



Paul Pavlik

November 15, 1947 - August 19, 2017

Paul Pavlik, 69, passed away on Saturday, August 19, 2017 after a brief illness. Mr. Pavlik was born November 15, 1947 in Slovakia to Ondrej and Marta Pavlik. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Maria Pavlik; his son, Martin Pavlik & wife Kristin; his granddaughters, Julia and Luca Pavlik; and his brother Peter Pavlik of Slovakia, his nephews and extended family in Slovakia; and his brother Stanley Pavlik of Canada and his sister in law Zdenka and her husband.

Paul grew up in the town of Tajov in Slovakia. After attending the technical school of Mechanical Engineering, he entered the Slovakian Army in 1968 where he served 2 years. He met the love of his life, Maria in 1969 and worked hard for 3 years in Slovakia. The couple escaped communism and migrated to Canada in August 1972 seeking a better life for their family. Paul worked as a Mechanical Engineer and entrepreneur for the next 22 years in Canada. In 1990, Paul moved his family to the United States where he spent the rest of his life as an entrepreneur, working for and obtaining the American Dream.

Paul enjoyed snow skiing, good food and most of all his granddaughters. He was a hardworking man of great vision and determination. He was loved by those who knew him and will be greatly missed.

The Pavlik family will be present to receive friends Friday, August 25, 2017 from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM with a Vigil/Rosary Service beginning at 7:00 PM at Dettling Funeral Home, 14094 Memorial Dr., Houston, TX 77079.

Due to inclement weather, the Funeral Mass has been cancelled and will be rescheduled at a later date.

In lieu of flowers please consider contributions in Paul's memory to Houston Hospice at www.houstonhospice.org .

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **25**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Dettling Funeral Home
14094 Memorial Drive
Houston, TX 77079
(281) 497-2121
david@dettlingfuneral.com

Vigil/Rosary

AUG **25**. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Paul Pavlik*

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ *Paul Pavlik*

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ *Paul Pavlik*

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ *Paul Pavlik*

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ *Dear Maria, So sorry to hear about your husband's passing. Please know that you and your family are in my prayers. Blessings...YSIC...Kathy Wahnoutka*

Kathy Wahnoutka - August 26, 2017 at 09:52 PM

SR

“ Sarah McMurray & Colleen Root purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Paul Pavlik.



Sarah McMurray & Colleen Root - August 24, 2017 at 12:11 PM

PS

“ Palko, mal som Ta rad, brat Stanislav purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Paul Pavlik.



Palko, mal som Ta rad, brat Stanislav - August 24, 2017 at 09:58 AM

OJ

“ Olga, Milos Valach and Lubo Jakab purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Paul Pavlik.



Olga, Milos Valach and Lubo Jakab - August 24, 2017 at 09:30 AM

ZK

“ Zuzana K. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Paul Pavlik.



Zuzana K. - August 23, 2017 at 04:24 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Paul Pavlik.*



August 23, 2017 at 03:50 PM



“ *S vdakou sa lúči Zuzka a rodina Bullová z Lopeja.*

Zuzka - August 23, 2017 at 03:27 PM



“ *Dear Maria & your family, I'm very saddened & so sorry for your loss. May you find strength to get through this sad time.*
Jeane Kranz
(Jazzercise class)

Jeane Kranz - August 23, 2017 at 02:38 PM



“ *Posledne zbohom od brata Petra s rodinou z Tajova purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Paul Pavlik.*



Posledne zbohom od brata Petra s rodinou z Tajova - August 22, 2017 at 03:55 PM

MD

“ *Mark & Cynthia Douglas purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Paul Pavlik.*



Mark & Cynthia Douglas - August 22, 2017 at 01:55 PM

PT

“ *I worked close with Paul for 13 years, I learned a lifetime of lessons, he inspired me to be the person I am, hard working and dedicated to the things you believe in. I thank God for allowing me to meet him as soon as he moved to the US.
May God bless his spirit for ever and ever 🙏*

Peggy J. Thibodeaux - August 22, 2017 at 01:34 PM

FF

“ *From Ottinger family. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Paul Pavlik.*



From Ottinger family. - August 22, 2017 at 04:27 AM