



Paul Luznar

November 3, 1961 - September 12, 2018

On Wednesday, September 12, 2018, Paul, age 56, of South Park, passed away with his family by his side. Beloved son of Gladys M. and the late Paul C. Luznar; devoted husband of Donell "Dee" Luznar; loving father of Heather (Michael) Loughlin; grandfather of Chelsea and Morgan; great-grandfather of Lucca; brother of Sandy (Mitch) Frazier and Keith (Michele) Luznar; also survived by many nieces and nephews. Everyone is "one-of-a-kind," but Paul holds the truest, superlative version of that. Never to be mistaken for anyone but his beautiful self: consistent in demeanor, humor, selflessness, helpfulness, and incomparable love for people and passions. His unique and enviably honorable biography includes mechanic-turned-barber, becoming possibly the youngest and proudest great-grandfather ever, a storytelling gift so vibrant and hilarious the recaps nearly seemed surreal (even when prompted to tell ones he wasn't necessarily proud of, like arguing over a toothbrush with Keith at the trailer), thumbs for gardening, steadying a rifle for hunting, and reeling-in prizeworthy fish – all of the mentioned succeeded at the highest level – not due to competition or a drive for praise, but because of his brilliant compassion to succeed in what made him happiest. He felt progressively blessed to have Lucca, Chelsea, and Morgan as some of his best friends. In turn, he made SO many of us the happiest – in and outside of his presence. Seeing him never weakened in thrill, hilarity, and experiencing the aura of the most genuine, humble, most appreciated guy most of us will ever know. Paul drove the "kid-at-Christmas" response out of everyone he

knew and met. Everyone has a memorable smile & laugh, but we are so lucky to be able to loop the tone and images of his delight in our hearts and heads. His permanently positive effects will continue to drive our decisions, relationships, and life views: what truly matters in our sometimes-short lives - progressively bypassing the small, temporary stressors Paul taught us to ignore - simply through living that way. He seemed to never dread, but embrace every task, making it look like life was always as pleasant and exciting as he was! WE *LOVE* YOU PAUL! Friends received Saturday 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at the GRIFFITH FUNERAL HOME, INC., 5636 Brownsville Road, (at 6th St.), South Park Twp. (412) 655-4600. Funeral Services will be held on Sunday at 12:30 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to be used according to the wishes of the family. Condolences may be offered for the family at www.GriffithFH.com

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **15**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Griffith Funeral Home, Inc.
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Visitation

SEP **15**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Service

SEP **16**. 12:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *To the Family of Paul Luznar:
I just learned of Paul's death. May his soul rest in peace and the
perpetual light shine upon him.
With deepest sympathy,
Paul J. Gitnik*

Paul Gitnik - December 06, 2018 at 11:17 AM

NK

“ *I'm very sorry to hear of Paul's passing. Prayed for him every single
day. He hadbeen cutting my and my boys hair for years now. We
used to trade wild game at the shop. I would bring him smoked
steelhead and he would bring me deer bologna. We will miss him
greatly. Awesome guy*

The Kellingtons

Nick Kellington - September 28, 2018 at 01:54 PM

DL

“ *Don Land lit a candle in memory of Paul
Luznar*



Don Land - September 19, 2018 at 03:17 PM

DL

“ Mrs. Luznar and family.. I would like to express my sincere condolences on the passing of your husband and father. Paul has cut my hair for many years, since they were at the firestation, later out on Rt 88, and lastly at Bruni's. He was such a pleasure to speak with, and share gardening, fishing and hunting tips and stories. he made it fun for me to visit the shop and looked forward to seeing him. I know he has had a tough last couple of years, and somehow he is in peace now and a better place, no more suffering. My wife used to bake cookies to take in when I was getting a hair cut and he always referred to her as the cookie lady, and always asked about her. I only found out about this this morning at the shop. I was out of town for the weekend and had no knowledge of his passing so while this note seems late, and it is, please know my thoughts are with you and your family moving forward.

Don Land - September 19, 2018 at 03:16 PM

EK

“ Eric Kubrick lit a candle in memory of Paul Luznar



Eric Kubrick - September 16, 2018 at 03:00 PM

EK

Paul was always a good hearted person. Always spoke well of his family, and his grandchildren. I have known Paul for over 15 yrs and he will be missed. My deepest sympathy for your Loss. May God watch over you Paul.

Eric Kubrick - September 16, 2018 at 03:07 PM

MF

“ *Mitch And Sandy Frazier lit a candle in memory of Paul Luznar*



Mitch and Sandy Frazier - September 13, 2018 at 05:09 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Paul Luznar.*



September 13, 2018 at 02:52 PM