



# Paul Robert Mokwa

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## **Paul Robert Mokwa**

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**P**aul Robert Mokwa, 73, of Clearwater, FL passed away peacefully on June 20, 2025, surrounded by his family. Born in Syracuse, NY and raised in Palm Harbor, FL, Paul brought humor, compassion, and a steady, loyal presence to everyone who knew him. He worked for 25 years as the Safety Supervisor at DisposAll, where his dedication and commitment to others made him a respected and beloved colleague. He also owned a food service business when he went into "partial" retirement and was a frequent vendor for several farmer markets in downtown Clearwater, Dunedin, Safety Harbor, and Tarpon Springs. He loved chatting with customers and fellow vendors, swapping stories, and being part of the local community.

Paul proudly held a private pilot's license for many years and took great joy in flying his family and friends over Florida's skies. He was a proud member of the Safety Harbor Chamber of Commerce and enjoyed participating in community events such as holiday celebrations and First or Third Fridays. At home, Paul enjoyed life's simple pleasures—continuing his love of flying through online flight simulators, playing online solitaire or looking through old photos and videos on his iPad, adoring the family dogs, who were always by his side and brought him comfort and companionship, and cheering on Tampa Bay's professional sports teams with his family.

Paul is preceded in death by his parents, Robert John Mokwa and Eleanor Viola Schwaninger; his brother, Philip Leon Mokwa; and his son, Eric Paul Mokwa. He is survived by his loving wife of 46 years, Kimberly Ann Mokwa; his son, Timothy Robert Mokwa; his daughters, Samantha Ann Mokwa and April Mary Mokwa; and his granddaughter, Julianna.

A Memorial Service will take place at 3:00 pm on Monday, June 30, 2025 at Moss Feaster Dunedin Chapel with a reception to follow. The family will begin receiving visitors one hour prior to service.



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In lieu of flowers, Paul's family requests that donations be made in his honor to the [American Heart Association](#).



# Events

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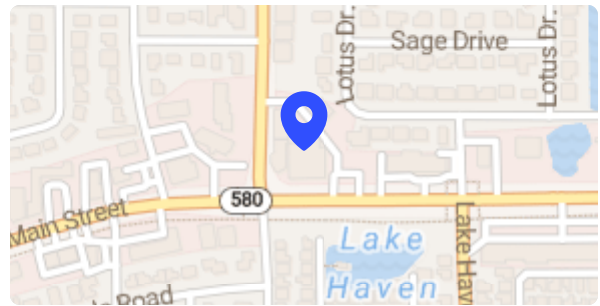
## Visitation

 **Monday**, June 30, 2025

 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM ET


 **Moss Feaster Funeral Home and Cremation - Dunedin**

1320 Main Street, Dunedin FL 34698



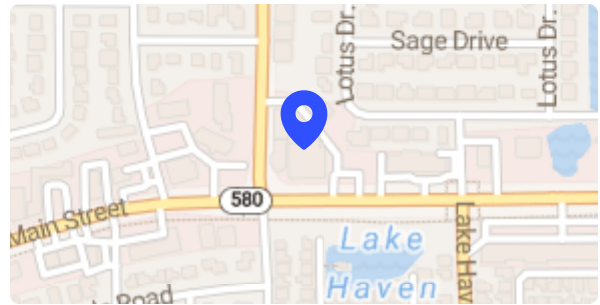
## Memorial Service

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## Tribute Wall

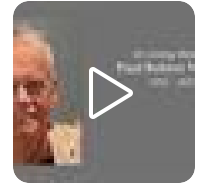
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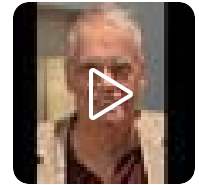
**Moss Feaster Funeral Home & Cremation Services** shared a **Video**.

June 30 at 12:38 PM



**Moss Feaster Funeral Home & Cremation Services** shared a **Webcast Video**.

June 30 at 12:38 PM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Paul.

June 29 at 8:20 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Serene Reflections Bouquet to the Mokwa family.

June 29 at 8:20 AM



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**Charles Rader** posted:

I remember Paul from our teenage years in Palm harbor. He always had a witty sense of humor that sometimes upset everybody which I thought was very funny. He was a great guy. I love him and I will miss him. Sincerely, Chuck Rader

June 28 at 9:43 AM



**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Mokwa family.

June 27 at 7:51 AM





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June 27 at 7:51 AM



**Charles Rader** posted:

One of my favorite things about Paul was we both shared the same political views. We were always bouncing ideas off of each other and having fun doing it. I knew him since approximately 1970 something. He was a great guy. One of his great things were that you could trust him. And he was honest to a fault. He will be dearly missed by myself and many others. May he rest in peace. And I will see him at the pearly Gates. Sincerely

June 26 at 6:10 PM



**Kenneth James** posted:

I saw this kid and his mom headed to Fred Wheeler's Barbershop Main St., Palm harbor about 1961. I introduced myself Paul and I became fast friends on our bikes we rode hundreds and hundreds of miles around Palm harbor Ozona and Crystal Beach. We went through adolescence and puberty together, discovered girls cars and rock 'n' roll music and no particular order. We like the Rolling Stones because they were loud and crude not the Beatles. Paul always stayed in touch even when I was in the army and working in Wisconsin. Paul loved his family, his children and his wife Kim he will be miss greatly and thought of often fondly.

June 26 at 5:39 PM



**Kenneth James** posted:

I saw this kid walking down Florida Avenue to Fred Wheeler's barbershop in Palm Harbor Florida. I introduce myself to Paul and his mom. It was about 1961. We became fast friends wrote our bicycles everywhere hundreds and hundreds of miles around Palm harbor Ozona and Crystal Beach. We went through pure adolescence and puberty together discovered girls cars, and rock 'n' roll music in no particular order we like the rolling stones because they were loud and crude instead of the Beatles we were almost brothers. Paul always stayed in touch even when I was in the army and working in Wisconsin. We continued that friendship for almost 65 years. Paul loved his children, family and wife Kim. I will think of him often and fondly.

June 26 at 5:15 PM



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June 26 at 5:10 PM



**Bruce Allen** posted:

Humor. That's what drew me to Paul Mokwa. Back in the day, at Palm Harbor Junior High School, Paul had the best sense of humor and he was my best friend. From satires to well planned pranks, we spared no effort to elicit a laugh from each other. In the neighborhood we found out what was really going on out there from the older guys like Rick H, Kenny J, and others. Paul was the tallest guy in the class and he made a striking figure as the drum major in the marching band. We all walked like Paul. Later, Paul, Kenny and I rented a house near Lake Tarpon. Everything was great there, until one day we came home from work to find that the landlord had framed in the walls of his new business office in the middle of our living room. These are ancient memories to be sure, but they speak to the present-day Paul I knew ... engaging ... helpful ... interested to hear what's on your mind ... always there for you ... and still funny. A mensch. I miss him. Bruce Allen

June 23 at 7:03 PM



## Media

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# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Paul by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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