



Paul Spurgeon

September 6, 1926 - November 22, 2015

Paul Jennings Spurgeon, 89, of Bloomfield, Iowa passed away November 22, 2015 at the Mulberry Place in Bloomfield. He was born September 6, 1926 in Davis County, Iowa to Clayte Jennings and Elsie Pearl Veatch Spurgeon. He married Elaine Fredrickson on September 22, 1950 at the West Grove Methodist Church in West Grove. He served in the U.S. Navy during WWII. Paul was a farmer and raised crops and livestock. He also drove a school bus for Davis County Community Schools for 31 years. He enjoyed working on the farm, spending time with his family, and attending church.

He is survived by his wife of 65 years, Elaine Spurgeon; two daughters, Patricia (Michael) Roe of Washington, Iowa, Susan (Lonnie) Lawson of Bloomfield; son, Dr. Joseph (Patricia) Spurgeon of Prairie du Sac, Wisconsin; six grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Beatrice Beryl Wiley.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, November 25, 2015 at the Wagler Funeral Home in Bloomfield. Burial with military rites performed by Reed-Whisler Post #78 of the American Legion will be at the IOOF Cemetery in Bloomfield. Visitation will begin at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday with the family present to greet friends from 5-7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. A memorial has

been established to his family.

Cemetery Details

IOOF Cemetery

620 North Madison Street
Bloomfield, IA 52537

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **24**. 10:00 AM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Services

NOV **25**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wagler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Paul Spurgeon*



Wagler Funeral Home - November 24, 2015 at 10:17 AM

VA

Thank you for the many memories. VEA

Virginia Alford - January 04, 2016 at 06:06 PM



“ *Paul Spurgeon*

January 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about Paul's passing . He was a god man , friend , and neighbor to Mom and Dad and all who knew him .*

Greg Jones

Greg Jones - November 25, 2015 at 04:06 PM

SD

“ Paul was a kind and caring man. Paul took care of the school bus kids like they were his own. Paul treated everyone with dignity and respect no matter there back round. Paul and Elaine's children have those same qualities instilled in them so, Paul's spirit will always be alive.

sincerely Susan Jones Diveley

Sue Diveley - November 25, 2015 at 06:33 AM

JJ

“ Paul was a very nice man. My sister and I as well as our dad thought the world of him. in all the years on the bus and afterward it was always nice to see him. Even as time went by he always knew who you were. He will be missed by many we're sure.

John Jones and Susan Jones Diveley

John Jones - November 25, 2015 at 06:26 AM



“ Thinking all of you Spurgeon's and wishing you comfort as you honor the successful and well lived life you shared with Paul. My thoughts are with you during this time. With deepest sympathy Lane Evans

Lane Evans - November 25, 2015 at 12:12 AM

RH

“ Our prayers and sympathy to the family, we will miss Paul at our Wednesday morning Bible Studies at Mulberry Place.
Russ and Joann Harris

Russell Harris - November 24, 2015 at 10:01 PM

CT

“ To the family, you have our sympathy with the loss of your loved one, Paul. Look to God for comfort and strength to help carry you through these difficult days ahead. You will be in our prayers.
Charlotte & Paul Teubel

Charlotte Teubel - November 24, 2015 at 11:14 AM

MD

“ My deepest sympathy to Elaine and family in the loss of your dear one. May you find comfort and strength in the love of our Heavenly Father for the difficult days and weeks ahead. You are in my prayers, Marilyn Downing

Marilyn Downing - November 24, 2015 at 09:00 AM

LM

“ Paul was my girls school bus driver. They loved him. Whenever I would see him he would ask about the girls.

So sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers

Roger and Lana Minnick

Lana Minnick - November 23, 2015 at 11:57 PM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Paul Spurgeon.



November 23, 2015 at 10:09 PM

RB

“ *Ron & Brenda Bogle lit a candle in memory of Paul Spurgeon*



Ron & Brenda Bogle - November 23, 2015 at 08:32 PM

RB

Lighting a candle to honor a man who shared his "light" with everyone he was around. Ron & Brenda Bogle

Ron and Brenda Bogle - November 23, 2015 at 08:33 PM



“ *I remember stopping by Paul's house one day while working for the Electric Co-op to discuss a new power line by his house. That lasted all of about two minutes. The remaining two hours were spent at his kitchen table talking about a whole host of other topics. Paul was a good man. May the Lord bless you and your family and provide you comfort at this time*

Jeremy Wilcox & Family

Jeremy Wilcox - November 23, 2015 at 08:23 PM

CG

“ Paul was my husbands cousin, but he seemed more like my family. We were so close & we each enjoyed our visits with him. He would take me for tractor rides when we were on the farm. He would call & we could talk for an hour. He was such a wonderful person to be around. We will miss him very much. We would set & talk about old times & family times of years gone by. All the family dinners we had each year for Thanksgiving or birthdays was such a wonderful time to be together. Our thoughts & prayers are with all the family during his loss. I know we will miss him very much. Love to all of you!



Cathy & Gerald - November 23, 2015 at 06:26 PM

BG

I enjoyed visiting with him we could always find something to talk about. I will miss him next June when his smile doesn't warm The Spurgeon Reunion. Yeah he was my bus driver but through the years became much more. There aren't many left like Paul Spurgeon!

Beverly Spurgeon Gillaspie - November 23, 2015 at 07:46 PM