



Henry Blake Sullihan

July 21, 2022 - May 22, 2025

Henry Blake Sullihan, "Hank", age two, passed away unexpectedly May 22, 2025.

Hank never met a stranger. He lit up even the brightest spaces. He loved playing with children and adults alike. Hank both pursued his sister, Bernadette, and found his own adventures. In classes at Peterson Park and Ridgeville, he tumbled, danced and played enthusiastically everyday. Hank had lots of therapists, doctors and social workers and forged deep bonds of affection with each one of them. He pushed through troubles courageously, repeated himself patiently and forgave easily.

He loved big trucks and heavy machinery, spotting airplanes in the sky, the giraffes at Lincoln Park zoo, and all tall buildings (which could include a three flat).

Hank was in CONSTANT MOTION. He was always moving while watching tv or shuttling across the backyard. He would endlessly tumble, roll and jump the gaps between furniture. Hank was an observer who enjoyed sitting on the porch counting cars, watching planes pass and greeting neighbors. Hank preferred being bare footed, leaving a trail of socks in his wake. He loved singing along with Moana and other Disney musicals.

Hank was the cherished son of Mike and Beth Sullihan, and the adored little brother of Bernadette.

He is also survived by grandparents Sheri Sullivan and Jim and Mary Callahan, uncles Patrick Callahan and Jay (Maggie) Sullivan, and cousins Molly, Leah, and Dylan.

Preceded in death by grandfather Bernard (Robert Bruner) Sullivan and "GG" Myrna Kent.

Memorial gathering Sunday, June 8 from 4pm until time of service at 5pm at Levy Senior Center
300 Dodge Avenue, Evanston, IL. Light reception following the service until 7:30pm.

In lieu of flowers, support PBS Kids in his name, <https://foundation.pbs.org/donation/>

Arrangements by Inclusive Funeral Care, 773-318-1305 or www.InclusiveFuneralCare.com

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

JUN 8. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Levy Senior Center
300 Dodge Avenue
Evanston, IL 60202

<https://www.cityofevanston.org/government/departments/parks-recreation-community-services/facilities/levy-senior-center>

Doors open at 4:00PM with service starting promptly at 5PM

Memorial Service

JUN 8. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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Reception will follow until 7:30PM

Reception

JUN 8. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ My heart goes out to Mike, Beth, and Bernadette. May his memory be a blessing.

Bobbie Albrecht - June 08, 2025 at 11:42 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

June 08, 2025 at 11:38 AM



“ Cait Driscoll, Alex Nootens & Theo purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Henry Blake Sullihan.



Cait Driscoll, Alex Nootens & Theo - June 07, 2025 at 03:02 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

June 07, 2025 at 12:51 PM

BB

“ Bill Diane and Bill purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Henry Blake Sullihan.



Bill Diane and Bill - June 06, 2025 at 04:31 PM

BB

“ Bill Diane and Bill planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

Bill Diane and Bill - June 06, 2025 at 04:31 PM

RH

“ Robert Harris planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

Robert Harris - June 04, 2025 at 04:48 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

June 03, 2025 at 03:22 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Henry Blake Sullihan.



June 03, 2025 at 03:22 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

June 02, 2025 at 10:20 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Henry Blake Sullihan.



June 02, 2025 at 10:20 AM



“ *Kimberly W.* planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

Kimberly W. - June 01, 2025 at 12:13 PM



“ *Paul , Melania and Faith Mackey* planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

Paul , Melania and Faith Mackey - May 31, 2025 at 03:17 PM



“ *Paul , Melania and Faith Mackey* purchased the *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* for the family of Henry Blake Sullihan.



Paul , Melania and Faith Mackey - May 31, 2025 at 03:17 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

May 31, 2025 at 12:40 PM



“ Forever Our Angel Bouquet was purchased for the family of Henry Blake Sullihan.



May 31, 2025 at 12:40 PM



“ Carrie M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

Carrie M. - May 30, 2025 at 10:04 PM



“ Alisa M. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Henry Blake Sullihan.



Alisa M. - May 30, 2025 at 05:23 PM



“ Oh my.....holding these Friends in the Light.....during this time of transition.....

Bruce K - May 30, 2025 at 06:50 AM

PC

“ Patrick C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

Patrick C. - May 28, 2025 at 10:07 PM

PC

“ Patrick C. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Henry Blake Sullihan.



Patrick C. - May 28, 2025 at 10:07 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Henry Blake Sullihan.

May 27, 2025 at 08:42 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Henry Blake Sullihan.



May 27, 2025 at 08:42 PM