



Paul C. Picio II

January 29, 1944 - April 22, 2026

Paul C. Picio II, age 82, passed away peacefully on April 22, 2026, surrounded by the love of his family. Born on January 29, 1944, Paul lived a full and meaningful life defined by devotion to family, a deep appreciation for the outdoors, and a passion for the simple joys that brought him happiness. Paul is survived by his beloved wife of over 61 years, Linda K. Picio, whose lifelong partnership was the foundation of his world. He was a proud and loving father to Matthew (Kristi) Picio, Theresa (Danny) Grabowski, and Wendy-Lynn (Adrian) Paich. His legacy continues through his cherished grandchildren, Tim, Alyx, Christina, Simon, and Owen, who brought him immense pride and joy. He is also survived by his siblings, Barbara (Ron) Doll and Mike (Linda) Picio, and his sister-in-law, Dawn Paul-Picio. Paul will be fondly remembered by his many cousins, nieces, and nephews as well. Paul was preceded in death by his parents, Paul and Eleanore Picio; his brother, Phil Picio; his brother-in-law, Joe Peraino; and his dear grandchild, Aaron Compton.

A man who found peace and purpose in the outdoors, Paul loved gardening, fishing, and hunting. He took great pride in caring for his yard and could often be found outside, tending to it with patience and dedication. He had a talent for woodworking and a lifelong fascination with trains, a passion that never faded. He also had a special place in his heart for his pets, who were constant companions throughout the years. Above all, Paul cherished his family and loved spending his time with them. His quiet strength, steady guidance, and

enduring love will be deeply missed but forever remembered by those who were lucky enough to know him.

A visitation will be held on Sunday, April 26, 2026, from 2-8pm at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Rd. (3blks. E. of Van Dyke) in Utica. A funeral mass will take place the following day, Monday, April 27, 2026, with instate at 9am until the time of the mass at 10am at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, 44633 Utica rd. in Utica. Paul will be laid to rest at Christian Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Rochester Hills.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 26. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Utica
8459 Hall Road
Utica, MI 48317

Rosary

APR 26. 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

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8459 Hall Road
Utica, MI 48317

Instate

APR 27. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church
44633 Utica Road
Utica, MI 48317

Funeral Mass

APR 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church
44633 Utica Road
Utica, MI 48317

Burial

APR 27. 1:30 PM (ET)

Christian Memorial Gardens West
521 E. Hamlin Road
Rochester Hills, MI 48307

Tribute Wall



“ Jim & Lynn Lenhardt planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul C. Picio II.

Jim & Lynn Lenhardt - April 25 at 11:35 AM



“ Jim & Lynn Lenhardt purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Paul C. Picio II.



Jim & Lynn Lenhardt - April 25 at 11:35 AM



“ When I was 6, Paulie and the family came to Washington to spend a week in the summer with my grandparents. We rented the top of their house at the time. I was on the front porch blowing bubbles when Paul came out to catch a smoke. He took my bubbles and proceeded to fill bubble with cigarette smoke. They'd float off and then burst, releasing a clump of smoke. So cool to a 6 yr old. Still makes me laugh.

Bob Casacchia - April 25 at 11:05 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Paul C. Picio II.

April 25 at 10:58 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Paul C. Picio II.



April 25 at 10:58 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Paul C. Picio II.

April 24 at 09:43 PM



“ Martha and Timothy purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Paul C. Picio II.



Martha and Timothy - April 24 at 05:03 PM



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Paul C. Picio II.

April 23 at 09:08 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Paul C. Picio II.*



April 23 at 09:08 PM



“ *The Rossi Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Paul C. Picio II.*



The Rossi Family - April 23 at 07:03 PM