



## Paul E. Richard

December 15, 1924 - November 26, 2011

Paul E. Richard, age 86 of Toledo, passed away on November 26, 2011 at Hospice of Northwest Ohio, Toledo.

He was born to Gene and Grace Richard on December 15, 1924. He was a graduate of DeVilbiss High School and then enlisted in the U.S. Navy where he proudly served his country as a Naval Aviator in WWII. When he returned he attended the University of Toledo where he played baseball and was a member of the Varsity T Club. Paul then joined the family business, Gene Richard and Sons, Inc. He married Marcella Gleason in 1948 and together they raised 5 children. He was a past President of the Ohio Tire Dealers Association, a member of St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Church, the Toledo Chamber of Commerce and also a longtime member of Heatherdowns Country Club, where he was an avid golfer and a winner of many local tournaments. Paul was an avid Detroit Tigers, University of Toledo basketball and football fan, enjoyed golfing and bowling, where he once bowled a 300 game and had a "hole in one" in the same week.

Paul was preceded in death by his loving wife of 60 years, Marcella and his parents. He is survived by his children, Greg (Marti), Mark (Marcia) and Kent (Chris) Richard, Kathy (Mike) Davis, Karen (Jim) Packer; grandchildren, Patrick(Heather), Sarah (Rick), Becca, Emily (Mark), Jill, Peter, Adrienne (Trey), Molly, Christie, Clay, Savannah; great-grandchildren, Haley, Scout, Nolan, Beckam, Ryann and brother, Carl "Dud".

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., on

Monday from 4-8 p.m. where a Scripture service will be recited at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday beginning at 9:30 a.m., in the mortuary, followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Church at 10 a.m. Interment will be private.

Memorials may take the form of contributions to Hospice of Northwest Ohio or to St. John's Jesuit High School.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to the staff at Hospice of Northwest Ohio for their compassionate care.

# Tribute Wall



“ You will be missed. i enjoyed all the times we had playing golf at Heatherdowns. God be with you##imported-begin##murray luther##imported-end##

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“ I will miss you always had fun and Heatherdown

Jack##imported-begin##Jack Niggemyer##imported-end##

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“ We were sorry to hear about Paul. He and Marcella were great friends of my parents Bob & Marge Comte. We enjoyed his gregarious personality.

I'm sure their reunion in heaven involves a round of golf.

They will all be missed.

We will say a prayer for the family.##imported-begin##Larry & Carol (Comte) Keller##imported-end##

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“ We were sad to hear about Paul's death and wanted the family to know that we are thinking of you. We got to know Paul over the years at the Richard family gatherings at the Davis'. What a friendly and welcoming man. We will miss him.##imported-begin##Amy andTim King##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my sincere condolences for the loss of your loved one. This is one of the most difficult things we must face in this life. May it comfort you to know that others are deeply touched by your loss. But the bible assures us at Psalms 34:18 that God is near to those broken in heart and those crushed in spirit he saves. He also promises that we will be able to see our loved ones again. Jesus own words found at John 5:28,29 tells us there will be a resurrection. What a wonderful hope! He also promises that soon on the earth there will be no more pain, suffering and especially death. Revelation 21:3-5 We anxiously await the day when we will no longer lose those we love. May these bible thoughts bring you comfort at this most difficult time.##imported-begin##Stephanie Reyes sjrservices@juno.com##imported-end##

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“ So sorry to hear of Paul's passing. He was a great guy and I will always remember the great friendship he and Marcella shared with my parents.##imported-begin##Bill Bartholomew##imported-end##

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“ My condolences to your family. I went to school with Kathy and have fond memories of our friendship as children. Even our grandparents lived next door to each other on Kingsgate! Your parents, Barthlomew's and my parents had FUN times together. I always remember your parents being very funny. My mother passed away in August and it is a struggle when you have lost your last parent. May your memories of your parents and the love of a strong family keep you all close. My best to all of you.##imported-begin##Heidi Schultz##imported-end##

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“ *Kathy and family:*

*We send our deepest condolences on the loss of your incredible father!! We are so glad we had the opportunity to meet and know such a wonderful man. We love you and are praying for your entire family. Todd, Jacquie, Tyler & Christian Pierce##imported-begin##Todd and Jacquie Pierce##imported-end##*

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