



Paul Ray McNees

May 24, 1934 - November 30, 2024

Funeral Services for Paul Ray McNees, 90, will be Noon, Friday, December 6, 2024, at First United Methodist Church. Reverend Tom Corum will be officiating. Burial will follow at Frankfort Cemetery. Visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service Friday, December 6, 2024, at First United Methodist Church, 211 Washington St, Frankfort, KY 40601.

Paul Ray McNees, born May 24, 1934, passed into God's arms November 30, 2024, at his home with his wife and stepdaughter by his side. Paul was the son of Frances Lake and John McNees of Harrison Co., Kentucky. He was preceded by his parents, a brother, John Keller McNees and his son, Steven Ray McNees, and stepson, Robert Warman. Paul graduated from Harrison County High School and went on to graduate from Eastern KY University in 1956. He entered the United States Army and spent almost two years in Korea. After the Army he returned home and began a 36-year career with the Kentucky Revenue Cabinet, retiring in 1994 as a supervisor.

From his first marriage his son, Steven, was born in 1965. Steven was the apple of his eye and Paul was a very devoted father. In 1970 Paul married Elizabeth "Betty" Points Warman and gained three stepchildren who have loved him as a father. A good blended family.

Paul and Betty made their home in Frankfort where Betty taught 5th grade at

Bridgeport Elementary. They were active members of First United Methodist Church. Paul served as Treasurer for over 10 years and later kept attendance records for the church. Golf was Paul's most fun thing to do with a regular band of Cronies, Ray, Carp, Cash, Elwood, and Bob. Lots of good times.

Paul is survived by his wife Elizabeth, stepchildren (whom he considered as his children) Lisa Ellen Friedly, and William Edmund Warman; 3 grandchildren, Elizabeth F. Ernst (Milton Baker), Alisa F. Reed (Regi), and Wm. Ray T. Warman; and three great grandchildren, Parker Ernst, Noah Reed, and Even Reed.

A more honest, loving, compassionate, God loving man would be hard to find. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Pallbearers will be Mike Whitaker, Regi Reed, Ron Alvis, Richard Burris, Milton Baker, and Wm. "Bill" Warman. Honorary pallbearers will be Cleland White, and Elwood Harris.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the First United Methodist Church Music Fund or the First United Methodist Church GAP Fund, 211 Washington St, Frankfort, KY 40601.

Cemetery Details

Frankfort Cemetery

215 E. Main
Frankfort, KY 40601

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 6. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist
211 Washington Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
<http://www.firstumcfrankfort.com>

Funeral Service

DEC 6. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JC

“ *My husband and Paul Ray were best of friends at Harrison Co High School. Sorry to read of his death.*

joyce Clifford - December 16, 2024 at 06:35 PM

AG

“ *Paul was a very well respected person who was a great help to me when I came to Frankfort and the Revenue Cabinet in 1988. Even though many years have passed, I remember his kindness and his willingness to show me the way. His love of Betty and the family were obvious to us all. Thank you Paul for being my friend.*

*Agnes Roberts Johnson
Leitchfield Ky*

AgnesJohnson - December 06, 2024 at 09:11 AM

DA

“ *Sending thoughts of comfort and healing to Betty and her family...*

David Allen - December 04, 2024 at 09:15 PM

DC

“ *My father, Maurice Carpenter, sure enjoyed working with Paul at the Revenue Cabinet and golfing with the younger guys as he put it.*

Doug Carpenter - December 03, 2024 at 08:53 AM

DB

“ I worked with Paul in Revenue for many years, then when talking found out his wife was my former teacher. Then went on to be his daughter's Lisa's and her girls neighbors for a short time. Prayers for you all.

Denise Moore Burke - December 02, 2024 at 04:18 PM