



Paul L. Peachey

February 13, 2023

Paul L. Peachey, 91, of Lancaster, PA, previously of Sarasota, Florida, passed peacefully away on Sunday, February 12, 2023. He was born near Zurich, Ontario, Canada, as the son of the late Stephen and Ruth Schrag Peachey. He was the husband of the late Shirley Jean Troyer Peachey, who died in 2011.

Paul left a legacy of kindness, gentleness, and faithfulness. He lived well, loved well, and was deeply loved. He attended Ontario Mennonite Bible School and Eastern Mennonite College and then worked with International Voluntary Services for two years in Asyut, Egypt. Paul was a very active member of Bahia Vista Mennonite Church in Sarasota, FL, for almost 60 years.

During his free time, Paul enjoyed fishing and boating in the Sarasota Bay and tending numerous exotic tropical fruit trees, with a special passion for mangos. He enjoyed being with his family, extended family, and friends, and he often took them fishing. He retired from the US Postal Service after 30 years to spend summers in Franklin, NC, tending his garden and cows, and enjoying time with his wife and all who visited.

Paul is survived by his two daughters, Sharon Peachey Marshall (John) of Sarasota, FL, and Melody Beiler (Samuel R.) of Sarasota, FL and Lancaster,

PA, and his son, Paul S. Peachey (Julie) of Lancaster, PA. He is also survived by a sister, Esther Anne Chandler (Carl) of Biloxi, MS, and two brothers, John Peachey (Carol), Stephen Peachey (Carol) both of Myakka City, FL. He had five grandchildren, Christopher Beiler, Monica Beiler Vincent (Connor), Matthew Beiler, Erik Peachey, and Annaliese Peachey, and numerous nieces, nephews, family, and friends. In addition to his wife Shirley, Paul was preceded in death by his daughter, Anne Marie, and two brothers, Urbane and James.

Paul's family wish to thank all the staff at The Glen at Willow Valley who provided kind and loving care.

Family and friends are invited to Paul's Memorial Service on Monday, February 20, 2023 at 4:30 PM at St. James Episcopal Church, 119 N. Duke Street, Lancaster, PA 17603. Visitation will be from 3:30 to 4:15 PM. A Celebration of Life will also be held in Sarasota, FL on February 27.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 20. 3:30 PM - 4:15 PM (ET)

St. James Episcopal Church
119 N. Duke Street
Lancaster, PA 17603

Memorial Service

FEB 20. 4:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Paul L. Peachey*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Nancy I Yoder lit a candle in memory of Paul L. Peachey*



nancy I Yoder - February 20, 2023 at 07:15 AM



My thoughts are with all the family as you mourn loss of your father & friend. I chose yellow candle as Paul always lit up the room during his many years at Bahia Mennonite church. I always appreciated his in-depth Bible comments. You grieve because you loved him. Let tears flow of joy knowing he is with Lord. Blessings

nancy I Yoder - February 20, 2023 at 07:23 AM



“ *I extend my sincerest sympathy for your loss. I enjoyed caring for Mr Peachey. May God bless you as you grieve.*
Dr Mackey

Stephanie Mackey - February 19, 2023 at 10:58 AM

JH

“ We briefly met Paul L with wife Shirley at Their son's wedding years ago. The family kindness shines through his son Paul S and wife Julie. We send our deepest sympathy with love, Uncle Jon and Aunt Ingrid

Jon and Ingrid Hanson - February 18, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Paul L. Peachey.



February 17, 2023 at 09:07 AM



“ I offer my deepest condolences to Paul's family. I'll be out of town for the service, but in my heart I'll be thinking of you all. I pray that Paul has found the peace he very much deserved. And please know I'll never eat another pickle without thinking of my favorite "Peach"



Love, Tonda

Tonda Murry - February 16, 2023 at 04:58 AM