



Gregory Scott Heneisen

June 7, 1965 - November 5, 2025

Gregory Scott Heneisen, 60, beloved husband and father, son, brother, and friend passed

abruptly into the full presence of his King and Savior, Jesus Christ, on Wednesday,

November 5, 2025 at his home in Indianapolis. He was loved deeply by his wife, Amy

(Welker) of 20 years and his teenage son, Thomas, and he is missed beyond measure.

Greg was born on June 7, 1965 in Cedar Falls, Iowa to Thomas Clarence Heneisen, Jr.

and Juanita Faye Heneisen, both of Evansville, Indiana. His family soon returned to their

family roots in Evansville where Greg lived most of his growing up years, attending

Washington Avenue Baptist Church and graduating from Harrison High School in 1983.

As a boy Greg loved riding his bike around his neighborhood and playing with friends.

In high school Greg thrived on the competitiveness of high school football and pole

vaulting, and as an adult he added golfing to his athletic repertoire.

Greg took his love of bicycling into his adult life when at the age of 28 he

started riding the Hilly Hundred bicycle ride in Bloomington, Indiana. Completing the Hilly became an annual tradition, except in 2004 and 2005 when he was busy dating and marrying his wife, Amy. In 2015 Greg hauled his four-year-old son up and down the hills of Bloomington on a tag-along, as together they completed a single day of this iconic bicycling event. Greg's bicycling feats culminated in the 160-mile, single-day RAIN (Ride Across INdiana) in July 2016. Cardiac bypass surgery in 2016 brought a close to Greg's Hilly Hundred and RAIN days, but not, at that time, to his bicycling endeavors. In addition to bicycling, Greg enjoyed other pursuits, including woodworking (refinishing the family dining table and designing and building custom shelves and drawers for the home closets and pantry) and gardening, especially growing tomatoes, a skill he was taught by his Uncle Roy. Greg and Amy relished time hiking in the splendor of God's magnificent creation, and together with Thomas they shared yearly vacations to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park every spring or summer since 2014. Greg graduated from Indiana University, Kelley School of Business, in Bloomington with a degree in accounting and began his working career in Indianapolis as a CPA. His employment included working for Ernst & Young; Dunbar, Cook, and Shepherd CPA

firm; the Indiana Hand Center; Methodist Sports Medicine; and for the last twenty-one years he was employed by Franciscan Health as Director of Financial Planning and Business Development where he was valued and respected by everyone he worked with.

Greg's most important relationships were those with his family and with his Lord Jesus.

After surrendering his life to the Lord in July of 1999, Greg's greatest motivation became learning how to know and become like Jesus, a work of transformation from the inside out. He devoured books and lectures as he devoted himself to developing a constant, clear vision of life in God's world before us and of the everlasting significance of our work, day by day. One of his prayers was that he would continue growing his understanding of life in the kingdom of God now - a life that is full, rich, and immersed in the daily reality of God's presence in and with us.

Because of the transformative work of Christ in Greg's life, Greg wanted everyone he knew to experience this work as well, particularly his nieces and nephews and his son, Thomas. Early in his Christian life Greg became active in his local church, leading small group Bible studies and joining work trips to rural northeast Brazil to help build new church buildings. Greg often said that one of the marks of the transformation in his life

after becoming a Christian was his desire to give generously of his time and money,

whereas before he had held tightly to both.

Greg's spiritual influence was felt at home where he led his family in bedtime Bible

reading, encouraged his son to memorize Scripture, and discussed his latest spiritual book

reading or video watching with Amy and Thomas. Greg beamed with immense pride and

joy when he witnessed his son's baptism into the covenant family of God on August 24,

2025. His family will miss his wisdom and spiritual insights.

Greg is survived by his wife of 20 years, Amy (Welker) Heneisen; son, Thomas

Heneisen; mother, Juanita Faye (Vanhooser) Heneisen; sister, Sheila (Heneisen) Nalley

and her husband, Jim; sister, Terri (Heneisen) Beckman and her husband, Dave; brother-in-

law Jeremy Welker and his wife Julie (Bethel); brother-in-law Josh Welker and his

wife Kathy (Miller); sister-in-law Ada (Welker) Pieper and her husband Jason; brother-in-

law Jon Welker and partner Halee Gayle; nieces and nephews Patrick, Sarah, Katie,

Laura, John, Riley, Mary, Wesley, Abby, Sam, and James; and great nieces and nephews

Kyllian, Kaelin, Malakye, Brooks, Eli, Benjamin, Lillian, Kit, Jack, Charlotte, Luke, and

Adara.

The service honoring Greg's life will be held Tuesday, November 11, 2025 at 12:30pm at

New City Church, 345 N. Kitley Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana. Pastor Roger Williams

is officiating. Friends may visit Tuesday morning from 10:00am - 12:00 noon at the

church. For those coming from out of town, please note that Indianapolis is on Eastern

(New York) time. Following the funeral service, a graveside service and burial will be

held at Acton Cemetery, 7900 Acton Road, Indianapolis.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Thomas G. Heneisen Trust Fund in care of Indiana Members Credit Union, 5940 East Stop 11 Road, Indianapolis, IN 46237.

Funeral arrangements have been prepared by Shirley Brothers Mortuaries, 9606 East

Washington Street, Indianapolis, IN 46229.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 11. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

New City Church
345 N. Kitley Avenue
Indianapolis, IN 46219

Funeral Service

NOV 11. 12:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RP

“ Amy, I am so sorry that you have lost your husband and that Thomas has lost his dad. I never had the pleasure of meeting Greg. May he rest in the presence of the Lord Jesus Christ and may God hold you and Thomas in His Hands. Renee Poudrier (Franklin Road Branch Library)



Renee Poudrier - March 12 at 04:23 PM

KB

“ Sad to hear about Greg's passing. I worked alongside Greg for the last 20 years at Franciscan. I appreciated his knowledge and skill, but even more his kindness and friendly nature. I pray that God's comfort and peace will be with his family and loved ones during this difficult time.

Kent Brumbaugh - November 12, 2025 at 03:22 PM

MM

“ I am very sorry for your loss. Greg was very kind to my family and I during my Dad's passing several years ago. He expressed concern and sympathy for family and friends who came in from out of state. He made sure we had what we needed and were ok. My family appreciated his genuine care. The kindness from Greg and Franciscan helped us overcome our grief. May you experience that same compassion from Franciscan and let it help you through this difficult time.

melody morris - November 11, 2025 at 08:24 AM

CM

“ So very sorry to hear of Greg's passing. I attended Harper & Harrison with Greg and remember him as being a great guy who was very competitive, athletic, intelligent and he loved to laugh. May the Peace of Christ be with his family at this time.

Chuck Mathis - November 11, 2025 at 12:25 AM

AM

Chuck, I remember Greg telling stories that included your name. I don't remember any of the actual stories.

Greg definitely loved to laugh. I noticed that right away when we were dating. I loved the sparkle in his eyes when he laughed. Thanks for your well wishes.

We found a copy of the All Star news article in old memorabilia here, and that was fun. I don't think Greg ever talked about that, or at least not often enough that I remembered.

Amy - December 27, 2025 at 05:36 PM

CM

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Chuck Mathis - November 10, 2025 at 11:57 PM

CM

Greg pictured as member of the 1982 Evansville Courier All-City team.

Chuck Mathis - November 11, 2025 at 05:04 AM

SG

“ *Stevens, Schnautz, Heumann, Grimwood purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Gregory Scott Heneisen.*



Stevens, Schnautz, Heumann, Grimwood - November 10, 2025 at 10:37 PM

CB

“ *My condolences to Greg's family and friends. I worked with him at Franciscan, and we had several conversations over the years about his cycling exploits and the Hilly Hundred in particular. Being an avid cyclist myself, it was always good to talk with him about our common interest. Greg was always an affable and well-respected person. I hope you can find peace during this time of loss. Blessings.*

Corey Baute - November 10, 2025 at 03:50 PM

MB

“ *So sorry to hear this great times a Harper grade school. Mark Byrd*

mark byrd - November 10, 2025 at 02:49 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gregory Scott Heneisen.*



November 10, 2025 at 02:41 PM

CS

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I pray that God will hold you and send his comforting spirit now and as you go through this “time” of grief. I was lucky enough to work with Greg for a while. He always had a smile on his face and was a great man to talk to. He had a brilliant mind and a lot of fun and interesting stories. I miss our conversations in the break room. May God give you his peace beyond understanding.

Chris Spannuth - November 10, 2025 at 11:56 AM

PS

“ I worked with Greg and I am so so sorry for your loss. Greg was so talented and was great to work with. Greg's kindness, his attention to detail, his willingness to help others, and his high quality standards, among many other things is going to be missed. God give you and your family peace as you go through this unbearable loss.

Paul Smith - November 10, 2025 at 10:47 AM

JA

“ Judith A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gregory Scott Heneisen.

Judith A. - November 10, 2025 at 09:21 AM

RG

“ I am deeply saddened to hear of Greg's passing. I have many wonderful memories of Greg, Terri and Sheila growing up at WABC. We were great friends. I regret losing touch as we got older. Praying for comfort for the whole family. Sincerely, Robin (Thomas) Garrison

Robin Garrison - November 09, 2025 at 08:40 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gregory Scott Heneisen.*



November 09, 2025 at 06:49 PM



“ *Melissa and Tom Hatfield planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gregory Scott Heneisen.*

Melissa and Tom Hatfield - November 09, 2025 at 04:28 PM



“ *Melissa and Tom Hatfield purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Gregory Scott Heneisen.*



Melissa and Tom Hatfield - November 09, 2025 at 04:28 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Gregory Scott Heneisen.*



November 09, 2025 at 04:16 PM

SN

“ *Sheila Nalley planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gregory Scott Heneisen.*

Sheila Nalley - November 09, 2025 at 04:16 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gregory Scott Heneisen.*



November 08, 2025 at 09:43 PM