



## Dr. Brian O'Callaghan

October 9, 1944 - March 2, 2022

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Dr. Brian Richard O'Callaghan, PhD, on Wednesday, March 2, 2022. Dr. O'Callaghan was born on October 9, 1944.

Dr. O'Callaghan began his educational journey at St. Anthony of Padua elementary school, then proceeded to Jesuit High School. He graduated from Loyola University with a B.S. degree, Florida State University with a Masters degree, and Louisiana State University with a doctorate in mathematics. He spent many years teaching at Metairie Park Country Day School and at Southeastern Louisiana University.

Dr. O'Callaghan was devoted to his West Highland White Terriers, for all of his adult life, having raised many Grand Champions. His pups were the light of his life.

He was the companion of the late Mark Avery Smith, son of the late Richard William O'Callaghan and Jean Erichson O'Callaghan, brother of Sandra O. Goff (the late "Sonny") and Kathleen Del Rio (Ralph), uncle of Ray Rehage (Susan), Nathan Del Rio (Heather), Ross Del Rio (Julia), Lori Rehage (Eric), and the late Stephen M. Rehage.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Visitation and Funeral Service at L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home, 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner, LA on

Friday, March 11, 2022. Visitation from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. followed by a Funeral Service at 11:00 a.m. Interment to immediately follow in Lakelawn Park Cemetery. To share memories or condolences, please visit [www.muheisen.com](http://www.muheisen.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Lake Lawn Park Cemetery

5100 Ponchartrain Blvd.  
New Orleans, LA 70124

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 11. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home  
2607 Williams Blvd  
Kenner, LA 70062  
(504) 466-8577  
info@muhleisen.com

## Funeral Service

MAR 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Burial

MAR 11 (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. Brian O'Callaghan*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *Mr (but really Dr.) O'Callahan was a great teacher. I had him for several years at Country Day and learned so much from him. He was a kind, gentle and brilliant soul! He will be truly missed! My sincere condolences to you Kathleen at this difficult time!*

**Diane Loria Rose** - March 08, 2022 at 11:12 AM



“ *Janet Rose lit a candle in memory of Dr. Brian O'Callaghan*



**Janet Rose** - March 06, 2022 at 07:20 AM



“ *Aww I'm here with a heavy heart as Brian was a great friend of mine on Facebook. We mailed each other daily for many years saying Hi how's thing's etc. We helped each other through when family member's passed away. We both loved dogs and his especially as they were his babies, his pride and joy. I'm going to miss our little mail chats Brian and miss you so much. May you rest in peace and be happy reunited with Mark. Love you Bestie ...*

**Janet Rose** - March 06, 2022 at 07:19 AM

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“ *Brian is/was my uncle and there are many many memories of him while growing up, especially when my Mere (grandmother) would tell us little kids ( Steve, Ray and I) to be quiet because Brian was still sleeping (typical teenager)! 7 years ago, I had the pleasure of traveling to a few dog shows with him and watched him show his prides and joys. He did a GREAT job as Owner/Handler. I will miss him tremendously! I love you Uncle Brian and will miss you!*

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**Lori Rehage** - March 04, 2022 at 09:12 PM