



Paul R. Jensen

December 17, 1930 - January 24, 2013

Paul R. Jensen of Farwell passed on Thursday, January 24. He was born in 1930 in Muskegon to Carl and Karen Jensen, and lived his entire life in Michigan. He grew up and graduated high school in Allegan and helped run his parents' flower shop there. He married Billie Jean (Conley) Jensen in 1953 and, after service in the Air Force, served in the Michigan State Police and, later, had a long career as an insurance adjuster, primarily with Auto Owners. He lived in Rockford, Ithaca, and Lansing before moving to Farwell in 1980 and, after Billie's passing in 1989, shared his life with Maxine Campbell from 1993 until her passing in 2006. Paul considered himself a very fortunate person, grateful for what he had and the people that shared and enriched his life. An avid sports fan, he religiously followed Central Michigan University, the Lions, Tigers, and Redwings and was a lifetime U of M fan. He loved living in Farwell and the people he knew in the area, and greatly appreciated the friends and neighbors who assisted him in many ways during his last years. Paul was known and cherished as a good friend, loving father and grandfather, and a very giving person. He was preceded in 2011 by the death of his daughter, Judith Jensen Vergon, and is survived by son Marc, daughter Jerri, daughter-in-law Maureen Jensen, daughter-in-law Antonia Rose, grand children Nicholas and Gregory Jensen, and Claire Jensenrose. Paul will be greatly missed by all those who knew and loved him. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, February 2, 2013, at 2:00 PM, at the Farwell United Methodist Church on Ohio Street in Farwell with Pastor Connie Bongard

officiating. There will be a reception following at the church, with an interment service in Allegan later this year. Arrangements were handled by the Farwell Chapel of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home. Please consider leaving the Jensen family a condolence at www.stephenson-wyman.com

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Farwell United Methodist Church
281 E Ohio Street
Farwell, MI 48622

Service

FEB 2. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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Jerri Jensen - February 01, 2013 at 12:14 AM

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Jerri Jensen - February 01, 2013 at 12:13 AM

SH

“ *The Staff of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home wishes to express our sympathy to the family of Paul Jensen. We appreciate the trust you have place in us to help you through this time.*



Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home - January 29, 2013 at 02:30 PM

RA

With Deepest Sympathy. Roy Shankel, Rob Fleming, Sue Belles and the staff of the Breckenridge Insurance Agency of MI. As an agency long associated with Auto Owners and located 25 miles south of Mt. Pleasant, we worked with your dad. As time passes, some people and associations remain with you. Paul Jensen was one of those people. May he rest in peace.

Roy D. Shankel, Breckenridge Ins. Agency - January 31, 2013 at 02:13 PM

BA

Paul was my friend and mentor when I first began my career with Auto-Owners. His insight, wisdom, and willingness to share helped me tremendously, both professionally and personally. I am still responsible for much of Paul's original marketing territory which he serviced for the Company before his retirement. All of his former business associates who remain have nothing but the highest regard and affection for Paul. He was one of the good guys, and I am forever indebted to him, and the better for knowing him. God bless you, Paul.

Bob Grant, Sr. Mkt. Rep. - Auto-Owners - February 02, 2013 at 06:22 AM

BV

To the Family of Paul Jensen,

My condolences regarding the passing of your dear Paul.

Paul was my Auto-Owners senior marketing rep. over thirty years ago when I began my career as an insurance agent. Paul helped me on many insurance issues over the years ... the biggest thing he taught me in my early years was "integrity and honesty", by his example ... he was a man of his word.

With all of my many visits with Paul, he always spoke fondly of his Family. May God comfort and bless you.

Brad Vernon - February 04, 2013 at 07:54 AM

JR

Paul was one of the seasoned marketing reps when I began my career with Auto-Owners as a new marketing rep in 1981. He was always such a gentleman and so willing to lend his advice when asked. He was a kind and gentle spirit and I will always remember how he would offer guidance always kindly and carefully. I know that God will keep him close and bless his family. He was a great person.

Jane Reinholz, Sr. Marketing Rep. - February 05, 2013 at 07:34 AM