



Donald Pauly

December 13, 2010

Mr. Donald "Don" Pauly, 75, of Lancaster, passed away Thursday, December 9, 2010 at Hospice of Lancaster County.

In his early years, he was raised in a family of eight siblings in Lewistown, the son of the late Albert and Mildred Pauly, he was a resident of New Holland, and later moved to Lancaster.

Mr. Pauly attended and graduated from the Milton Hershey School, studying machine shop practice. After graduation, he worked for 38 years for the Sperry Division plant at New Holland, now Case New Holland. He was Product Test Supervisor during his last 19 years there. While living in New Holland, he played softball & baseball for various teams and leagues and participated in many community organizations including the New Holland Jaycees, Garden Spot Football Booster Club, and the New Holland Park Board.

After retiring from New Holland, Mr. Pauly enjoyed a second career in the local real estate business.

An avid golfer, Mr. Pauly was a longtime member of the Conestoga Country Club. During his time there, he served on the Board of Governors and as President. He pursued his quest for the perfect left-handed swing at numerous golf courses throughout the county and country. He was a Penn State football season-ticket holder, a Saint Louis Cardinals fan and followed many local sports teams. Mr. Pauly was also involved with the Milton Hershey School Alumni Association. He is survived by two daughters, Sharon, wife of John

Lynch, and Linda, wife of William Davis, three grandchildren, Katrina, Amanda and Kayla, his brother David Pauly and many close friends.

Mr. Pauly was predeceased by his wife Patricia (Ranck) Pauly, to whom he was married for 35 years, and by two sisters and five brothers.

A celebration of life memorial service will be held at The Groffs Family Funeral & Cremation Services, 528 West Orange Street, Lancaster, on Wednesday, Dec. 15, at 7 p.m. with the Reverend John Lynch officiating. There will be a time of greeting with the family from 6 – 7 p.m. on Wednesday. Kindly omit flowers; memorial contributions may be made in Don's memory to Hospice of Lancaster County, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. Online condolences may be submitted at www.thegroffs.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Pauly*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Dear Sharon, Linda, and families, We extend our deepest condolences on the loss of your father. We will miss Uncle Don. He was a wonderful person. Please be comforted that he is now with your mother and his relatives and friends who predeceased him. Love, Donna and Larry Hayes*

donna hayes - December 16, 2010 at 06:16 AM

TN

“ Dear Pauly, I was so very sorry to hear about your illness and I had wanted to visit with you .. but I didn't get the chance. So I thought I would take the opportunity now to let you know how I felt about you. First of all, I think I have known you most of my life. You were a very dear and special friend to my dad and for that I will always be grateful. Secondly, even though I didn't get to see you that often, I always made sure to ask “how Pauly was”. You were one of my dad's friends whom I truly adored. We talked about you the other morning and all we did was laugh. I think that was your most endearing quality. You would get that sparkle in your eye and smile on your face and everyone knew Pauly had something funny to say. It was such a special gift you had in that you could make everyone around you, not only smile, but laugh, really laugh! And I, as well as, so many others will miss that.

Please know that I love you Pauly and I take comfort in knowing that now you are with Patty!

Love, Tammy

Tammy Nelson - December 15, 2010 at 08:38 PM

LK

“ Sharon and Linda,
I'm very sorry to learn about the loss of your father. My condolence to you and the rest of your family. You've been blessed to have him in your lives. I'll never forget your dad sitting in the stands of a high school gymnastic meet cheering me on. I could hear him above all others. Take care of yourselves and may God bless you and yours.
Sincerely,
Larry

Larry Klaassen - December 15, 2010 at 02:04 AM

DW

“ Dear Linda, Sharon and families,

I am so very saddened by the loss of your dad. Some of my fondest memories are of the summers I spent with all my Pauly/Beckwith relatives when growing up. Your dad's sense of humor was infectious and I truly feel many of us have inherited that " gene" of humor from the Pauly side. Boy, could your dad and mine cut up and laugh til their sides ached. Those are the memories I will cherish always. I will not be able to make it up but I am there in spirit. Please keep in touch and you are always welcome to come down this way and visit. It comforts me to know that your dad and mine are getting " the party started up there" and are filling the heavens with their laughter and love. May God Bless you all and keep you safe. Love always, Diane Pauly Whalen,RN.

Diane Pauly Whalen - December 14, 2010 at 11:19 PM