

OBITUARY

Bauer, L. Paul

The Rev. L. Paul Bauer, 89, of Whitehall, P.A. went to meet his Creator, Wednesday, September 14, 2016 at Fellowship Manor, Whitehall. He was the husband of Joan (Newman) McDonald Bauer and the late Betty M. (Anderson) Bauer. Born in Camden, N.J., September 30, 1926, Rev. Bauer was the son of the late G. William and May A. (Cramer) Bauer.



A graduate of Taylor University in Indiana with a Degree in Theology, he became an ordained minister, faithfully serving the Wesleyan denomination throughout his entire adult life. He and his wife, Betty, served as missionaries in South Africa from 1957-1976. He also served several churches in Bangor and Orefield, P.A. as well as a church in Roanoke, V.A.

Rev. Bauer loved the Lord and spent his life dedicated to sharing the love of Jesus with others. He was a testimony of that Love to all who knew him, and his legacy has left an indelible mark on his family and friends.

In addition to his wife, Joan, survivors include: children, Lawrence P. Bauer, Jr. and spouse, Richard Miller of Sarasota, F.L., Gail D. wife of Guy Furby of Bredell, South Africa, Patricia M. wife of The Rev. Dr. Steven A. Gerig of Bolivar, O.H.; stepdaughters, Audrey J. wife of Barry Long of Allentown, Eileen A. wife of The Rev. Dr. Stephen Lennox of Canada; brother, A. Russell Bauer and his wife, Carol of Greenville, T.N.; eight grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; five step-grandchildren; five step- great-grandchildren.

A service of celebration and thanksgiving was held on Saturday, October 15th, at 11 am, at Zentz Community Center, Fellowship Community, 3020 Fellowship Drive, Whitehall, with a time of fellowship following the service. The Rev. Philip E. Yerrington officiated. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to either the Fellowship Community Scholarship Fund or The Wesleyan Church Global Partners in care of the funeral home, P.O. Box # 196, Schnecksville, P.A. 18078-019.

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