

## Paul A Bousquet

August 4, 1933 - November 5, 2019

Paul Alfred Bousquet, 86, our beloved father, brother, grandfather, great grandfather, uncle, cousin and friend entered into eternal rest on November 5, 2019 in Port Charlotte, Florida. Paul was born in Putnam, Connecticut on August 4th, 1933 to the late Leonide and Rose (Bernier) Bousquet. Paul was predeceased by his brothers, Raymond Bousquet, Louis Bousquet, and nephew Jason Bousquet.

Paul was a veteran of the Korean War serving on an aircraft carrier in the United States Navy. Paul retired from Pratt & Whitney Aircraft, East Hartford, CT after 36 years of loyal service. He then worked at Domino's Distribution Center in East Granby, CT prior to building and moving to his dream home in Port Charlotte, Florida. There he worked for NAPA part time until 2008.

Shortly after moving to Port Charlotte, Paul met his devoted, loving life partner of 18 years Gayla Parent. Together they enjoyed camping, motorcycling and traveling to many fantastic destinations including Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Caribbean cruises and travelling coast to coast in their motor home.

Paul loved his family time and traveled on his motorcycle (Yellow Bird) from Florida to New England for annual visits up until his 82nd year of life. He also enjoyed camping, snowmobiling, woodworking, cars (any cars), racing (NASCAR, Motorcycle), along with Barrett Jackson car auctions.

Also surviving Paul are his beloved children: son David Bousquet and his wife Tamara, daughter Joyce Limberger and her husband John, son Mark Bousquet, daughter Paula Ziemiak and her husband Steven. He also leaves his brother and Daytona Bike Week buddy, Jean Bousquet and his wife Kathy. Paul's grandchildren (who each have their own special memories of their times spent with "Pep"): Jessica Heaton, Matthew Basch, Justin Bousquet, Jeremy Bousquet, Joshua Bousquet, Stephanie Kluka, Ryan Ziemiak and Chantal Bousquet. Paul also enjoyed 14 great grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Paul was a friend to everyone he met and consequently he leaves many friends, who along with his family, will miss him dearly and always cherish his memory.

A celebration of Paul's life will be held at a later date.  
Burial will be at Sarasota National Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Paul A Bousquet*

October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM



“ *Paul A Bousquet*

January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM



“ *Aimee Beard sent a virtual gift in memory of Paul A Bousquet*



**Aimee Beard** - November 12, 2019 at 03:35 AM



“ *Aimee Beard lit a candle in memory of Paul A Bousquet*



**Aimee Beard** - November 12, 2019 at 03:33 AM

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“ 7 files added to the album PAULIE WE LOVE YOU !



ROBYN THOMAS - November 12, 2019 at 12:02 AM



“ Dear Paulie you truly are the most adventurous kind loving and thoughtful person I ever had the privilege to meet you are a true soldier and fought till the very end you held on knowing that Gayla would be there by your side to bandage and fix you and care for you while brother coco would pick you up when needed our love ❤️ for you was heartfelt and strong I will miss your laughter and wisdom and smile as well as our family Sunday dinners Paulie Whom am I going to make clams and eggplant for on Sundays I love you and miss you so much you were like a dad to me always there putting a smile on my face and making me laugh brother coco cherishes every minute spent with you you were truly his best friend and brother the bond you shared was rare you understood each other and counted on each other and looked forward to your Home Depot and Wendy trips together Paulie you will be missed beyond words thank you and love you till we meet again love you ❤️❤️

Robyn Thomas - November 11, 2019 at 10:17 PM



“ *Mr Paulie you are truly the most kind loving and adventurous man I have had the privilege to know and love you were like a dad to me and a brother to coco you both shared a special bond and lasting friendship we are lost without you on Sunday dinners nobody to eat the clams or eggplant lol your everlasting smile and wisdom and carpentry keep you going you fought till the very end you knew momma Gayla would be there to bandage and fix you up and take care of you and brother coco would pick you up when needed our hearts are sad and broken and we can never replace or forget you all our love always and every day Rest In Peace paulie ❤️❤️*

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**Robyn Thomas** - November 11, 2019 at 09:55 PM



“ *Crystal Perkins lit a candle in memory of Paul A Bousquet*

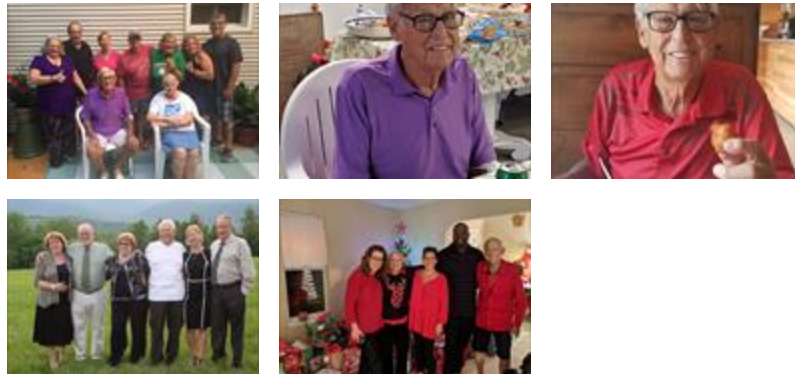


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**Crystal Perkins** - November 10, 2019 at 11:24 PM

Gayla Parent

“ Paul Bousquet was the love of my life. Gentle and kind, generous and dignified. I asked God for a kind man and He/She sent me Paul. He asked for a woman who would stand by his side and He/She sent him to me. We shared a fabulous life together. I am forever grateful.



Gayla Parent - November 10, 2019 at 10:14 PM

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“ David Bousquet sent a virtual gift in memory of Paul A Bousquet



David Bousquet - November 10, 2019 at 04:58 PM

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“ David Bousquet lit a candle in memory of Paul A Bousquet



David Bousquet - November 10, 2019 at 04:55 PM

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“ *David Bousquet lit a candle in memory of Paul A Bousquet*



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David Bousquet - November 10, 2019 at 11:35 AM

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David Bousquet - November 10, 2019 at 11:22 AM