



## Paul R. Martin

October 18, 1953 - May 13, 2023

Paul R. Martin,

69, of Fishers, passed away peacefully surrounded by family, May 13, 2023.

He was born October 18, 1953 in Muncie, IN, to the late Frank Richard and Margaret Elizabeth (Franklin) Martin. Paul was a 1971 graduate of Muncie Central High School. He attended Ball State University and Gateway Bible College. Paul married Julia R. Overlander, June 25, 1977. He was employed with Sumitomo Corporation of America for 28 years, retiring as District Manager. Paul received the Eagle Sales Award multiple times for his perseverance and dedication to his work.

Paul was a member of River of Life Church formerly known as Parkview Church. He was President of the Quarter Horse Racing Association of Indiana and was inducted into the Indiana Quarter Horse Hall of Fame for his work as a Trainer.

Visitation will be Friday, May 19, 2023 from 4:00 p.m. until the time of service at 7:00 p.m. at Heartland Church, 14900 East 126th Street, Fishers, IN 46037.

Paul is survived by his loving wife of nearly 46 years, Julia R. Martin; children, Tyler P. (Stacy) Martin and Shawna N. Martin; grandchildren, Nolan, Reece and Marlowe; sister, Mary A. (Timothy) Wilson; and brother, Rev. John F. (Kendra) Martin. A brother, Timothy J. Martin, preceded him in death.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to River of Life Church, 5350 W. Bethel Ave., Muncie, IN 47304. Final care and arrangements are entrusted to Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel.



# Cemetery Details

## Jones Cemetery

North 850 West off of 332  
Muncie, IN 47304

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 19. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Heartland Church  
14900 East 126th Street  
Fishers, IN 46037

## Funeral Service

MAY 19. 7:00 PM (ET)

Heartland Church  
14900 East 126th Street  
Fishers, IN 46037

# Tribute Wall



“ *“ Preacher Man “ Paul will forever be remembered in my heart. He was always special to me and my family. My sincere condolences to each and everyone of the precious Martin family.*

Penny Davis - May 19, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ *Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



May 19, 2023 at 01:39 PM



“ *Love's Tapestry was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



May 19, 2023 at 10:02 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



May 18, 2023 at 09:19 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 18, 2023 at 01:23 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 18, 2023 at 01:16 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 18, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ *[Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*

---

May 18, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 18, 2023 at 12:53 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.

---

May 18, 2023 at 12:53 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 18, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 18, 2023 at 11:45 AM

MH

“ *Much Love - Cindy Howe & Joe Harter purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

**Much Love - Cindy Howe & Joe Harter** - May 18, 2023 at 09:58 AM

MH

“ *Much Love - Cindy Howe & Joe Harter purchased the [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) for the family of Paul R. Martin.*

---

**Much Love - Cindy Howe & Joe Harter** - May 18, 2023 at 09:58 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 18, 2023 at 09:23 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 17, 2023 at 08:59 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.* ”



May 17, 2023 at 08:26 PM



“ *Roger & Kim Beam purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Paul R. Martin.* ”



**Roger & Kim Beam** - May 17, 2023 at 07:21 PM



“ *Thoi Le purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Paul R. Martin.* ”



**Thoi Le** - May 17, 2023 at 04:06 PM



“ *The Grover Caldwell Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Paul R. Martin.* ”



**The Grover Caldwell Family** - May 17, 2023 at 02:08 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 17, 2023 at 01:09 PM



“ *Paul was friendly, outgoing and took time to help others around him. He was our best and someone you could call if you needed good advice. I admired his positive attitude and relationship building skills. We will miss you!*

*-The Masterson Family (Sumitomo St. Louis, MO)*



---

**Matthew Masterson** - May 17, 2023 at 12:32 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 17, 2023 at 10:41 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 17, 2023 at 10:23 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 17, 2023 at 09:17 AM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 17, 2023 at 07:37 AM



“ *<a href="/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518" target="\_blank">Memorial Trees</a> was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*

---

May 17, 2023 at 07:37 AM

JV

“ My family has known the Martin family most of my life. A Godly family. We've been away from Muncie many years, but have wonderful MEMORIES. Paul was always SPECIAL. He will be MISSED by MANY I'M SURE. It's SO HARD to lose a loved one. May God Greet him in HEAVEN. 💜 Jama

Jama Vonneumann - May 16, 2023 at 10:09 PM

KE

“ I met Mr Paul at the racetrack in 2012 nice guy you would ever meet I headed all of his horse at the track. Always a good man to talk too wish I could make the service

keithjeune@gmail.com - May 16, 2023 at 08:59 PM

DU

“ I am sorry and deeply saddened by your family's tremendous loss. Please know each of you is being held close in thought and prayer during this painfully difficult time. Sending my heartfelt condolences and many hugs for all.



Debra Jo Endres-Ard | Lizton, IN USA - May 16, 2023 at 08:45 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



May 16, 2023 at 07:06 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 16, 2023 at 06:10 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 16, 2023 at 05:42 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 16, 2023 at 05:10 PM



“ *[Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*

---

May 16, 2023 at 05:10 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 16, 2023 at 04:09 PM



“ *Dan and Pam Hann purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

**Dan and Pam Hann** - May 16, 2023 at 03:37 PM



“ *Dan and Pam Hann purchased the [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) for the family of Paul R. Martin.*

---

**Dan and Pam Hann** - May 16, 2023 at 03:37 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 16, 2023 at 02:19 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 16, 2023 at 01:56 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 16, 2023 at 01:53 PM



“ *Loved One Vertical Blanket* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 16, 2023 at 01:09 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.

---

May 16, 2023 at 01:09 PM



“ *I Have You In My Heart Plush Blanket was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 16, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.

---

May 16, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Three Cross Throw was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.*



---

May 16, 2023 at 01:01 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.

---

May 16, 2023 at 01:01 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 16, 2023 at 12:57 PM



“ *Dianne Bennett purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet* for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

**Dianne Bennett** - May 16, 2023 at 12:28 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 16, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *My fondest memories of Paul are how supportive he was of his children and how proud he was of you both.*

---

**Vickie Mitchell** - May 16, 2023 at 12:03 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 16, 2023 at 11:08 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 16, 2023 at 11:05 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 16, 2023 at 11:05 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Paul R. Martin.



---

May 16, 2023 at 10:38 AM