



Paul Lee Eller

June 17, 1931 - December 17, 2020

Paul Lee Eller was born June 17, 1931 in Staunton, Illinois. He died peacefully December 17, 2020 in Prince William Hospital. Paul was the youngest child of Chester Eller and Nancy Jane Fones. In addition to his parents, Paul was preceded in death by his siblings: Dorothy, Johnny, Will, Chester, Richard, and Lorraine.

Paul is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Betty Jean, numerous nieces and nephews, and many dear friends.

After graduating high school, Paul worked for the local carbine company in Illinois until he enlisted in the armed forces. While in the service, Paul was stationed at Independent Hill Air Force Base. It was there he met his future wife, Betty Jean Lowe. Paul proudly served his country for ten years in the Air Force.

After his honorable discharge, Paul and Betty Jean settled in her hometown, Manassas, Virginia. Here they built a home and over the years shared it with their beloved cats and dogs. Pets were a very important part of their lives and were treated as such.

After the service, Paul worked for Prince William Electric Co-Op (now NOVEC) for 30 years and retired as an engineering supervisor. While working

there, Paul made many friends, some of which he kept in touch with until his passing.

Paul was an active member of the community. He was a member of the Lions Club, the American Legion, the Masons, the Shriners, and the Manassas Men's Club. Paul coached a youth baseball team that was sponsored by the co-op.

Paul enjoyed many years of retirement. He was an avid golfer and took vacations to Myrtle Beach with his golfing friends. Paul also looked forward to his trips to Charlestown with a carful of his friends.

Paul valued his family, friends, and acquaintances. He frequently would take doughnuts to the staff in his doctor's office and the rehab center. In the summer he would travel to the orchard, load the trunk of his car with peaches, and spend the afternoon delivering sacks of the fruit to his friends and neighbors. Paul truly enjoyed his friends and their companionship.

Paul will be remembered by all the people whose lives he touched. He was very loved and will be truly missed.

In memory of Paul, donations may be made the Shriners Hospitals for Children.

Tribute Wall

CL

“ Betty Jean. My heart hurts for you. I remember Paul as having one of the biggest smiles, so handsome, really tall and one of the nicest people I have ever known. May he R.I.P

Carol Lewis-Saunders - December 26, 2020 at 07:57 PM

JD

“ RIP dear Paul. You worked with my father and Betty Jean worked with my mother. My brother, Teddy and I loved you both and were fascinated by the laughter you shared wherever you were. Good friends to all of us. With all our love for all the memories...(Chic, Mickey, Teddy) and me, Jo Marie. God Bless.

Jo M Duke - December 23, 2020 at 05:28 PM

RD

“ Betty Jean,
My Heart aches for your loss. Paul was such a wonderful man & will be missed by many. I Pray that God holds you in his loving arms & brings you comfort as you walk through this difficult journey. 🙏🙏

Ruthie Lynch Dodson - December 23, 2020 at 12:57 PM

RF

“ Paul was one of the first people we met when we moved to Manassas in 1956. He was a friend ever since. One of the nicest men you would ever want for a friend. Our group of friends lived a full and meaningful life. Paul will be missed, but oh the memories we still have . Goodby, good friend.
Ruby Frame

Ruby (Roy) Frame - December 23, 2020 at 12:33 PM

BC

“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Bev and Rob Calderoni - December 22, 2020 at 06:33 PM

BC

“ BJ, Friends & Family, Please accept our greatest sympathies in your loss!

I have known Paul all of my life and considered him a 2nd Father! He loved this time of year and I remember many, many Christmas mornings that he would come over to our house to see what Santa brought us kids! He had to play with everything, too! The Myrtle beach trips with friends, the parties, early dinners! So glad we were able to get together in September, when I was home! I will miss him terribly, as will so many of his friends! I know he has joined many of them where he is, now, my dad and so many others that went before him! We love you Paul.... We love you Betty Jean!



*Love,
Bev & Rob*

Bev and Rob Calderoni - December 22, 2020 at 06:20 PM

BC

“ Bev Calderoni sent a virtual gift in memory of Paul Lee Eller



Bev Calderoni - December 22, 2020 at 06:13 PM

RM

“ we had many road trips together and several family outings.He was like a father to me.You will be forever missed. Randy Mathers



randy mathers - December 22, 2020 at 02:12 PM