



Paul A. Corcoran

March 5, 1927 - June 9, 2018

Paul Anthony Corcoran

Paul's life story began March 5, 1927, when he was born to Virginia Weis and Thomas J. Corcoran in Syracuse, New York.

On June 9, 2018, Paul peacefully reunited in heaven with the love of life, wife Rhoda F. Early; they are now forever together.

Paul and Rhoda raised 6 children: Michael #1, Mary #2 (Pat Schlichting), Anne #4 (Wil Wilkes), Matthew #5 (Toni), Virginia #6 (Jim Spence), and Jane #7 (Rick Holland).

Paul leaves a 91 year legacy of a life well lived for his treasured family of 6 brothers, Edward, Thomas, Arthur, Robert, William, Raymond, 4 sisters, Mary, Eileen, Johanna, Virginia who nicknamed him "Beanie", 7 children, 23 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and a multitude of nieces and nephews.

A U.S. Navy veteran seaman, Paul served on the USS Vulcan during World War II. Paul then joined his father, Thomas, and his 6 brothers at their Syracuse printing business, Peerless Press.

Rhoda and Paul moved to Fresno, California in 1966, to raise their family in good health and prosperity and operated a skilled trade craftsmen printing

company.

True to Irish German Roman Catholic heritage, Paul lived each day of his life always mindful of the Ten Commandments and Murphy's Law and taught his children by example: "say what you do, do what you say," "be on time," "behave yourself," and "no whining." Amen.

A remembrance Mass and celebration of life is scheduled for Tuesday, July 17, at 10:00 a.m. at St Anthony of Padua Church, Fresno, California, with a family and friends reception to follow the services.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

JUL 17. 10:00 AM (PT)

St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church
5770 N. Maroa Avenue
Fresno, CA 93704

Tribute Wall

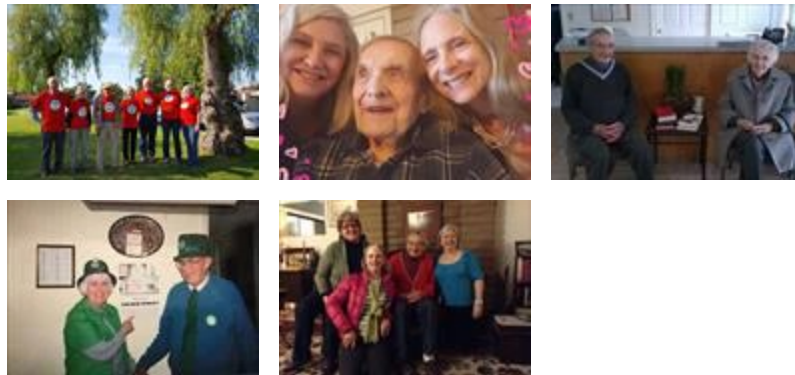


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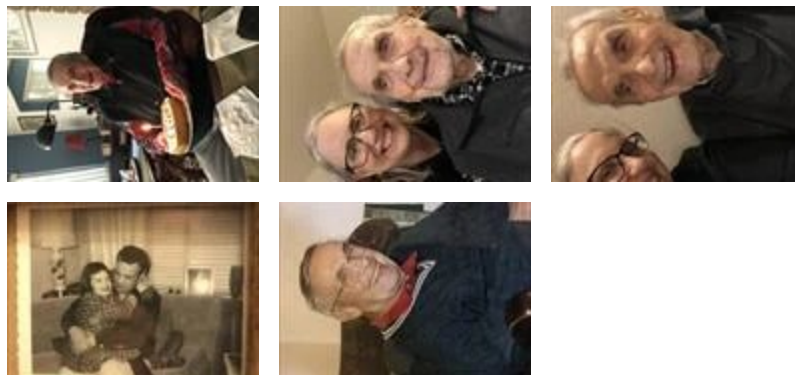
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“ *Early on Paul showed abilities to use tools to make life work right. Toys, bikes, Model A cars, so much that sailing on the Pacific Fleet USS Vulcan a repair ship as an 18 year old was his real growing up WW2 tour. Marrying Rhoda early 1948 and building their house 100 Phillips Road Syracuse with his Grandfather James Corcoran started a craftsmanship career in printing and making everything he touched work according to a plan. Thanks Dad for showing us how to make an everyday list for our lives.*

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