



## Paul Joseph Poche' Jr.

January 21, 1925 - October 29, 2015

Paul Joseph Poché, Jr.

Paul Joseph Poché, Jr. passed away on Thursday, October 29, 2015 at the age of 90. He attended Destrehan High School then volunteered for the United States Army during World War II serving under General George Patton. He served in Germany and was later deployed to Normandy two weeks post invasion of the Battle of the Bulge. He was a 5 battle star Corporal in the Army acting as gunner. On his return to civilian status, Paul worked for Shell Oil Refinery in Norco, Louisiana as a pipe fitter retiring in 1982 with more than 30 years of service. An avid sportsman, Paul loved to hunt, fish and camp and spent his retirement actively involved in his community and church. He lived his life as a friend to all and stranger to none. He was born and raised in New Sarpy, Louisiana and was a longtime resident of Franklinton, Louisiana where he spent the last 30 years of his life.

He is survived by his four loving daughters: Kathy Poché Scanlan (Robert), Terry Poché Kerr (Kenneth), Wendy Poché Schoen (William) and Penny Poché Johnson (Walter), grandson Matthew Lee Stubbs, Evan Jacob Schoen, and Walter Johannes Johnson III; granddaughter Logan Nicole Corbett; great-granddaughter Sophie Leigh Stubbs as well as many nieces and nephews; and brother James Poché (Pat). He is also survived by Alice Babin Murphy,

his wife by first marriage. He is preceded in death by his wife Dorothy Chandler Poché, parents Paul Joseph Poché, Sr. and Isabelle Simon Poché, sisters Rosemary Poché Hinkle (Cliff), Helen Poché Poprick (George), and Gloria Poché Catalano (Anthony).

The family wishes to thank Lakeview Regional Medical Center in Covington, Louisiana and their outstanding medical staff in the Step-Down Unit and Egan Home Health Care and Hospice for their devoted caregivers.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the gravesite service to be held at St. Charles Borromeo Cemetery, 13396 River Road, Destrehan, Louisiana 70047 on Saturday, November 7, 2015 at 10:00 am. Inurnment will follow.

# Previous Events

## Service

NOV 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

St Charles Catholic Church

1237 LA-665

Montegut, LA 70377-2238

(985) 594-6801

# Tribute Wall

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“ We were camping buddies with Paul & Dotty. We just found out that Paul passed away. We loved them and will miss them deeply. We ran into Paul in Franklinton, La. about 8 months ago for the first time in a couple of years. It was nice seeing him again.  
*Robert & Rita Letellier*

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**Robert letellier** - March 03, 2016 at 08:08 AM

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“ Paul and Dottie were my and my wife's special friends. I am so sorry I did not know about his passing. I tried several times to call him to no avail. I loved them both and will heartily miss them. We attended Zion Lutheran together. We always enjoyed a visit with the two. God blessed them and they are surely in Heaven with their Savior.

*John & Lottie Heidel*

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**John Heidel III** - November 12, 2015 at 06:29 PM

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“ Our heart felt condolences go out the family of Paul "Buddy" Poche Jr. on the loss of a happy go lucky "Good Joe"! Cecil & Jeannie Dufrene.

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**Cecil Dufrene** - November 07, 2015 at 12:04 PM