



Brendan G. Cranwell

October 17, 1953 - October 10, 2020

Brendan Gerard Cranwell was born in Hoboken and was raised in Union City. He is a graduate of St Peters College and a proud member of St. Joseph's Catholic Club in Union City.

Since childhood, Brendan's very genuine good nature and outgoing personality garnered him an abundance of warm fellowship among family and friends. His passion for sports was a central theme throughout his life. Prompted by his youthful admiration of Boston Celtic Hall of Famer Tom Heinson, a family friend, his affinity for Boston sports teams and his beloved Red Sox was legendary. Brendan was gregarious, big-hearted, and never at a loss for words. He thrived in the camaraderie of family, friends, colleagues, and acquaintances; many of whom shared his passion for life. Always genial and sociable he had the capacity to put people at ease and make them laugh. Everyone who knows him has a favorite Brendan story. His legacy will be his indomitable sense of humor. His wit and empathy never failed to coax smile, a chuckle, or a belly laugh from those around him, regardless of the circumstances.

Sadly, Brendan's journey ended in the evening of Saturday October 10th in 2020.

He is survived by his life partner and devoted companion Grace Fabrizio; son

of the late John E. Cranwell & the late Catherine Cranwell (nee Wynne); brother of Michael Cranwell and Catherine Gasiewski (nee Cranwell) and was blessed with many nieces and nephews, He also leaves behind many cousins and aunts and uncles.

Friends and family are invited for visitation from 2-6PM this Wednesday at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 268 Kinderkamack Road, Oradell, NJ. A funeral service from the funeral home at 10AM on Thursday and then to St. Peter the Apostle RCC, River Edge, NJ for a 11AM Mass of Christian Burial. Entombment to follow at Garden of Memories, Washington Township, NJ.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Brendan's memory may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Cemetery Details

Garden of Memories Mausoleum

300 Soldier Hill Rd.
Twp. of Washington, NJ 07676

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **14**. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Oradell
268 Kinderkamack Rd.
Oradell, NJ 07649
(201) 261-1088
info@volkleber.com
<https://www.volkleber.com>

Funeral Mass

OCT **15**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter the Apostle
445 5th Avenue
River Edge, NJ 07661

Tribute Wall



“ Volk Leber Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of
Brendan G. Cranwell



Volk Leber Funeral Home - October 14, 2020 at 12:53 PM



“ Brendan G. Cranwell

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ Brendan G. Cranwell

October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ Brendan G. Cranwell

August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



John Grossi

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



John Grossi - November 16, 2020 at 01:09 AM



“ 248 files added to the album LifeTributes



Volk Leber Funeral Home - October 14, 2020 at 11:48 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brendan G. Cranwell.



October 13, 2020 at 06:40 PM



“ Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Brendan G. Cranwell.



October 13, 2020 at 11:38 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Brendan G. Cranwell.*



October 13, 2020 at 11:17 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Brendan G. Cranwell.*



October 12, 2020 at 07:08 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Brendan G. Cranwell.*



October 12, 2020 at 06:17 PM



“ *Very sorry to hear about Brendan. I remember him from the Catholic club.*

ray owens - October 12, 2020 at 12:44 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Brendan G. Cranwell.*



October 12, 2020 at 11:01 AM