



Paul McGartland

November 19, 1970 - December 23, 2023

Captain Paul Anthony McGartland, age 53, of Lenox Township, passed away on December 23, 2023. He was born on November 19, 1970, in Mount Clemens, to the late Bernard J. McGartland.

Paul was born and raised in St. Clair Shores, when he was younger, he was invited to a station tour by a captain from the department. He was so impressed by what he saw that he decided to become a firefighter himself. He graduated from Lake Shore High in 1989. He began his career as an EMT at United Ambulance and from there went to work at Lenox Fire Department until 1999. He was hired at New Haven Fire Department in 1999 and reached the rank of Captain while also working for Lowes as a delivery driver. Paul was a dedicated and hardworking firefighter who always put the safety of others first. He was also a mentor to many young firefighters, and he helped them to learn the ropes of the job. Paul's son, Christopher followed in his footsteps and became a firefighter as well. Christopher is now a sergeant at the New Haven Fire Department. Paul retired from the New Haven Fire Department in 2017 and is currently still employed by the Road Commission. He is described by his son Christopher and everyone that came in contact with him, as a man that always went that extra mile to help, Paul truly had a servant's heart. He was a brave firefighter who has dedicated his life to helping others. He was also a loving father and husband.

Paul is survived by his son, Christopher McGartland, mother, Nancy McGartland, sister, Lynn (William) Rehahn, nephew, Josh Rehahn, niece,

Megen (Jeff) Drulia, two grand nephews; Ben and Max, half-sister, Vickie (William) Kaminske along with niece, Beth.

Paul was preceded in death by his brother, David M. McGartland.

A memorial service will be held at 5:00pm, on Friday, January 5, 2024, in the Jowett Funeral Home-57737 Gratiot, New Haven. Chaplin John M. Nagy will officiate. Burial will be in Centennial Cemetery. Visiting hours will be 2:00pm until time of service at 5:00pm.

Firefighters pass and review will be at 5:00pm.

Memorial Tributes can be made to Neighbors United.

To view the obituary and share memories, visit, www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - New Haven
57737 Gratiot Avenue
New Haven, MI 48048
(586) 749-9585
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Tribute Wall

KB

“ Sorry for your loss. I didn't know him but my thoughts & prayers go out to the family.

Karen Beck - January 09, 2024 at 01:19 PM

HG

“ Sending my condolences to Lynn Rehahn and Paul's family. He was part of a special family and lived a life of service to others. My thoughts and prayers

Heather gibson - January 05, 2024 at 01:14 PM

RB

“ No words can express the loss I feel inn my heart right. Paul was not only a great father but a great friend of mine soo Manny great memories of all the trips we did on our motorcycle and working 7 day a week with him at Lowes. We made a lot of memories together. I will miss u soo much and one day I will see u again..love u brother.

Randy begin - January 04, 2024 at 08:04 AM

CI

“ Cintas/D26 planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul McGartland.

Cintas/D26 - January 03, 2024 at 11:27 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Paul McGartland.



January 03, 2024 at 11:27 AM



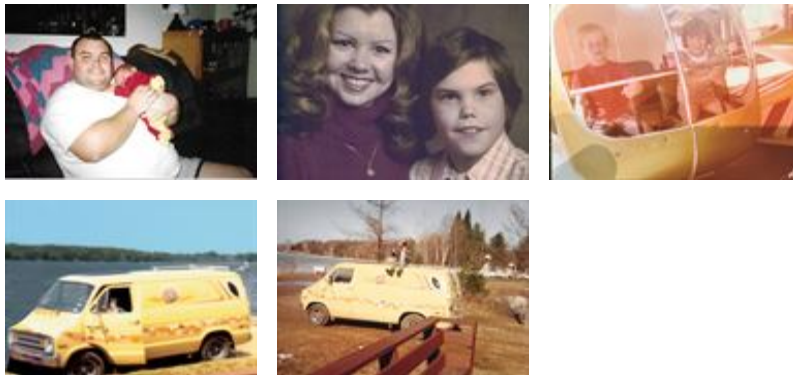
“ *Lynn Rehahn lit a candle in memory of Paul McGartland*



Lynn rehahn - December 29, 2023 at 02:23 PM



“ *48 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - December 28, 2023 at 05:39 PM

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“ Sean, Alicia, Connor, & Ryan McGartland planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul McGartland.

Sean, Alicia, Connor, & Ryan McGartland - December 28, 2023 at 02:21 PM



“ Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul McGartland.



December 28, 2023 at 02:21 PM

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“ Macomb County - Department of Roads purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Paul McGartland.



Macomb County - Department of Roads - December 28, 2023 at 10:04 AM