



## Paul Hahn

December 8, 1936 - June 4, 2020

On 12/08/36 Paul Hahn's bus arrived at the station in Halstead, Germany, leaving the most beautiful soul who ever graced this planet. His heart of gold lived a marvelous life and through struggles and hard work he showed his family there is nothing which cannot be overcome. Paul re-boarded the bus in Ocala, FL on 06/04/20 and went to be with the Lord and his Angel Linda Marie, who predeceased him in 1997. His legacy, like time, space and love will live on forever in his daughters Donna M. Fox, Debra A. Hahn-Rauch (Patrick), Paula L. O'Shea (Allen), Stephanie E. Maufroy (Lee) and his sister Inga Hassett (Bruce). He is adored by his many grandchildren, nieces, nephews and friends along with his best friend and devoted companion Rose Demuccio. He was predeceased by his parents Hans and Elizabeth, his son Paul, his brother's Josef and Eddie, his sister Hannelore and his son-in-law Mark Fox. Paul came to the United States at the age of 16, proudly became a US Citizen, joined the United States Army (Airborne Division) and had a 38 year career as a bus driver in Manhattan for Liberty Lines Transit. Per his request there are no services. Christian Burial will be in St. Denis Cemetery in Hopewell Junction, NY, next to his beloved Angel. He will always be remembered for his unconditional love, gentle spirit and unwavering faith.

# Tribute Wall

DZ

“ PAUL HAHN. Four simple letters made up his first & last name and summed up the humble way he lived his life of LOVE.

I met Paul at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish. I sat in a pew in front of he & Rose. We soon became friends and he introduced me to his daughters. They welcomed me into their family and I have enjoyed each and every moment spent together. I am grateful that they have allowed me to become and remain a part of their lives. Paul is an exceptional man who created a life for his family based upon his unwavering Catholic Faith, living by the Golden Rule of loving one another, supporting each other, lending a helping hand to those in need, having integrity, being hard working and above all enjoying and living a life that makes this world a beautiful place. Paul always remained devoted to Our Lord Jesus, our Blessed Mother and God our Heavenly Father throughout his life. His Catholic Faith began as a young boy in Germany and he continued to say his daily prayers in both German & English.

He labored as a young man, learned to speak English, served his Country, married, raised a family and was an exemplary employee for the transit company.

Paul has a circle of very loyal friends and to know him is to love him. His sense of humor brightened everyone's day, his embrace made you feel safe & secure and holding his hand radiated the love from his heart to yours. Paul encourages people to be the best they can be, to never give up and to be true to yourself.

The day that Paul's cherished heart stop beating, I was heartbroken. But the Heavens rejoiced, the choir of angels sang and welcomed their beloved Home.

My heart aches that he is no longer among us and I will miss him always. However, Paul has lived a well deserving life and earned his reward in the everlasting kingdom of Heaven. So may eternal rest grant unto Paul dear Lord and may the perpetual light shine upon him. Till we meet again and never part...Amen!

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Dawn Marie Zielinski - June 20, 2020 at 07:12 PM

NL

“ Paul was a wonderful man. He was a great neighbor .Paul you will be missed by all that knew you. Rest in peace dear man.

Nancy F Lane - June 14, 2020 at 02:19 PM

SO

“ When I moved into my place at Derby Downs-Paul was one of the first I met.he became not only my neighbor but a very special & helpful friend to me. Many times he offered his help & watched over my place when I was away. Many times talked of his loving family & his life events. He was a joy to talk with - always a smile to offer.I will certainly miss seeing him in the yard with his little dog. Rest in peace Paul - your memories remain with all who knew you!

SHARON OTTOMAN - June 14, 2020 at 04:39 AM

DF

“ Dear Dad...to the first man I ever loved. I am convinced that God knew what he was doing when he chose you to be my dad. God Blessed me in making me your first. You taught me everything I needed in life through your loving, nurturing, and warm-hearted ways. You always lead by example. One thing that is most distinguishable of you is your humor. You could make anyone laugh, and your humor was loved by all. I can never thank you enough for being an amazing example of a true human and father. Walk forever in the Glorious Kingdom with Mom. I will be proud to call you DAD for all eternity, and so thankful you were mine. Rest Easy Dad. I Love You.

DonnaMarie Fox - June 11, 2020 at 10:30 AM

PR

“ Good Bye my friend, mentor and one of the few that always had my back. I look back at the many times working on the cars or fixing the roof, and the boys never hesitating to jump up there with us to prove how fearless they were. And how proud you were to see the men that they have become. All the BBQ's and football games where fun was had by all. I will miss you. Rest easy knowing that I will always Love, Protect and Care for your beautiful daughter and your 3 grandsons.

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**Patrick Rauch** - June 10, 2020 at 04:49 PM

DH

“ Dad, you are loved by many, cherished by few, and will be missed by all. Celebrate in paradise with Mom and rest easy knowing your legacy continues through your 3 adoring Grandsons. Promises will be kept and lessons learned will be passed along. Pat and I will forever be grateful for your continued faith in us. Thank you for the love, laughs and wisdom that you never hesitated to share. I will love and miss you forever.

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**Debra Ann Hahn-Rauch** - June 10, 2020 at 06:25 AM

SR

“ We love you Paul...you were my grandmas very best friend and the best representation of a grandfather to me ❤️ Missing your sweet voice already💔

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**Sarah Rozelle** - June 09, 2020 at 07:58 PM

MR

“ You were always positive, you were always strong, no matter what you could always make the whole room laugh. It was a pleasure to have you in our lives and for those who weren't as lucky to know you sure missed out. Life is a journey that we're all in together; this bus will carry on even though your stop has come and gone. As for the rest of our journeys I know we can all be sure of one thing, "we might not know where we're going but we're making great time." It's an honor to carry on your name. Rest easy, and until we meet again, I love you Grandpa.

Matthew Paul Hahn Rauch - June 09, 2020 at 12:18 PM

SM

“ Dad, you were there for my first breath and I was there for your last. Your beautiful gentle soul will forever live within my heart. You taught me how to always see the good in everyone, how to be strong, how to work hard and how to love with my whole heart. I will miss you forever, please hug mom tight for me . When things get tough \" I will think to myself..... What a Wonderful World\".

Stephanie Maufroy - June 09, 2020 at 08:43 AM

PO

“ I'll find a rose for you among my souvenirs....a few more tokens left in my treasure chest...they do their best to bring me consolation....and as the tesrdrops start, I find a broken heart...among my souvenirs. Love you dad.....I can still hear you guiding me on my journey. As I told the church today, other than Jesus Christ himself, you were the kindest most gentlest soul to walk on this Earth. I love you...always.



Paula O'Shea - June 08, 2020 at 09:39 PM

AH

“ This saddens us to hear of Paul's passing. He was a remarkable man with the best sense of humor. He was willing to help anyone. He was a big advocate for collecting for the Vets and any other organization that needed supplies. He was a fellow AARP officer with my husband and myself and we always enjoyed eating out with Paul and Rose at the VFW fish fries. We will miss the best bingo caller in the Shores too. Paul's love for Rose and all his family was so evident. Rest in Peace Paul. You will be missed by Roger and I but also by anyone who knew you.

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**Ardella & Roger Hutchins** - June 08, 2020 at 12:40 PM

LM

“ I only knew Paul for 9yrs. Wish I could have known him a lot longer. He was as genuine as they get. He was also very humorous. I remember asking him for his blessing to marry his youngest daughter. He looked at me with a grin and said "are you sure". We both laughed. He loved coming over for our bbq's and reminiscing with everyone. He was a kind soul but, also a man you respected. My whole family grew to love him. Especially my mother who passed on last year. He will be greatly missed and his legacy will live on through his family who loved him dearly. Rest In Peace my friend. Lee Maufroy, son in law

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**Lee maufroy** - June 08, 2020 at 12:11 PM