



Paul J. Rettig

August 10, 1933 - March 10, 2022

Paul Rettig, 88, of Aurora passed away on Thursday, March 10, 2022 at Rush Copley Medical Center. He was born August 10, 1933 in Crown Point, Indiana, the son of Albert and Elizabeth (Doffin) Rettig. On July 23, 1960 he married Jean Herlihy in Aurora. Together they raised five children.

Paul was a dedicated and loving husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather. He worked for over forty years at Barber-Greene in Aurora. He loved being an usher at Holy Angels Catholic Church and he was a member of the Catholic Order of Foresters. He gave of his time as a volunteer for Meals on Wheels and enjoyed camping, volleyball and baseball.

He is survived by his wife, Jean Rettig, children, Nancy Rettig, Mary (Julio) Santiago, Mark (Jeana) Rettig, Theresa Rettig, and Michael (Michelle) Rettig; grandchildren, Kris, Jeremy, Megan, Katie, Jordan, Jackson, Ryan, and Kristen; great grandchild, Paul; sister, Marilyn Rettig, special friend, Shirley; sisters-in-law Joan, Connie, and Marie; and several nieces and nephews.

Paul was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Roger and Arnold.

Funeral Mass will be Thursday, March 17, 2022 at 9:30am from THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY to Holy Angels Church at 10:00am. Fr. Michael Lavan and Fr. Charles Reichenbacher will co-officiate with interment at Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

Visitation will be Wednesday, March 16, 2022 from 4:00pm until 7:00pm at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N. Lake St., Aurora, 630-631-5500. Masks

are optional for all those in attendance.

Please visit our website at www.daleidenmortuary.com where you may leave condolences for Paul's family.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

278 Ashland Avenue
Aurora, IL 60505

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 16. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary
220 N. Lake Street
Aurora, IL 60506
(630) 631-5500
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

Funeral Mass

MAR 17. 10:00 AM (CT)

Holy Angels Church
120 South Lancaster Avenue
Aurora, IL 60506

Tribute Wall

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“ *Mary and family,
I'm so sorry for your loss! I remember your dad as a gentle & kind
man. I'll add you all to my prayer list & have a mass offered up for
the repose of his soul. May God bless you,
Karen (Johnson) Waltz*

Karen Waltz - March 16, 2022 at 11:57 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased
for the family of Paul J. Rettig.*



March 15, 2022 at 09:06 PM



“ *Lavender & White Sympathy Basket was
purchased for the family of Paul J. Rettig.*



March 15, 2022 at 05:45 PM



“ *Blue & White Standing Wreath was purchased for
the family of Paul J. Rettig.*



March 15, 2022 at 04:42 PM



“ *Red, White & Blue Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Paul J. Rettig.*



March 15, 2022 at 01:12 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Paul J. Rettig.*



March 14, 2022 at 04:24 PM



“ *I just received word from my dear friend Joan of the passing of Paul and I want to express my sincere condolences to your entire loving family. Paul was the patriarch of a dedicated, close, caring, generous extended family and will be genuinely missed by all. Strong faith will sustain you in this loss. Sincerely, Ruthann*

Ruthann Klaiss - March 13, 2022 at 03:23 PM

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“ My prayers are with Paul's family during this time of great loss. Paul will be missed by many, what a kind and true gentleman he was. I have so many fond and happy memories of Paul helping my Mother. Paul was always so quick to step up and help whomever needed help. He will be forever in your hearts, may your memories bring you comfort.
Love you and thank you for being in our lives,
Yvonne Smith and Family



Yvonne Smith - March 13, 2022 at 12:11 PM

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“ Paul will always be treasured in our thoughts and prayers for his great kindness, generosity and compassion. He was such a gentleman and a great Catholic man. He leaves behind a wonderful family, many friends and great memories for a life well lived.. His passing was on my birth date will forever bind me and my family to honor his memory. I hope he will be able to build me a "ramp" into heaven when he gets there!
Love you Paul Rettig!



Your friend,
Peggy (and Paul) Nye and family

Peggy - March 12, 2022 at 05:52 PM