



Paul Fritz Stanley

September 15, 1931 - June 30, 2014

Paul Fritz Stanley, age 82, of Huntington, died at 10:20 a.m. Monday (June 30, 2014) at Parkview Regional Medical Center in Fort Wayne.

Visitation will be held from 3 p.m. - 7 p.m. Friday (July 4, 2014) at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday (July 5, 2014) at Pilcher's Chapel United Methodist Church, 2039 South 600 West, Huntington, with Dr. Veryl C. Roth officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the funeral service. Burial will be in Lancaster Cemetery in Huntington County.

Preferred memorials are to Pilcher's Chapel United Methodist Church, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN.

Fritz was born September 15, 1931 in Huntington County, the son of John C. and Bessie E. (Fritz) Stanley Sr. He graduated from Lancaster High School in 1949. He then served in the United States Air Force during the Korean War. He married Audrey I. Fitch on March 31, 1951 on a Dallas Township farm, and she preceded him in death on March 17, 2011. Fritz retired from Standard Oil Anhydrous Company after 23 years of service. He was a lifetime farmer in Lancaster and Polk Townships and he was a member of Pilcher's Chapel United Methodist Church in Huntington. He was a member of the Huntington County Basketball Hall of Fame, and he helped organize the first Old Timers

Basketball Tournament in Huntington where he played on Lancaster's team. He was an avid follower of Huntington University Men's Basketball.

Fritz is survived by two sons - Michael F. (Pamela) Stanley of Huntington and Steven A. Stanley of Warren; one brother - Joseph (Joanna) Stanley of Decatur; one sister - Elizabeth Stanley Herberger of Lockport, New York; four grandchildren - Sean Stanley, Stacie Ball, Tony Stanley, and Tyler Stanley; and seven great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents, his wife, and two brothers - John C. Stanley Jr. and James W. Stanley.

Cemetery Details

Lancaster Cemetery

5559 S. 300 W.
Huntington, IN 46750

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 4. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary
35 West Park Drive
Huntington, IN 46750
(260) 356-1710
wecare@baileylove.com
<https://www.baileylove.com>

Visitation

JUL 5. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Pilcher's Chapel United Methodist Church
3029 South 600 West
Huntington, IN 46750

Service

JUL 5. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MW

“ I am shocked and saddened to learn of the death of my friend and former classmate, Fritz. Fritz always called and informed me of the illness and passing of my other classmates and we exchanged Christmas cards every year. I tried calling him earlier this year to no avail , and wonder now if he had already passed. It breaks my heart that I am just finding this out. He and Audrey were always so good to call on us when one of my family members died. I truly loved these two people and can't believe they are gone. I think that leaves me as the sole survivor of my class, unless Bob Hart and Janice Nave and max Burns are still alive. Now that Fritz is gone, I may never know. My sympathy to his family. You lost a wonderful man. I don't think he had an enemy. Heaven gained two wonderful souls with their passing.

Mabel Smart Weller - August 25, 2014 at 05:28 PM

KT

“ Was so sorry to find out that Fritz had passed away. I did not know it until this eve (Sat eve-July 5th) when we drove by Pilcher's Chapel & saw the tribute to him on their board outside of the church. Always enjoyed talking to Fritz & seems like I've known him forever, as I knew his parents as well, John and Bessie Stanley. We all used to belong to Mt Hope Methodist Church before the reservoir was built and then we all went over to Pilcher's Chapel after that. I missed him this year at our Monument City Alumni Banquet, too. I'll be thinking of the family in the days and weeks ago with prayers and comfort for all of you. God Bless You All. Sincerely, Kathryn Fisher Trisler and Family

Kathryn Trisler - July 05, 2014 at 08:03 PM

EM

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy for the Stanley Family, Fritz will be missed greatly by all of us in the neighborhood.*



Eric Mason - July 04, 2014 at 01:28 PM

BH

“ *Steve I'm so sorry for the loss of your father, your in my thoughts.*

Becky Kemp Holmes - July 02, 2014 at 08:05 PM

DC

“ *I always got a smile and hello from Fritz, (I always called him Mr. Stanley) when I did see him over the years. Thinking of the Stanley family and sending prayers of comfort and peace for you!*

Deb Sunderman Clark

Deb Clark - July 02, 2014 at 03:57 PM

KR

“ *I am sending my deepest sympathy to the family. Fritz was a great guy and I really enjoyed talking to him and waiting on him at the Country Post!!! He will truly be missed by all of us!!!!*

Kay Reeser - July 02, 2014 at 12:59 PM



“ *Denny And Connie Chapin lit a candle in memory of Paul Fritz Stanley*



Denny and Connie Chapin - July 02, 2014 at 12:55 PM



“ *I sat beside Paul at many ball games. He always had a smile and was cheering for his loved ones with great pride. He will be missed! God bless!!*

Sue Ellet - July 02, 2014 at 07:19 AM