



Paul J. Schmidt

October 31, 1942 - October 4, 2024

Paul James Schmidt, age 81 of Beaverton, passed away Friday, October 4, 2024 at the MyMichigan Medical Center in Midland. Paul was born the son of the late Francis and Adella (Demijohn) Schmidt on October 31, 1942 in Saginaw. Paul served in the U.S. Air Force during the Vietnam War. He was united in marriage to Susan Kinney on May 11, 1991 in Saginaw. Paul had worked for the U.S.P.S. in Saginaw and Flint before moving to Beaverton in 1991 to be a Postal Clerk at the Gladwin Post Office. He enjoyed fishing, puzzles and solving logic problems. Paul was a faithful member of the St. Cecilia Catholic Church, Our Lady of Hope Parish.

Paul is survived by his wife, Sue; stepsons and stepdaughters, E. Daniel Sawyer and Michael Breck (Rebecca) Sawyer both of Mesa, AZ, Roy Gene (Johanna) Sawyer of Tempe, AZ, Travis Lee Sawyer of Beaverton, Matthew John Sawyer of Mesa, AZ, Julie Susann (Bob) Wilson of Gladwin, Jeremy John (Andrea) Sawyer and Angela Marie Sawyer both of Beaverton, Aaron Josua (Meghan) Sawyer of Yulee, FL; his son Benjamin Joseph Paul (Shawn) Schmidt of Clare; his sisters Dolores Kaulbach of Texas and Philamena (Cris) Cowan of Rocky Mount, VA; 21 grandchildren, 9 great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Paul was predeceased by his daughter Valerie Lynn Sawyer; brothers Vince, Jerry and Phillip Schmidt as well as sisters Rita Schmidt, Julie Gutowski and Karen Clarke.

A Funeral Mass will be held on Wednesday, October 16, 2024 at St. Cecilia Catholic Church, Our Lady of Hope Parish. Visitation will be from 10 A.M. until

the time of Services at 11 A.M. with Monsignor Francis Koper officiating. Burial will follow in the St. Cecilia Catholic Cemetery. Memorial contributions at suggested to St. Cecilia Catholic Church, Our Lady of Hope Parish. Arrangements were handled by the Clare Chapel of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home. On-line condolences may be left at www.stephenson-wyman.com

Cemetery Details

St. Cecilia Catholic Cemetery

411 Schoolcrest Ave.
Clare, MI 48617

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **16**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Cecilia Catholic Church, Our Lady of Hope Parish
110 E. Wheaton Ave.
Clare, MI 48617

Mass

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Tribute Wall

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“ Paul was a gentle giant, but he loved the Lord and practiced what he quietly preached. My condolences to Sue and the family.

Joanne Dana - October 11, 2024 at 10:10 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Paul J. Schmidt.



October 07, 2024 at 03:04 PM

LH

“ My best memories of Uncle Paul was when him and Uncle Jerry would come over and play cards with my parents (it gives me comfort to think they are doing the same now as they meet again in heavenly peace) and he would always let me sit beside him and stack his pennies. He was always gentle and more quiet. Know y'all are in my thoughts during this difficult time.
Love from Texas:
Laurie Hamilton (Gutowski)

Laurie Hamilton - October 07, 2024 at 03:01 PM

MA

“ Marcida lit a candle in memory of Paul J. Schmidt



Marcida - October 06, 2024 at 03:58 PM