
Paul Woodgate

Woodgate, Paul E.

Spencerport: Paul enjoyed a joyous celebration with his heavenly Father May 14, 2014, and, after a lifetime of longing, ran into the arms of his earthly father, Burton Elliot Woodgate, who he loved deeply, though taken from him when Paul was only a boy. No doubt, his mother, Mildred Farmer Woodgate, also rejoiced to see her son once more. He died peacefully at the age of 78, after a 4-year battle with Parkinsons.

An unassuming man of integrity and virtue, Paul demonstrated a dry wit, spreading chuckles to those around him. A man deep of faith, he involved himself as a trustee and later as treasurer at his church.

Paul held deep devotion to family putting a priority on sharing dinner together.

He knew three languages, which he used in his professional life as a chemist at Eastman Kodak, where he worked for over thirty-five years. Curious by nature, no less than twenty patents bear his name from his innovations developing polymers there.

After retirement, Paul fancied himself a farmer and raised mohair goats.

He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Carole Bulmore Woodgate; two children, Stephen Burton Woodgate (wife Suzette) of Byhalia, MS, Linda Woodgate Lee (husband Warburg Lee) of Austin, TX and two grandchildren: Kirsten Ja-Ying and Austin Ja-Yu Lee.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 24, 2014 at 10:00 am at Grace Baptist Church, 5220 Lake Rd S, Brockport, NY with private interment in Oatka Cemetery in Scottsville, NY following.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to:

Children's Bible Hour

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In memory of Paul E. Woodgate



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