addition to countless aunts, uncles, and cousins. He is also survived by a solid group of friends who supported and loved him as a brother.

Paul graduated from Dunwoody College of Technology and worked at

McGough Construction as a Project Executive. He spent most of his career in the Healthcare Sector working on large projects like St Joseph's Hospital Expansion in St. Paul Minnesota, as well as rural healthcare projects like Glacial Ridge Health System in Glenwood, Minnesota. He recently expanded his project types to lead a construction project for a high-tech data company research facility. He enjoyed the construction field and really enjoyed mentoring and teaching emerging staff. His professionalism, expertise, and integrity were well regarded in the construction industry.

Paul loved working with his hands and was often found "puttering" around the house working on various projects. He worked on several significant remodels of his home and was very patient every time his wife got a new idea for a project. He enjoyed spending time with his friends going on golf trips or fishing excursions and was always the first one to offer help if someone needed somethings moved, fixed, or cooked.

Paul wasn't a man of many words, but his actions spoke volumes. His kindness, consideration, and compassion showed how much he cared. He was incredibly loved and will be greatly missed by his family and his friends.

In Paul's honor, please take time to spread some kindness by helping a friend, buying someone their favorite bottle of wine, fixing something around the home, or making a lovely dinner for those you love.

Visitation will be at Washburn-McReavy Eden Prairie Chapel on Saturday, July 15th from 1:30 - 3:30 pm with a Fare You Well program following at 3:30 pm. In lieu of flowers, the family would appreciate donations to an organization that he supported: Tunnels to Towers Foundation (t2t.org) or Animal Humane Society (animalhumanesociety.org).

The family would like to encourage people stopping by the event to wear bright colors, golf shirts, or even a tie dye shirt instead of traditional formal black attire.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 15. 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM (CT)

Eden Prairie Chapel
7625 Mitchell Road
Eden Prairie, MN 55344

Chapel Service

JUL 15. 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM (CT)

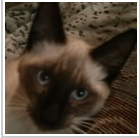
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Eden Prairie, MN 55344

Tribute Wall

MN

“*Krista, my sincere condolences for your loss. Thinking of you and family during this difficult time. Take care as best you can. Sincerely, Michelle Nelsen*

Michelle Nelsen - July 17, 2023 at 11:26 AM



“*Krista, I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts. - Julie Weston*

Julie Weston - July 17, 2023 at 08:45 AM

MC

“*Margolis Company planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul Lester Biason.*

Margolis Company - July 14, 2023 at 08:52 AM

MC

“*Margolis Company purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Paul Lester Biason.*



Margolis Company - July 14, 2023 at 08:52 AM

YE

“*Your friends at Schneider Electric planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul Lester Biason.*

Your friends at Schneider Electric - July 13, 2023 at 08:22 PM

YE

“ Your friends at Schneider Electric purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Paul Lester Biason.



Your friends at Schneider Electric - July 13, 2023 at 08:22 PM

AM

“ Krista & Family - My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Don't hesitate to reach out for help with anything that you may need. - Adam Martini

Adam Martini - July 13, 2023 at 04:12 PM

ML

“ We are so sorry to hear of the loss of Paul. A donation has been made to the Animal Humane Society in his honor. Condolences to his family in this difficult time from JLC, Inc.

Mariah Lasserud - July 11, 2023 at 02:24 PM

AR

“ Dear Krista and family. I am so sorry for your loss. Sending thoughts of comfort and hope that you find strength to get through the difficult days ahead. Adriana R

Adriana Roath - July 11, 2023 at 09:06 AM

AR

“ Adriana R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul Lester Biason.

Adriana R. - July 11, 2023 at 08:46 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Paul Lester Biason.*



July 10, 2023 at 02:14 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Paul Lester Biason.*



July 10, 2023 at 11:10 AM



“ *Krista & Family - I am so deeply sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. -Christa Belasco*

Christa Belasco - July 10, 2023 at 08:45 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Paul Lester Biason.*



June 30, 2023 at 10:36 AM

SR

“ Paul grew up in southern Illinois, just outside of St. Louis. We were blessed to grow up as part of a large, fun, and loving family. My happiest childhood memories are growing up in this big family with so many aunts, uncles, and cousins (so many cousins!) and of course, almost every family had a cat (we are a cat family). Paul was the first grandchild of Louie and Celeste, and they doted on both Paul and Michelle. Louie and Celeste were incredible people, as was Paul's dad, Paul (Sr.). You always loved being at Louie and Celeste's house because they were always cooking something that smelled heavenly. We also spent every Christmas Eve there, and Louie would dress up as Santa Claus when we were little. We loved it, even after being old enough to know it was really Louie.

Losing Paul (Sr.) so suddenly and unexpectedly at such a young age was devastating. Now the family is reliving this sorrow again. I am sending love and praying for Krista, Emilia and Alaina, and Paul. I also ask everyone to pray for Paul's mom, Sandy, his sister, Michelle, his aunts, Sandy and Diane, his uncle, Richard, and the entire Biason family. So many hearts are broken. We love you, Paul.

Susie Robertson - June 28, 2023 at 09:44 AM

SR

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Susie Robertson - June 28, 2023 at 09:15 AM

JH

“ Sending my deepest condolences and supportive friendship to Krista, Emilia & Alaina, and Paul during this unimaginably difficult time. In my mind, I see the Paul I met so many years ago, with that ever so slight grin of his - the one where you were never sure of what he was thinking but knowing that, because he was in charge, everything was going to be ok. I like to think he has been watching over all of you in that very same way since the last wonderful days he spent with all of you. In friendship, Johanna Harris

Johanna Harris - June 27, 2023 at 04:24 PM

MR

“ Paul was a great teacher and mentor. During my time at McGough, Paul and I were office mates for a time. He encouraged me and shared his field knowledge when I had questions. I appreciated his kindness. Paul made an impact and will be missed! Kindest regards to Team Biason at this very difficult time. - Monica Dahms Ross

Monica Ross - June 27, 2023 at 10:09 AM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Paul Lester Biason.



June 26, 2023 at 07:12 PM