

Paul V Murray was born on October 10, 1931, in a house on Chestnut Street in Mt Holly Springs. His family (parents Archie, Anne, and big brother Donald) moved to Hill Street where Paul grew up. He attended elementary school on Chestnut Street and was a Carlisle High School graduate. After graduation Paul joined the United States Air Force serving as an Airman First Class during the Korean War.

On Christmas Eve 1954, Paul met Margie Hamilton on a blind date, taking her to see “White Christmas”. They married three years later (July of 1957), residing on Watts Street. They eventually moved to Chestnut Street where they raised their 5 children (Linda, Perry, Christine, Tom and Nancy).

Paul was employed at Peter J Schweitzer/Kimberly Clark for 35 years, upon its closure, Paul went to work for the Lear Corporation in Carlisle. After his retirement, Paul used his love of driving by delivering for Farmers Trust Bank, Sheaffer Brothers Auto Parts, Alert Pharmacy, and volunteering to drive friends/family to their doctor appointments when needed.

Paul was a member of the Citizens Fire Company, Mt Holly Fish and Game, and the South Mountain American Legion Post 674. He was also an avid fisherman and boater, spending summers with his wife, children, and grandchildren in Delaware and Maryland boating and fishing. Paul enjoyed gardening, watching football, baseball, and NASCAR.

Paul passed away at home on December 4, 2018, at the age of 87, surrounded by his family. His wife Margie passed away in February 2021, both are buried in the Mt Holly Springs Cemetery.