



Paul H Downin

September 17, 1927 - February 9, 2025

Paul Downin, 97, passed away February 9, 2025, at Shippensburg Health Care Center. He was born September 17, 1927, in Waynesboro, the son of late Howard and Marie Patterson Downin.

After high school Paul entered in the US Army and served during the Korean War. He was employed as a mechanic until retirement. Paul liked his cats, playing ping pong, college football, and Nascar as well as spending time with his family. He was a member of the Forty and Eight veterans club, VFW, Marine Corps, American Legion, and AmVets.

Paul is survived by; his wife, Bonnie Thomas Downin; children: Judy Fossett of Warwick, MD, Carol O'Donnell (Bill) of Spring Run, PA, Paul R. Downin (Joy Russell) of Shippensburg, PA; grandchildren: Tony Fleegal (Ginny) of Greencastle, PA, Shawnee Knoll (Tommy) of Newark, DE, Katrina, Paul, Kelley, Clair; 14 great-grandchildren; sisters: Alice Cramer of Waynesboro, and Mary Smith of Quincy Village; and several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents; wife of 34 years, Joyce Downin; granddaughter, Amanda; two sisters; and one brother.

Graveside services will be held on Friday, February 14, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. at Parklawns Memorial Garden with Military Honors by the Charles Nitterhouse

VFW Post #1599.

Online condolences may be expressed at sellersfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Parklawns Memorial Gardens

3218 Philadelphia Ave
Chambersburg, PA 17201

Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

Parklawns Memorial Gardens & Mausoleum
3218 Philadelphia Ave
Chambersburg, PA 17201
(717) 263-9125

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Bonnie, Carol, little Pat, Judy and Tony,
We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you.
Dave and Diana

Diana Leonard - February 12, 2025 at 09:49 PM

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“ My daddy was a wonderful dad. He spent so much with the family. I
will surely miss him, but I know he is at peace with his loved ones,
love you dad. “Cheech Odonnell”❤️

Carol odonnell - February 12, 2025 at 01:38 PM

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Carol and family, you have my deepest sympathy, may God surround
you with his love and comfort you in the way that only He can.

Connie Coons - February 12, 2025 at 05:15 PM

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Carol and Bill, please know you are in our prayers. Bob&Ronda Gehr

Ronda Gehr - February 13, 2025 at 11:27 AM

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“ My dad was the best father in the whole wide world. I love you dad

JUDY FOSSETT - February 12, 2025 at 12:54 PM