



## Paul F. Bell

November 12, 1947 - March 9, 2021

Mass of Christian Burial will be at 2:30 p.m., Monday, March 15, 2021 at the St. Boniface Catholic Church in Cold Spring, MN for Paul Bell, age 73 who died peacefully on Tuesday, March 9, 2021 at Quite Oaks Hospice House surrounded by his family after a long courageous battle with cancer.

Entombment will be in the parish cemetery. Those attending the services must maintain social distancing and wear a mask. The service will be live-streamed on the church's website at [www.christcatholic.com](http://www.christcatholic.com).

Relatives and friends may gather from 4:00 – 8:00 p.m. Sunday evening and from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. Monday afternoon at the Wenner Funeral Home in Cold Spring.

Paul was born on November 12, 1947 in Cold Spring, MN to John P. Sr. and Agnes (Stein) Bell. He married Darlene Stang on September 3, 1977 and together they had one son, Marty. Paul served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War. He worked at the Cold Spring Granite Company, co-owned the Side Bar and Café, managed the Rich Spring Golf Course, and worked for Viking Coca-Cola until retirement.

Nothing made Paul happier than spending time with family and friends. He was best known for his humble easy-going character. He enjoyed golfing, playing cards, and watching his grandkids grow. He was an avid follower and

supporter of several local amateur baseball teams after his own playing days. He was also a longtime fan and supporter of ROCORI athletics.

Paul was a member of the Cold Spring American Legion, Cold Spring VFW Post 6915, Vietnam Last Man's Club, and Catholic Order of Foresters.

Survivors include his son Marty (Mindy); siblings Barb (Elmer) Walz, Dolly (Don) Smith, Julie (Bob) Manuel; grandchildren Brooklyn and Morgan and friend Gina.

He was preceded in death by his wife Darlene; his parents; sister Elaine Buettner; and brother Jack Bell.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Boniface Parish Cemetery

Cold Spring, MN 56320

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **14**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Wenner Funeral Home - Cold Spring  
600 Red River Ave. So.  
Cold Spring, MN 56320

## Visitation

MAR **15**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Wenner Funeral Home - Cold Spring  
600 Red River Ave. So.  
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## Service

MAR **15**. 2:30 PM (CT)

St. Boniface Catholic Church  
501 Main Street  
Cold Spring, MN 56320

# Tribute Wall



“ *Paul F. Bell*

January 29, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ *Lavender Dreams was purchased for the family of Paul F. Bell.*



March 13, 2021 at 09:38 AM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Paul F. Bell.*



March 12, 2021 at 02:29 PM



“ *Red, White & Blue Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Paul F. Bell.*



March 11, 2021 at 10:02 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Paul F. Bell.*



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March 10, 2021 at 08:55 PM



“ *I day cared for Marty, Paul and Darlene's son. A wonderful family to work for, Marty was a joy. My sympathies for the family. Blessings and Love to Marty and his family.*

*Sandi Pick*

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**Sandra K Pick** - March 10, 2021 at 06:05 PM



*We will always be friends!!*

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**Dave Bell** - March 11, 2021 at 08:12 AM



*Sincerest condolences to all the Bell clan. Charlie Stein (Joe's youngest)*

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**Charlie Stein** - March 11, 2021 at 09:32 AM