



## Paul Francis Blair

January 22, 1940 - February 12, 2018

Paul Francis Blair of Centreville, MD, died on February 12, 2018. He was 78.

Born on January 22, 1940, he was the son of the late Edward John Blair and Mary Margaret Hynes Blair. Paul grew up in Baltimore and attended St. Joseph's Monastery and Mt. St. Joseph's High School. He worked as a store manager for Food Fair and Pantry Pride before beginning his career in print distribution with the Baltimore Sun. He later owned Dunloggin Distributors, where he continued his print distribution work.

On May 13, 1961, he married the former Catherine "Kay" Bounds and the couple made their home first in Catonsville, MD, before moving to Howard County, where they resided for 35 years. After their retirement, the Blairs moved to Symphony Village in Centreville, MD, in 2006.

Paul loved to golf and to bowl, and was an active volunteer with the Centreville High school football Chain Gang. He was a member of Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church.

In addition to his loving wife, Kay, Paul is survived by his children, Michael Paul Blair (Mary) of Ellicott City, MD, Cynthia Blair Nanasi (David) of Timonium, MD, and Kevin Joseph Blair (Christine) of Odenton, MD; his siblings, Edward Blair (Kathy), Mary Hitt and Robert Blair (Cindy); six

grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter. In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his brother, Thomas Blair, and grandson, Matthew Brady.

Friends and family may visit on Thursday, February 15, at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Centreville, MD, from 2-4 and 6-8 pm. A funeral liturgy will be celebrated at 11 am on Friday, February 16, at Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church. Burial will be held at 12 pm on Saturday, February 17, at Crest Lawn Memorial Gardens in Marriottsville, MD.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Compass Regional Hospice, 160 Coursevall Dr., Centreville, MD 21617.

# Cemetery Details

## Crest Lawn Memorial Gardens

2150 Mount View Road  
Marriottsville, MD 21104

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 15. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location  
408 South Liberty Street  
Centreville, MD 21617  
(410) 758-1151  
info@fhfuneralhome.com

## Visitation

FEB 15. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location  
408 South Liberty Street  
Centreville, MD 21617  
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## Service

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FEB 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Mother of Sorrows Church  
303 Chesterfield Avenue  
Centreville, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Paul Francis Blair*



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - February 15, 2018 at 10:40 AM



“ *Paul Francis Blair*

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Paul Francis Blair*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Paul Francis Blair*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

JS

“ Dear Kay and family,

*Read of Paul's passing in the paper. We wish to offer our most sincere sympathy. It brought back a lot of memories of long ago, think of you often. You all were great friends to our family.*

*Love,  
Joe and Carol Suarez*

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**Joe and Carol Suarez** - February 15, 2018 at 02:50 PM

GR

“ Kay, we are sorry to hear of Paul's passing and for your loss. We always enjoyed his gentle sense of humor and he was a true gentleman in every sense. We will miss seeing him on our street. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

*Gail and Steve Reel*

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**Gail and Steve Reel** - February 15, 2018 at 10:44 AM

BR

“ Bessie L. Richardson purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Paul Francis Blair.



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**Bessie L. Richardson** - February 15, 2018 at 09:07 AM

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“ -The CareFirst STSP Team purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Paul Francis Blair.



-The CareFirst STSP Team - February 14, 2018 at 04:12 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Paul Francis Blair.



February 14, 2018 at 01:56 PM

WA

“ wanda purchased the Ringed by Love for the family of Paul Francis Blair.



wanda - February 14, 2018 at 01:24 PM

DE

“ Kay, our words cannot fully express the sorrow we feel about the passing of Paul.  
Wishing you peace to bring you comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold onto in your heart forever.  
“With our deepest condolences to you and your family”  
Frank and Debbie

Debbie - February 14, 2018 at 11:25 AM

BD

*Kay, we are so sorry to hear that Paul has passed away. We have nothing but wonderful memories of our great times with you both. We cannot begin to express our sorrow and sadness in hearing the news. He was a one of a kind special guy and he will be sorely missed. We send our prayers to you and your wonderful family at this sad time. We pray that our Lord will send his peace and comfort to you to help you through these tough times. Love you, Dave and Barb...*

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**Barb & Dave** - February 14, 2018 at 02:31 PM

CM

*Kay, it is with great sorrow that we learned of Paul's passing. You have not only lost your husband but also your best friend. I admire the strength you have shown throughout these difficult times. You gave him the best gift of all by allowing to be in his home where he wanted to be. Take comfort in the many memories you made throughout the years. You both were truly blessed. We are away but have you and your family in our prayers.*

*Carolyn and Dominick*

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**Carolyn Mancinelli** - February 15, 2018 at 12:22 AM