



Paul C. Werth, Sr.

January 12, 2007

Paul C. Werth, Sr. passed away January 12, 2007 at the age of 77. Beloved husband of the late Dorothy. Loving father of Susan, Pauline (David) Bedwell, Phyllis, Paul Jr.(Marlene), John (Nancy), Gerald (Tammy) and Christopher. Proud grandfather of David Jr., Meagan, Sammantha, Ashley, Jessica, Tyler, Brandon, Kaitlyn, Paul III and the late Nicholas. ♦ Loving brother of Geraldine Petts.

Paul was a Detroit Police Officer from 1953 until he retired in 1978.

Visitation Sunday 4-9:00 PM and Monday 1-9:00PM at Vermeulen Funeral Home, 46401 W. Ann Arbor Road., Plymouth (btwn Sheldon & Beck). ♦ In state Tuesday 10:00 AM until the Funeral Mass at 11:00 AM at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church, 47650 N. Territorial Road, Plymouth. (at Beck).

Entombment at Riverside Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Services to Enhance Potential, Northwest Unit (S.T.E.P.), 32229 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI 48150.

To leave a message of condolence for the family, please click on the condolence link.



Tribute Wall



“ *Paul C. Werth, Sr.*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *hi mr. paul c werth, sr in thoughts and prayers we miss to your keep wonderful person mr. paul werth sr from michael pilotto*

michael pilotto - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM



“ *hi in my thoughts and prayers will be keep all of his family special olympics and bowling son chirs werth we miss to you michael pilotto*

michael pilotto - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

RF

“ I am deeply saddened by your loss. Paul was someone I looked up to. . .his grand smile and prankish wims made him loveable and real. As a child, he towered over myself and his nephew, Bill Duchene. Not just in stature, but in awe. It was always a fun time whenever Paul and Dorothy visited Gerry and Art's cottage while we were there. No one can ever forget the outhouse incident!!! He was powerful and loving. His eyes told the story of his love for Dorothy and his children. His heart opened up for the underdogs. But, he was strong and determined whenever needed. I never got a chance to tell him that I graduated from U of M. I'm sure that would have made him smile. I remember a cold Thanksgiving night that we spent at the Werths. Outside Bill, my sister and brother, Paul's kids and I played football in the snow (his kids were much younger than I. . . but we still had fun.) Dorothy and Paul made our family feel at home and comfortable. I can remember Dorothy's loving eyes, flashing with delight when Paul would tease. They seemed to smile and say "That's my husband!" I wish that as an adult I would have had the opportunity to visit with him, but as we grow older, the MORE busy we become. Regardless, he made a positive impact on me. He will be missed, but Paul and Bo will cheer the squad on from a loftier perch. With respect and sympathy, Randy

Randy Ferguson - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

AB

“ To the Paul C. Werth Children - You gave your Father the most glorious tribute sending him home to heaven to be with his beloved Dorothy forever. May God comfort you in the days ahead. It will be a rough road, but as time passes the road gets a little smoother. You did your Dad proud! Our prayers and thoughts are with you at this most difficult time in your lives. GO BLUE!

Annie & Margaret Bedwell - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

RW

“ Dear Werth family,
My name is Richard Werth son of George and Edna. I also informed my brother Donald who lives in California of Paul's passing. Our family wishes to express our deepest sympathy at this time. Our mother passed away two days after her birthday on October 30Th 2005. I remember Paul as a child visiting my grand parents at their home on Avis street in Detroit. Again our condolence's to you and your family.
Richard Werth

Richard Werth - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

KN

“ My deepest regards to all of family. I still and always will fondly remember him most as "coach" managing the Aggie's team, and allowing me the privilage to play. He knew aspects of the game I wasn't even aware of. He will be missed.

Kenny Nowicki - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

JB

“ On behalf of myself and the staff at Cuda Uniform, I would like to wish my deepest condolences to you and your family, and while it is never easy, take comfort in the fact that he is in a much better place now..... Our prayers are with you all.

John Brancheau - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

LB

“ John - Your dad was part of the Michigan gameday experience for me and many others. Saturday afternoon at the Big House will not be the same. He and your family will remain in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless. Leo

Leo Brown - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

E(

“ My sympathy to all family members. He use to come in to the drug store and since I attended Michigan State he would always tease me about Michigan's winning football games.

Elaine Moss (Rite-Aid) - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

BJ

“ I would like to express my deepest sympathy. I worked at the St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center when Paul was there. He was a wonderful gentleman and greatly missed when he left. Take care and God bless.

Betty Jones - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

JP

“ Paul, sorry to read about your father. In our many conversations, you always spoke fondly of him. He must have been a great dad!
Your truly, John Padesky

John Padesky - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

BF

“ I just wanted to offer our condolences. I saw Paul's obituary in the paper. I remember having a lot of Good Times with your family at Aunt Gerry's cottage at Elizabeth Lake many, many years ago. I still remember how he got a certain nickname when he tried to unplug the attached outside toilet with his service revolver. Please pass these condolences on to your Aunt Gerry also. Respectfully, Bill Ferguson (Son of Jim and Adelle Ferguson)

Bill & Lynda Ferguson - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

PO

“ Chris - our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of loss. It was a pleasure to know your Dad thru bowling - He will be missed - I know he is so very proud of you - and what a great athlete you are. We are all thinking about you.

Plymouth-Canton Special Olympics - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

BF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Brian and Marie Lally & Family - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

JG

“ Bubba-Your dad was a good man. I remember him being a strong family man who welcomed all into the U.M. party on any Saturday. My contact with your dad may have been limited but he left a valuable impression on me. God Bless.

Jim Gietl - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

DT

“ Dear Susie, Pauline, Phyllis, Bubba, John, Gerry and Chris, Seldom in your life do you run into people that give of themselves to others and expect nothing in return. Your dad has left a permanent mark on my development and upbringing. I don't even know where to start. John and Gerry as your childhood neighbor and friend I can't count the times your mom and dad accepted me as one of theirs and included me in your family activities. This was significant for me without a dad of my own at home. It didn't matter if the game was in Purdue or Ann Arbor I often was invited and going along. From the Police Gym, the Ever 7 bingo hall, the backyard pool, or the bread truck and Koeplingers field, we tagged along with your dad and memories were built along the way. John he was so proud and excited about Syracuse and you being one of the "Orangemen". He was your biggest fan. His dedication to things he believed in was tenacious. U of M will also miss him and if he had not been able to voice his support of late he should be thanked for his support over the years. I did not travel anywhere with you guys where your dad didn't somehow identify with U of M. John, I have not seen your dad in a few years our lives have taken us in different directions. I want to thank you and your family and especially on behalf of your dad that O.K.'s all the trips and treats that neighbor kids get. His influence and your family's influence on my life has been significant. We will all miss him. Doug

Doug Thompson - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

DT

“ We are so sorry for the loss of your father. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. Our father was a remarkable man, who always retained his sense of humor no matter what. We have such fond memories of your dad, especially Dave, who remembers the softball days. He will be missed!

Dave and Christine Trowbridge - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

LG

“ Although I only met Paul at a few Michigan games that John was kind enough to invite me to from time-to-time, I found him to be an extremely funny and energetic person. He was always there with a quick joke (usually risque) or an opinion on Michigan's play that particular week. The Maize and Blue most definitely did lose their #1 fan on earth but now Paul can sit there in heaven and tell Bo whether or not the Wolves should blitz on their next play or what they need to do to finally start beating Ohio State again.. Rest in Peace Paul. Your fight was long and hard and you deserve to rest now with your wife.

Larry Gaitley - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

MS

“ MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY GOES OUT TO THE FAMILY OF PAUL WERTH, I'M A LONG TIME FRIEND FOR OVER 50 YEARS. GOD BLESS AND MAY THE ETERNAL LIGHT SHINE UPON HIM.

MRS. BERNICE SOBODASH - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

JC

“ Jerry, we are sorry to hear about your dad's passing. Your entire family will be in our thoughts and prayers in the coming days. Remember, we are just across the street if you need anything. Jerry & Sue

Jerry and Sue Cumber - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

EA

“ Phyllis... I am so sorry to hear about your father. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Elaine Arnold - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

JN

“ My deepest sympathy to all. I'm sorry I can't be at the funeral but you?ll be in my prayers. God bless.

James Anton Nowicki - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

DD

“ John, I was sorry to hear of your Fathers Death, I read it in the obituaries today. Sorry I can't make visitation or the funeral as I now live in Northern Michigan. Im sure you made your Dad very proud working your way up through the ranks. Its been a pleasure watching you grow with the Dept. Your Friend SSgt. Dave DeLauder (Retired City Officer)

Dave DeLauder - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

BB

“ John, Please know that you and your family are in my prayers. I remember your dad from the St. Agatha days. He was a gentleman and an all around good person. I am sure that all of you are proud of him.

Beth Burns - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

PM

“ Hi John, i'm(we) very sorry to hear of the passing of your dad. He was great father to u and all of your family, and a wonderful friend to others. He always made us feel welcomed when we stopped at the motor home, on saturday afternoons for the games. I will always remember, _____ FOR THE HEISMAN", no matter who was up for the running...god bless, always there for you, sincerely Peter Mac

pete and nancy mackenzie - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

KK

“ Chief - Not sure if you remember me...I am Denise Holicki's sister and was training for dispatching about 3 years ago....I hope you do. I was saddened to hear of you father's death. May the Lord's presence be near you and your family and comfort you during this difficult time. You are in my prayers... Kelley Kinnell

Kelley Kinnell - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM

AB

“ Pauline & Family, Memories keep the one you loved close to you in spirit and thought and always in your heart, today and forever. Thinking of you with sympathy.

Aunt Kathy & Bob - December 12, 2014 at 10:34 AM