Paul F. Wessel(1940 - 2013)

Paul Francis Wessel, 73, Augusta, passed away Friday, Aug. 2, 2013, in Creve Coeur.

Paul, son of the late Arlie Wessel and wife Hilda, nee Voelkerding, was born Jan. 1, 1940, in Dutzow. He received his education at St. Vincent Grade School and graduated from St. Francis Borgia High School. He also attended Quincy College. He was united in marriage to Miss Ruth Hanneken May 30, 1959, at St. Mary of Perpetual Help Church, Villa Ridge.

Paul worked for many years as a carpenter and retired from PARIC Corporation. He was a member of St. Vincent de Paul Church, Dutzow, Knights of Columbus, Father Bertens Council, Carpenters Union Local 1839, American Legion and Pioneer Trail and Tree Coon Hunters Association.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Arlie and Hilda Wessel; three siblings, Donald Wessel, Arlie Wessel and Judy Wessel.

Paul is survived by his wife, Ruth Wessel; Augusta; one son, Dan Wessel and wife Aimee, Augusta; one daughter, Paula Wessel and special friend, David Voss, Washington; three grandchildren, Lauren Niederholtmeyer, Ella Wessel and Arlie Wessel; two brothers, Morris Wessel, Wentzville, and Alan "Butch" Wessel and wife Joan, Dutzow; other relatives and many friends.

A funeral Mass was celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday, Aug. 5, at St. Vincent de Paul Church, Dutzow, with the Rev. Gene Robertson officiating.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

Masses may be said or memorials may be given to St. Vincent de Paul Grade School.

To send condolences to the family, visit www.oltmannfuneralhome.com.

The family was served by Oltmann Funeral Home, Washington.

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