



Paul B. Laitinen, Jr.

February 27, 1930 - June 8, 2024

Millbury – Paul Bruno Laitinen Jr., 94, passed away peacefully in the CareOne Nursing Facility in Millbury on June 8, 2024.

Paul was born in Waukegan, IL on February 27, 1930, a son of the late Paul Laitinen Sr., and Irene (Soumala) and was raised on the family farm in Townsend, MA. He had a strong work ethic, having spent his career at New England High Carbon Wire in Millbury as well as Bay State Abrasives. Those that knew him recognized his wit and intelligence as well as his amazing memory for details throughout his life.

Paul was a wonderful and loving father to his daughters, Sally Paquin of Southbridge and her husband Robert, Sandy Oelschlegel of Vonore, TN and her husband Will, Sheila Finne of Webster, Susan Laitinen of Burlington and Sharon Larson of Sumner, ME; 14 grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his wife Carol (Forleo) Laitinen and his wife Frances (Hussey) Laitinen, daughter Sherry Laitinen, and grandson Danny DiRienzo, Jr.

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LAITINEN — A small, private graveside service will be held at 12:00 noon on Saturday, June 22, in the Hillside Cemetery, Highland Street, Townsend. The T.J. Anderson & Son Funeral Home, 250 Main Street, Townsend is assisting the family with arrangements. Please see www.andersonfuneral.com for additional information. Memorial contributions may be made to VNA Care Network & Hospice, 120 Thomas Street, Worcester, MA 01608, www.vnacarenetwork.org.

Cemetery Details

Hillside Cemetery

31 Highland St Townsend
Townsend, MA 01469

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JUN 22. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul B. Laitinen, Jr..*



June 14, 2024 at 09:38 PM



“ *Love Alex, Payton, and Jake . planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Paul B. Laitinen, Jr..*

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