



Paul H. Hoecke Jr

October 4, 1936 - October 26, 2018

Paul H. Hoecke Jr, 82, of Perryville, died October 26, 2018 at his residence in Perryville, Missouri surrounded by his family.

He was born October 4, 1936 in Cape Girardeau, MO, son of Paul H. and Rosella "Sally" (Heisserer) Hoecke Sr. He and the love of his life, Donna M. Buchheit, were married on December 27, 1958. She survives in Perryville, MO.

Paul proceeded his father as owner and operator of Hoecke's Bakery. He believed in a strong work ethic and was proud to instill this trait in his children. He was a devout Catholic, dedicated family man and an avid outdoors man who enjoyed hunting, fishing and gardening. Paul was a 1955 graduate of St. Vincent de Paul High School and graduated from Oklahoma State University School of Technical Training in baking. He was an US Army Veteran of the Korean War. He was a member of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus, V.F.W., Perry County Sportmans Club, American Legion and was an usher at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church and member of the Holy Name Society.

Other survivors include three daughters and two sons, Julie (Michael) Metzger of Cape Girardeau, Patricia (James) Wengert, Paul (Angela Glastetter) Hoecke, Joseph (Yvette Duvall) Hoecke and Ann (Timothy) Baer all of Perryville, one sister, Patricia (William) Wingerter of Perryville, sixteen grandchildren, Mick (Meredith) Metzger, Tyler Metzger, Natalie Metzger, Matthew (Bridget) Wengert, Christopher Wengert, Brett (Taylor)

Wengert, John (Oksana) Hoeckeke, Dawn (Jack) Moore, Angel Hoeckeke, Eli (Danielle) Hoeckeke, Leslie (Kyle) Esselman, Daniel (Chastity) Hoeckeke, Isaac Baer, Samuel Baer, Joseph Baer and Jack Baer and fifteen great grandchildren, brothers and sisters-in-law, Jerry (Joann) Buchheit, Kenny (Rhonda) Buchheit, Jim (Sandy) Buchheit, Michael (Sue) Buchheit, Karen (John) Koeper, Jane (Bill) Sell, Peggy (Richard) Wince, Jill (Jim) Rathe, Cherri Bertrand and Kim Buchheit.

He was preceded in death by his parents and an infant son, John Edward Hoeckeke.

Visitation will be held at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church on Tuesday, October 30 from 4:00 – 8:00 pm and on Wednesday from 6:30 am until time of Mass at 11:00 am with Rev. Rich Wehrmeyer CM officiating.

Burial in Mount Hope Cemetery.

Memorials preferred for Missionaries of Charity, Southeast Hospice, St. Vincent Educational Foundation or St. Vincent School Libraries or charity of your choice.

Young & Sons Funeral Home, Inc. in Perryville, MO provided the arrangements.

Online condolences may be made at youngandsonsfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Paul H. Hoeckele Jr*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



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October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Paul was the kindest, most caring, practical man I have ever known; so appropriate to commemorate his life around All Saints Day.*

Richard Wince - November 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Saying prayers Donna for you and your family. He will be forever missed by many.*

Christina Buchheit - October 31, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Deepest sympathy to you Julie and your entire family - saying prayers for peace & comfort for you.*

Karen Blattner - October 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Deepest sympathies Julie, and to your entire family - losing a parent is so very difficult - prayers for all of you.*

Karen Blattner - October 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Hoecke family.*

Sandy and charles Turlin - October 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *Donna Gods strength & love for you sorry for your loss*

Darla& Emmett kennon - October 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *Praying for the Hoeckle family today remembering your loving dad, husband, and his gentle smile. The Cowarts*

Mimi and James Cowart - October 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *Thoughts and prayers for your family!*

Candy Herzog - October 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

FV

“ *To all the Hoecke Family, my thoughts and prayers are with you all... Without a doubt, this good man is now seeing the face of God and hearing the words. "Well done, my good and faithful servant" Eternal Resr grant unto him O' Lord... Blessings of peace...*

Fr. Rickey Valleroy - October 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ *God bless your family and he will surround u with angel wings to support!*

Marsha Holloway - October 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ *It was a privedge to know Paul, a good husband, father and friend to many. He will be greatly missed. Julie, sorry we can not make it back for the funeral. Love you guys and sending our prayers.*

Ted and Laura Metzger - October 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *Donna I am so sorry for your loss. Hate that I have to work tomorrow so wont br able to come! Hugs n prayers for you!!*

Dixie Davie - October 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Love the Hoeckele family! Prayers for peace and comfort.*

Terri (Kilump) Peck - October 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM

EP

“ *Im so very sorry to hear of Pauls passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Elaine Pinar - October 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *Into God's hands. What a legacy. God bless you all.*

Karen Martin - October 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM