



Mr. John Bradley Wallace

June 11, 1976 - September 16, 2025

A Life Filled with Love, Laughter, and Adventure

John Wallace passed away on September 16, 2025, at the age of 49. He will be remembered as a devoted dad, loyal friend, and someone who lived life with curiosity, hard work, and a love for adventure.

A visitation to celebrate his life will be held from 3:00 pm until 5:00 pm on Saturday, September 20, 2025, at Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home, 306 W. Home Avenue, Hartsville, SC. All who loved John are welcome to come share stories and honor his memory.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in his honor to the Alzheimer's Association, P.O. Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011, or the National Kidney Foundation, Finance Department, 30 East 33rd Street, New York, NY 10016.

John's greatest joy in life was being a dad to his two girls, Sullivan Jane Wallace (14) and Emery Brooke Wallace (11). He loved nothing more than cheering them on from the sidelines—whether it was at a volleyball game, swim meet, or soccer field. His girls were the center of his world, and he was so proud to watch them grow.

In 2009, John married his wife, Brittany, in Riviera Maya, Mexico, surrounded by some of their closest friends and family. Together for over 26 years, John and Brittany built a life filled with love, laughter, and countless memories with their daughters.

John was a 1994 graduate of Hartsville High School. He attended the University of South Carolina, where he was a member of the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity, and later earned his degree in Computer Science from Midlands Technical College. This education laid the foundation for a 26-year career in Information Technology.

He was first hired by Blue Cross Blue Shield in Columbia, SC, before moving to Thomas Cooper and Company (TCC), an affiliate of BCBS, as Vice President of Information Systems. John stayed with TCC until 2021, when the company merged with PAI. He played an instrumental role in that merger, helping lead the transition. Throughout his career, John earned the respect of colleagues who became lifelong friends, and he was known for his remarkable technical ability—able to take apart a computer blindfolded and put it back together just the same.

Outside of work, John lived for the outdoors and sports. He had a passion for tennis, playing league tennis on James Island and competing as part of the Maybank Tennis team for 10 years, where he built lasting friendships on and off the court. He loved snowboarding trips out west with friends, casting a fishing line, surfing waves, and of course, spending time on the beach. In fact, if you were to ask him what his favorite places to vacation were, he would tell you his best memories were made on the ski slopes of Colorado, the canals of the Florida Keys, or the beaches of Charleston. He was also an avid Gamecock fan, spending fall Saturdays at Williams-Brice Stadium, and he enjoyed watching both football and baseball. He especially loved following the Atlanta Braves and even took a few family trips to Truist Park.

John also had a tremendous fondness for dogs, a love he inherited from his mother at an early age. And while family was always his greatest love, his friends came in a close second. The ones he loved most were given nicknames—you know who you are.

His adventurous spirit, work ethic, and love for his family will carry on through the stories, memories, and laughter of those who knew him best.

"We will love you forever, Daddy." — Sulli & Em

John is survived by his loving daughters, Emery Wallace and Sullivan Wallace, and his wife, Brittany Darwin Wallace, all of James Island, SC; brother, Brian Wallace (Christy) of Florence, SC; sister, Kim W. Frye (Jay) of Columbia, SC; Brother-In-Law, Travis Darwin Knoxville, TN; sister-in-law, Roxanne Darwin, Little River, SC; nieces and nephews, Bankston Wallace, Cooper Wallace, Katie Wallace Frye, Maddox Darwin.

He was preceded in death by his parents, the late Bobby R. Wallace and the late Martha Ann McCleave Wallace.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **20**. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home
306 West Home Avenue
Hartsville, SC 29550

Tribute Wall

CB

“ *Christy Buncum-Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Bradley Wallace*



Christy Buncum-Robinson - September 22, 2025 at 07:23 AM

CM

“ *R.I.Paradise Classmate* ☐ 🕊️



Christina M McLeod - September 21, 2025 at 07:07 AM

VN

“ *Vickie And David Newsome lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Bradley Wallace*



Vickie and David Newsome - September 19, 2025 at 11:51 AM

CG

“ *Connee Gamble Grantham lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Bradley Wallace*



Connee Gamble Grantham - September 19, 2025 at 11:50 AM

CB

“ Charlie Beckham lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Bradley Wallace



Charlie Beckham - September 19, 2025 at 09:42 AM

RH

“ Brother John, I will miss you dearly. I am grateful that our paths crossed 19 years ago and will cherish the memories forever. Until we meet again my brother.

To the Family, my thoughts and prayers are with you all. May God comfort you and love on you especially now.

Rhonda Huggins - September 19, 2025 at 09:26 AM

CB

“ Tom & I are so very sorry for your loss. John was a great guy and will be greatly missed. Your happy memories of him will bring great comfort & possibly bring a smile to your faces. May God wrap his arms around all of you and give you peace. Love, Cecelia Brown

Cecelia Brown - September 19, 2025 at 08:07 AM

KB

“ *Brittney, Im so very sorry for your loss. I have so many good memories of John growing up from elementary school all the way through high school. He was just a genuinely great guy and always smiling and kind to others. I was broken hearted to hear this news. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your girls and Johns brother and sister. Im so very sorry. He will truly be missed.*



Kathryn Batson - September 19, 2025 at 01:33 AM

CW

“ *Brittany, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your children. I'm so sad for you, but also happy that you and John had all these years together and that you have your beautiful girls who carry their dad in them.*

Cheryl Wingert - September 18, 2025 at 09:39 PM

JL

“ *John was a special friend of my daughters, He often came over to visit them. He was a joy to have around, always full laughter and fun. May God comfort all his family during this time of sorrow.*

Judy Lane - September 18, 2025 at 08:57 PM

RA

“ *I remember John in my fifth grade class. He was such a nice, smart student. We are praying for all of you during this sad time.*
Robin and George Atkins

Robin Atkins - September 18, 2025 at 07:32 PM

LJ

“ *Brian, I am so sorry for your loss. Carolyn and I grieve with you and your family during this time Burt and Carolyn Harrington.*

Leonard Harrington, jr - September 18, 2025 at 06:20 PM

AG

“ *My condolences to Brittany & family..y'all are in my thoughts!!!*



April Griggs-Woods - September 18, 2025 at 05:22 PM

GG

“ *Brittany and family! We are so sorry for the loss of John! Love and prayers are extended to you all!*



Gene and Teresa Gibson - September 18, 2025 at 11:20 AM

AT

“ *AJ Talbert lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Bradley Wallace*



AJ Talbert - September 18, 2025 at 08:59 AM

JC

“ Jimmy Cross lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Bradley Wallace



Jimmy Cross - September 18, 2025 at 07:58 AM

PB

I am so sorry for your loss and the Wallace family they are great family and my prayers and thoughts are with all of them

Patsy Baket - September 20, 2025 at 04:51 PM

SC

“ *I am so very sorry for your families loss. I had not seen John in a very long time but I will always remember his big smile & great personality. He could always make me laugh even when I didn't want to. We had lots of great times at our beach house in Ocean Lakes. He will be missed dearly. Keeping everyone in my prayers.*

Summer Marshall Clark - September 17, 2025 at 09:26 PM