

Paul Steven Ellis

August 27, 1944 - November 7, 2019

Paul Steven Ellis 75, of Saline, MI passed away peacefully, surrounded by family, on Thursday, November 7, 2019. Paul was born August 27, 1944 in Detroit, MI to the late Kingston and Helen (Tull) Ellis. On September 23, 1966 he married Mary Goralski and together they enjoyed 53 years of marriage. Paul is survived by his wife Mary, his children Curt (Monica) Ellis, Glenn (Linda) Ellis, grandchildren Caitlin, Grant, Brennan, Cullen and Jessica. Paul is also survived by brothers Dan (Marge), Dave (JoAnne) and John (Val) and sister Betsy (Kevin) as well as numerous nieces and nephews. Paul served in the United States Army and then began a 35 year career with Detroit Diesel. On August 26, 1995 Paul was ordained as a permanent deacon and he served St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church in that capacity until his death. In addition, Paul had served on the Board of Directors of Careers Through Faith since 2002. A viewing will be held at St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church on Monday, November 11, 2019 from 4:00 PM until 8:00 PM. A Mass of the Christian Burial will take place at St. Andrew on Tuesday, November 12, 2019 at 10:00 AM with viewing starting at 9:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in his name may be made to the St. Louis Center or Arbor Hospice and envelopes will be available at the church. To leave a memory you have of Deacon Paul, to sign his guestbook, or for directions please visit www.rbfhsaline.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church Columbarium

910 Austin Road
Saline, MI 48176

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 11. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church
910 Austin Drive
Saline, MI 48176
<https://standrewsaline.org/>

Visitation

NOV 12. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

NOV 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church
910 Austin Drive
Saline, MI 48176
<https://standrewsaline.org/>

Luncheon

NOV 12. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Paul Steven Ellis*

October 23, 2023 at 01:07 PM



“ *Deacon Paul performed the sacrament of marriage ceremony for my son and his wife in June of this year. It was a beautiful ceremony, but what was most wonderful and memorable was how he helped the two of them prepare for their marriage in the months before the actual event. He will be sorely missed by all of us at St. Andrew the Apostle Church in Saline.*

Gretchen Waters - November 14, 2019 at 02:37 PM



“ *I'm sorry to hear about Paul's passing. I worked for Paul in the mid-1970's at Detroit Diesel. I always found him to be a very smart and knowledgeable person with the utmost integrity. Paul always treated me and others with dignity and respect. He was a wonderful man. May Paul rest forever in Heaven.*

Bob Johnson

Bob Johnson - November 13, 2019 at 04:27 PM



“ *What a fine brother! As a deacon I deeply respected Paul. Kind, gentle, easy to be with and relate to. Godly and holy in his life and role in his service as a deacon. May Jesus with open arms welcome our good brother into his presence.*

Deacon Jack Flanagan

jack Flanagan - November 12, 2019 at 09:11 AM

FP

“ Deacon Paul was such a comfort for me during and after Fr. Mossholder's illness. He just handled things so well. And humbly. I am so grateful for his kindness. May the Good Lord smile kindly on Paul forever.

Fr. Petroski - November 11, 2019 at 09:13 PM

YP

“ Your Friends at Industrial Power purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.



Your Friends at Industrial Power - November 11, 2019 at 03:35 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.



November 11, 2019 at 01:55 PM

YH

“ Your friends at Hitachi purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.



Your friends at Hitachi - November 11, 2019 at 12:31 PM

YJ

“ *Your friends at the NY Jets purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.*



Your friends at the NY Jets - November 11, 2019 at 12:13 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.*



November 11, 2019 at 11:49 AM



“ *Jeffery Goralski purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.*



Jeffery Goralski - November 11, 2019 at 10:25 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.*



November 11, 2019 at 09:47 AM

YF

“ *Your Toyota Industries Commercial Finance Family purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.*



Your Toyota Industries Commercial Finance Family -
November 11, 2019 at 09:29 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.*



November 11, 2019 at 09:07 AM



“ *Rose Remembrance was purchased for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.*



November 11, 2019 at 09:03 AM

FF

“ *From the Aulisa, Rentschler, and Cope Families purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.*



From the Aulisa, Rentschler, and Cope Families - November
10, 2019 at 07:24 PM

FH

“ God bless this dear, good man. I’m so honored to have known him.
Peace and blessings to you all.
Fr. Tom Helfrich, OSFS,
St. Rita

fr. Tom Helfrich - November 10, 2019 at 05:26 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
Paul Steven Ellis.



November 10, 2019 at 02:42 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Paul Steven Ellis.



November 10, 2019 at 10:04 AM

TG

“ I want to extend my deepest condolences to the Ellis family. I
worked with Paul at Detroit Diesel for many years. He was always a
pleasure to work with even when we had difficult problems to solve.
God Bless during this difficult time.

Tom Gray - November 09, 2019 at 07:55 PM

RF

“ Roger, Josette and family purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.



Roger, Josette and family - November 09, 2019 at 01:29 PM

DF

“ My sincere sympathy to the Ellis family on the loss of Paul. I worked at Detroit Diesel with Paul and will always remember him as being a terrific guy, always kind and a real gentleman in every sense of the word. May Paul rest in eternal peace.

Donna Ferencz - November 09, 2019 at 12:08 PM

AK

“ Glenn and family I am so sorry to hear about your loss. Paul and I went to high school together and later worked together at Detroit Diesel. Paul was a great guy and easy to get along with he will truly be missed.

Alan Korch - November 09, 2019 at 12:06 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.



November 09, 2019 at 10:55 AM

RW

“ Dear Ellis family,

We are so sorry for your loss but know that Paul's faith will grant him a space in heaven. He is now at peace and out of pain. Our prayers are with you. Love always Ron & Rose Wlosinski

Rosemary Wlosinski - November 09, 2019 at 10:09 AM

CS

Many wonderful memories. Dinners together, card and board games at each other's homes, vacations together, Cancun parasailing and many competitive and enjoyable rounds of golf. Sandy and I have lost a very dear and cherished friend. Clair and Sandy Stapish

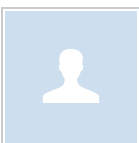
Clair Stapish and Sandra Stapish - November 09, 2019 at 11:43 AM

Merry
Van
Fleteren
Price

“ So sorry to hear of Deacon Paul's passing. I remember him fondly at St. Andrew's church over the years. May he rest in Peace.

Merry Price

Merry Van Fleteren Price - November 09, 2019 at 09:33 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.



November 08, 2019 at 11:13 PM

FP

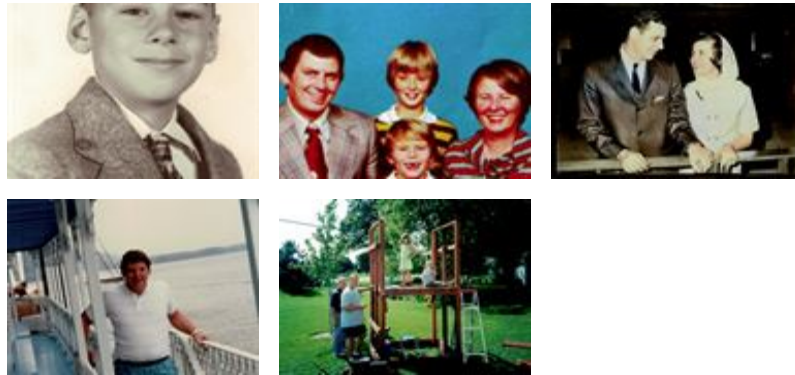
“ *Fr. Petroski lit a candle in memory of Paul Steven Ellis*



Fr. Petroski - November 08, 2019 at 08:51 PM

R·B

“ 169 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home & Cremation Services - November 08, 2019 at 06:52 PM

K6

“ *Knights of Columbus Council 6674 purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Paul Steven Ellis.*



Knights of Columbus Council 6674 - November 08, 2019 at 03:52 PM