

Douglas Hornok, pastor of the Redeemer Bible Church in Dallas, Texas, and the Rev. Wendy Todd, pastor of the Kellogg Christian Church, officiating. Interment was at Westfield Cemetery near Grinnell with military honors and a Masonic service.

Memorials may be directed to the Comfort House, Hospice of Pella, 505 Union Street, Pella, Iowa 50219 or to Warren Cancer Research Foundation, 6151 South Yale Avenue, Suite 103b, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136. Memories and condolences may be shared with the family on the Smith Funeral Home website at [www.smithfh.com](http://www.smithfh.com).

Paul was born the son of Andrew Emmett Edwards and Theresa "Rose" Lauber on October 12, 1932, in Kellogg. He was raised there and graduated from Kellogg High School in 1951, then honorably served in the United States Army from 1951 until 1955. Following his service, he attended Drake University in Des Moines, where he graduated in 1959.

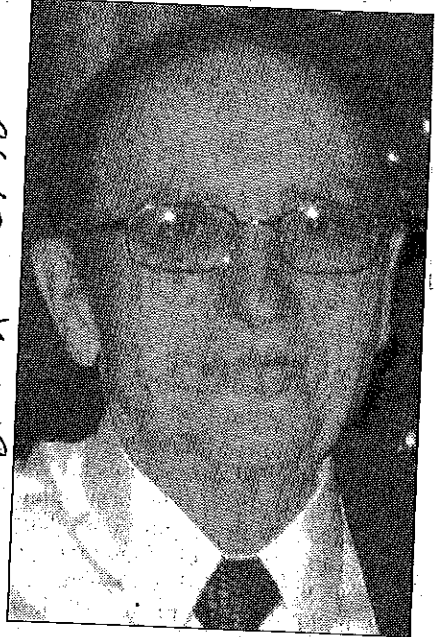
On September 5, 1954, he married Jo Ellen Jacobs at the Kellogg Christian Church and they began their life together in Des Moines, before moving to Fort Wayne, Ind., where they started their family. Paul worked for Skelly Oil Company and Skelgas Inc. until his retirement in 1993.

Paul was a 50-year member of Masonic Lodge #59 in Newton, and dearly loved his family and his pet dogs. He lived in Fort Wayne, Ind.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Chicago, Ill., and Tulsa, Okla.

He is survived by his son Thomas P. Edwards of Maplewood, N.J., and daughter Mary Jo Roy of Arlington, Va.; and his sisters Colleen Spain of Newton and Dorothy Hubler of Lakewood, Colo.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Jo Edwards on Oct. 1, 2009; and his brothers, Gerald, Donald, Everett and infant sister Barbara.

## Paul L. Edwards



Paul L. Edwards, 77, of Tulsa, Oklahoma and formerly of Kellogg, died Thursday, March 25, 2010, at the Comfort House in Pella.

A funeral service was held Monday, March 29, at the Kellogg Christian Church in Kellogg with the Rev.