



Paul J. Wilson, Jr.

February 23, 2024

Paul J. Wilson, Jr., 94, a pillar of strength and a beacon of kindness, passed away peacefully on Thursday, February 23, 2024. His life was a testament to his values of family, dedication, and love.

Paul was a lifelong resident of Lancaster. He proudly served in the US Navy during the Korean Conflict, was a member of the American Legion Post #34, and was a plank owner of the USS Missouri Memorial, Pearl Harbor, HI. Before retirement in 1991, Paul was employed as a sales representative for NABISCO for 44 years. His commitment to excellence and hard work was not only evident in his career but also in the way he approached every aspect of life.

He is the beloved husband of the late Mary Louise Brown; devoted father of Paul J. Wilson, III, Randy Lee Wilson (Tabitha), and the late Linda Sue Eberly; loving grandfather of 7 and great-grandfather of 14. Each of his grandchildren held a special place in his heart, and their accomplishments brought him immeasurable joy.

Relatives and friends are invited to celebrate Paul's life at his visitation on Wednesday, March 20, 2024, 11:00 a.m. and Memorial Service at 11:30 a.m. at Woodcrest Villa, Eagle Commons, 2001 Harrisburg Pike, Lancaster. The interment will be private at a later date.

In lieu of flowers and in memory of Paul's compassionate spirit, memorial contributions may be made to Mennonite Home Benevolent Fund, 1520 Harrisburg Pike, Lancaster, PA 17601.

As we say goodbye to Paul J. Wilson, Jr., let us remember the warmth of his smile, the wisdom he shared, and the love he gave to both his family and the community he served. May his soul rest in eternal peace, and may his legacy continue to inspire us all.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 20. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Mennonite Home
1520 Harrisburg Pike
Lancaster, PA 17602

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

BA

“ I met Paul and Mary Lou when we all lived at the Ilikai on Oahu. Paul and Mary Lou would enjoy evenings in the lobby with a small group of snow birds and locals. I kept in touch with Paul after he moved back to the mainland. He had very fond memories of Hawaii and reminisced often about people and places. Several years ago he started a "tradition" of gifting chocolate macadamia nuts to his cherished mainland friends. He delighted in the joy people expressed from his gift. Your HI friends wish you a hui hou, Paul. Aloha to Mary Lou, too.

Barbara - March 18, 2024 at 12:38 PM

BM

“ It was a pleasure to have Paul as our next door neighbor. While spending many hours puzzling with him over the last four years, he shared so many life stories. Paul lead a fascinating life whether it was living in Lancaster, Hawaii or anywhere in between. His family was very important to him and brought him great joy and pride when speaking of them. Paul will truly be missed but always remembered. My condolences to the family, Barbara J Maloney RR325

Barbara Maloney - March 05, 2024 at 10:46 AM

WM

“ Paul was the “King of Puzzles” ! He’s actually the reason my wife Barbara and I started doing puzzles. He was our neighbor and we will all miss him.
God Bless
Wayne Maloney RR 325

Wayne Maloney - March 05, 2024 at 10:19 AM