



## Paul Jude Sawicki

January 21, 1961 - July 12, 2023

Paul Jude Sawicki (62) of Wilmington, North Carolina, WALKED through heaven's gates on Wednesday, July 12th.

Born in Detroit, Michigan, to Ralph and Caroline Sawicki. Paul was the first of 3 children with a younger brother, Matthew Sawicki, who passed away in 2006, and the youngest, Marybeth Jatczak.

Marybeth Jatczak (and Brian) have two children, Paul's niece and nephew; Kaitlyn Jatczak and Austin Jatczak. Paul has two married children, Christina Brooks (and Travis) and Amanda Vitale (and Joey). His greatest joys were his 3 (soon to be 4) grandchildren: Elliot Brooks, Ransom Brooks, and Isaiah Brooks.

If you had the privilege of knowing Paul, you know that while his life was boldly marked by incredible hurdles, he perpetually lived to encourage, love, and point others to Christ. Paul was the owner of Godspeed Motorsports and went on to start numerous ministries to offer free or affordable car care for widows and single mothers. Always concerned with others, Paul's heart was to love others in the midst of hardship which ultimately led him to becoming a substance abuse counselor.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *There could never be a better friend.*

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**Jean Krirgel** - November 17, 2023 at 05:01 PM

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“ *Loved your dad and his passion for life. Much love and peace to your family, a truly difficult time for you to be sure.*

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**Heidi Kaiser** - July 27, 2023 at 11:54 AM

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“ *I had the great please of knowing Paul. We not only talked about our love for cars, but he helped me with how to deal with a family member with a substance abuse problem. He truly cared about others and did what he could to help.*

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**Joe Reed** - July 19, 2023 at 08:38 AM