



Paul L. Kraatz

December 6, 1941 - July 2, 2015

KRAATZ, PAUL L. Age 73 July 2, 2015. Beloved husband of Lorraine "Laurie" (nee BACON) for 52 years. Loving father of Andrew(Michele), Darrin(Stacy) & Jeffrey(Jessica). Proud grandfather of Andrew Jr., Megan, Gavin, Dylan, Arianna, Madison, Brennan, Peyton & Bennett. Dearest brother of Arlene(the late Ted)Bowling & Janet(Duane)Rosso. Paul was an owner & partner of Kraatz Flower Shop in Mt. Clemens which was founded in 1947. He was Past President of the Michigan State Floral Association, a longtime member of Trinity Lutheran in Clinton Township, Paul served as an Elder and Day School Board Member and was also Past President of the Mt. Clemens Kiwanis Club. Visitation Tuesday 3-9pm, Wednesday 1-9pm at Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons 54880 Van Dyke at 25 Mile (Shelby Twp.). Funeral Thursday Instate 10:00am at Trinity Lutheran Church (Clinton Twp.) 38900 Harper (btw. Crocker & Metro Parkway) until time of Service at 11:00am. Donations are welcome to the Hospices of Henry Ford, Trinity Lutheran Church or the American Cancer Society. Interment Cadillac Memorial Gardens East. Share memories with the family at their "On Line Guest Book" @ WujekCalcaterra.com

Tribute Wall

ME

“ *Andy , We at F.B. Contractors, Mike, Faxon, Donna, Bob and all the guys would like to send our prayers and love to all your Family in this most difficult of times. Your Father was a fine member of His community and well loved by all. He raised some fine children , we know because we have the pleasure of working with one.*”

Mike Van Eyk - July 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *So sorry to hear about the passing of Paul. I think of you often Laurie. I sure your family is great comfort to you. DIANNE-HEADMASTERS HAIR SHOPPE*”

Dianne Dunn - July 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *To Andy, Michele and all of the Kraatz Family I was very sorry to hear of your Paul's illness and then passing. Know that you are in many peoples prayers asking for peace and comfort.*”

marcia simpson - July 08, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ *Our deepest sympathy to Laurie and Family. Paul was a great college and friend to all in the Floral Business. Enjoyed my time on MFA Board with Paul, who always made me laugh . David and I, both have wonderful memories of his friendship. David & Susan Pagenstecher*”

Susan Pagenstecher - July 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AF

“Lori and family, Your former "kitty corner" neighbors on Lodewyck send our deepest condolences on Paul's passing. He was a terrific man.”

A friend - July 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TF

“Sorry to hear about Paul. May His Memory Be Eternal. Tom and Jolyne”

Tom and Jolyne Fisher - July 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JP

“Paul i will always remember our Breakfast's together , and all the fun we had being Dealer Traders waiting to get paid, also you being the best GPS when i would take you off track and how you would razz me about it, I will miss our talks , and i will always remember the friendship we had .”

Jjm Potter - July 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JM

“Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire Kraatz family during this difficult time. We have so many great memories of Paul and many good times together. He will be missed by all who knew him.”

John and Gail MacArthur - July 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BI

“Our most sincere sympathies to all.”

Bill - July 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LM

“I am very saddened to hear of Paul's passing. I enjoyed working for him for a few years and those years will always be important to me. I will always remember him for teaching me to never assume anything! ...I have passed that knowledge on over the years since. My deepest sympathies to Laurie and all of his family.”

Lori Mouton - July 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AG

“I will always remember Mr. Kraatz as a faithful father who embraced our Trinity family. He picked me up for school religiously every day. His seeds of kindness eventually led produced very successful and loving people. Truly a kind man.”

Ann Green - July 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PL

“We will miss our dear friend and neighbor. Paul always made us feel at home, he was one of Peter's best friends and he will be greatly missed.”

Peter Varhol and Susan Little - July 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM