



Paul Edwin Bachman

January 24, 1936 - April 5, 2015

Paul E. Bachman passed away Sunday April 5, Easter Sunday, at the age of 79.

Paul was born in Ottumwa, Iowa on January 24, 1936, where at the time it was 6 degree below zero with 12 inches of snow on the ground. Paul had resided in Nebraska, Utah, California, Wyoming and Colorado. While Paul was a young man living in Longmont Colorado he worked in a small Mom and Pop Butcher Shop near his parents' house and learned to cut meat and be a butcher. Paul made his final residents in Fort Collins CO.

In August of 1954 he joined the Army and was stationed in Panama as an Airplane Frame Repairman. Paul was honorably discharged from the Army in July 1957.

When Paul returned to Colorado he enrolled in Colorado A&M College in September of 1957. Later on he attended the University of Colorado. After college he accepted a position with the IRS in Denver Colorado as an Appeals Officer; where he then stated "I finally get to practice law, without a license."

In the spring of 1983 he took a job in Cheyenne Wyoming with the IRS. After 36 years of employment with the IRS he retired.

On July 5, 1986 he married Mary Montoya. They were happily married for 29 years 9 months.

Paul decided he needed to keep busy so he went to work part time for the Colorado Courts system. Another job he also took on was being the President of their neighborhood HOA.

He is survived by his wife Mary Bachman, his three children, five grandchildren, and six great grandchildren. He is also survived by Mary's three children.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR 11. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (MT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Paul Edwin Bachman*

October 25, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *Paul brought back a Panamanian girl with him. She got homesick and went back to Panama after being up here only a short while. I thought they were married but maybe not. I served a little over a year with him in Panama, working in the same aircraft hanger & living in the same barracks. We were buddies, going to the USO together, etc.*

charles naas - January 23, 2021 at 02:27 PM



“ *Paul was quick with a smile and a kind word every time I saw him at work. He was a wonderful gentleman and will be greatly missed! My thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends he left behind. Enjoy joking with the angels, Paul!
Until we meet again,
Andrea Shahmardian*

Andrea Shahmardian - May 24, 2015 at 05:55 PM



“ *Andrea Shahmardian lit a candle in memory of Paul Edwin Bachman*



Andrea Shahmardian - May 24, 2015 at 05:49 PM

AH

“ I am so saddened to hear of Paul's passing. He had a very unique way of turning tough situations into something positive. I will miss seeing you at the gym and the Bloody Mary's and burritos just won't be the same anymore. I know you're in a good place now with a full buffet. Rest in peace, Paul.

Alex Hoxmeier - May 01, 2015 at 01:07 PM

TM

“ Paul was wonderful to work with and a joy to have around. He always had my back and quickly became a friend. My thoughts and prayers are for his family - Forget Rest in Peace, The party's just getting started now that you're there! Much love, Theresa

Theresa Martinson - April 27, 2015 at 03:04 PM

SF

“ It was heartbreaking to hear of Paul's passing. He was truly one of a kind and will be dearly missed. I enjoyed all his stories throughout the years. My heartfelt sympathies go out to his family.

Soozy Fredrickson - April 20, 2015 at 02:29 PM

CB

“ I was devastated to hear about Paul. He was such a great guy with a great sense of humor. He was a co-worker and a true friend. I will truly miss him. He had such a wonderful smile and great personality. You will be truly missed and loved. Rest in Peace. Love Cindy

Cindy Burrows - April 20, 2015 at 08:37 AM

CB

“ *Cindy Burrows lit a candle in memory of Paul Edwin Bachman*



Cindy Burrows - April 20, 2015 at 08:33 AM

CB

I was heartbroke to hear of Pauls passing. He worked at Judicial with us. He will greatly be missed by his smile and sense of humor. We would joke every morning about who got to work first. I am deeply sorry for your great loss. He will be missed. Rest in Peace Paul. LOL Cindy

cindy burrows - April 20, 2015 at 08:46 AM

MZ

“ *I am sorry to hear about Paul. I enjoyed working with him at the justice center, and I extend my best wishes to his family. Matt Zehe*

Matthew Zehe - April 17, 2015 at 07:02 PM

MA

“ *Paul made work here at the 8th Judicial Branch Collection's Office fun!! He was always humming and singing & most of his comments cracked us up. There will always be a soft spot in my heart for our "Gramps"! Love you Paul.*

Margaret - April 17, 2015 at 06:01 PM

TI

“ I'm so saddened to hear about Paul's (aka gramps!) passing. I had the pleasure of working with Paul at the courts. He could light up the room with his infectious smile and great sense of humor. He will be greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers go out to Paul's family. Peace love and blessings.
Tina Robertson

Tina - April 17, 2015 at 05:28 PM

JH

“ He ended up in the IRS job he wanted and excelled.

Joe Hook (former Collection Branch Chief in Denver)

Joe Hook - April 13, 2015 at 01:50 PM

ST

“ I was so sorry to hear of Paul's passing. Paul was such a close and loyal friend during my years in Denver. He took me on my first elk hunts. He was my mentor and confidant when I joined the IRS team in Colorado. He was so genuine and so true to his values, I admire him greatly. He has been so happy since he found his soul mate with Mary. We had great times together in "the carpool" and on our other adventures, I will always remember him as the "best" of our generation.

steve taylor - April 12, 2015 at 09:17 PM

CL

“ Paul was such a good person and he ALWAYS had a big smile and funny story to tell. I guess he always forgot his rifle when he went hunting - at least many of his "stories" began that way. I will always remember Appeals training in Dallas, way back in 1979. He made me laugh the whole two weeks! There are so many good memories, but then there were the "KICK ME" signs he would tape to the back of my winter coat as I was leaving the office. Thanks Paul :). I will miss you old buddy, and thank you for being my friend.

Mary, please know that you, and all of Paul's family, are in my thoughts -- and especially in my prayers.

Chuck Lazzeri

Chuck Lazzeri - April 12, 2015 at 06:46 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul Edwin Bachman.



April 10, 2015 at 11:17 PM

BB

“ 1 file added to the album Tribute Wall Album



Bryan Bachman - April 10, 2015 at 08:33 PM

BB

“ 3 files added to the album Tribute Wall Album



Bryan Bachman - April 10, 2015 at 08:31 PM

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Bryan Bachman - April 10, 2015 at 08:29 PM

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“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Bryan Bachman - April 10, 2015 at 08:23 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album *Paul Bachman*



Bryan Bachman - April 10, 2015 at 08:19 PM

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Bryan Bachman - April 10, 2015 at 08:16 PM

MS

“ *Paul was one of the most genuine, kind, and friendly people I've known in my lifetime! He was dedicated to our Arborgate community for so long and we profited greatly from his diligent work. I will remember him mostly for his contagious smile and sense of humor. He brightened every day for me when I encountered him. I will miss his warm and vibrant personality.*

Mary, know that I send my thoughts of strength, love, and peace to you and your family. Please take care of yourself, for this is most important at this time.

Mo

Mo Schweickert - April 10, 2015 at 05:15 PM

BT

“ *Bob Toomey purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Paul Edwin Bachman.*



Bob Toomey - April 09, 2015 at 05:20 PM

BS

“ *Bob, Virginia, Steph & Aurora Sonntag purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Paul Edwin Bachman.*



Bob, Virginia, Steph & Aurora Sonntag - April 09, 2015 at 01:24 PM

BT

“ *The crew at Evergreen Landscape is going to miss working with Paul our condolences to the Bachman Family. Having gone through this two weeks ago with my father, I know what it is like.*
Bob Toomey and the crew at Evergreen Landscape



Bob Toomey - April 08, 2015 at 09:12 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul Edwin Bachman.*



April 08, 2015 at 06:19 PM

RC

“ *Raintree Athletic Club lit a candle in memory of Paul Edwin Bachman*



Raintree Athletic Club - April 08, 2015 at 12:54 AM

BA

Thank you for you thoughts. Paul enjoyed the time he spent at your club. Mary Bachman

Bachman - April 08, 2015 at 04:19 PM

SP

“ *Schanna Preuit lit a candle in memory of Paul Edwin Bachman*



Schanna Preuit - April 07, 2015 at 10:14 PM

BA

Schanna, Thank you so very much for your kind words. Mary Bachman.

Bachman - April 08, 2015 at 04:17 PM

CM

“ *Chrissy McCollom lit a candle in memory of Paul Edwin Bachman*



Chrissy McCollom - April 07, 2015 at 10:42 AM