



Brandon Cornelius Cunningham

June 26, 2026

With heavy hearts, we announce the passing of Brandon Cornelius Cunningham, who departed this life on Friday, June 26, 2026, at the age of 32. Born in Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

Left to cherish Brandon's memory are his loving parents, Mary Cunningham and Nathan Gentry; and beloved grandmother, Addie Cunningham.

Brandon attended Lincoln Middle School and that is where his love of football started. His team was recognized in 2006-2007 as the Undefeated City Champs and 2007-2008 as the League and City Champs.

Brandon was a proud graduate of Lancaster Catholic High School, where he was a member of the 2011 Pennsylvania State Championship football team. His love for athletics extended beyond the field, and he remained a devoted fan of the New Orleans Saints throughout his life. He also enjoyed WWE wrestling, playing video games, and spending time with family and friends.

Following high school, Brandon earned his degree in HVAC from Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology. He went on to build a career with Eurofins, where he was respected for his dedication and work ethic.

Brandon was a beloved son, brother, grandson, uncle, nephew, cousin, and

friend. He was known for his gentle spirit, warm smile, thoughtful nature, and unwavering authenticity.

Of all the roles Brandon cherished, none brought him greater joy than being an uncle. He shared a special bond with his beloved nieces and nephews—Michael, McKaila, Ny'Chl, Emmerson, Olive, and Jehlan McFadden. Whether through laughter, encouragement, thoughtful gifts, or simply being present, Brandon treasured every moment spent with them. His generous heart and love for family were evident in the countless ways he cared for those around him.

Even in his passing, Brandon's generous spirit lives on through the Gift of Life, giving hope to others—the ultimate reflection of the caring person he was. Through the decision to become an organ donor, his legacy of compassion and selflessness will continue to touch the lives of many.

Those closest to Brandon recognize that his final days did not reflect the man they know and loved throughout his life. His life cannot be defined by the circumstances of his death, but rather by the decades of kindness, generosity, respect, laughter, and love he freely gave to others. We choose to remember Brandon for the gentle soul he was, the devoted family man and loyal friend who enriched the lives of those fortunate enough to know him.

In addition to his parents, Brandon leaves to cherish his memory, siblings, Michael (Tennelle), Jeremy (Katherine), Kiersten (Preston), and Dwayne McFadden, and friends Joey Pizzaro, Dante Swinton, and Elijah Stewart; along with a host of loving aunts, uncles, cousins, extended family members, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his grandfathers, Cornelius Cunningham and Bill Gentry, and his grandmother, Delores Gentry, and nephews Jackson and

Grayson.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Brandon's memory may be made to New Life Christian Fellowship Church, 1501 Millersville Pike, Lancaster, PA 17603, or American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, <https://supporting.afsp.org>

The family appreciates your love, prayers, and understanding as funeral services will be private and reserved for family and close friends.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Burial Park

South Duke Street
Lancaster, PA 17603

Tribute Wall

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“ *Brandon was my family. We didn't share blood but we were still family. I will miss his smile and his hugs whenever he saw me. May he Rest in Peace.*

Norma Taylor - 44 minutes ago