



## Paul D. Ollerich

April 17, 1952 - December 30, 2011

Paul Ollerich, 59, of Montrose, died Friday, Dec. 30, 2011 at the Avera Dougherty Hospice Cottage, Sioux Falls, following a courageous battle with cancer. Paul Ollerich, 59, passed away Friday, December 30, 2011 at the Avera Dougherty Hospice Cottage, Sioux Falls, South Dakota following a courageous two year battle with cancer. Paul was born on April 17, 1952 at Sioux Falls, SD the son of Paul Myron and Wyonna "Pat" (Wiepking) Ollerich. He grew up and attended school in the Lennox and Tea area until moving to Sioux Falls while in the 4th grade. At age 15 he moved with his family to Simi Valley, CA where he graduated from high school. He was married to Jeannine Parkin and the couple had two daughters. He later married Kathleen Moulton and three daughters were born to this union. After being together for over eleven years Paul married Deanna Peterson on December 8, 2011. The couple made their home in Montrose, SD. Paul had several occupations including mechanic and house inspector, but primarily worked as a soil analyst for several engineering firms. Paul grew up in the Catholic faith. He loved spending time with his grandchildren. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, boating, camping and four wheeling. He also enjoyed construction and home remodeling. Paul had a passion for fixing and restoring cars. He enjoyed grilling on the back yard bar-b-que for family and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents. Grateful for having shared his life are his wife Deanna, Montrose; daughters: Tawnya (Phil) Soden, Leggit, CA, Krista (Ken) Parker, Anaheim Hills, CA, Megan (Jason) Scheideler, Sioux Falls, SD, Kara (Leland)

Langstraat, Sioux Falls, SD and Lauren (Victor) McKittrick, Canova, SD; eight grandchildren: Mark, Ty, Garrett, Amanda, Andrew, Ashlyn, Morgan and Kaylee; siblings: Larry (Cathie) Ollerich, Sioux Falls, SD, Debbie Ollerich, Las Vegas, NV, Teresa (Steve) Wiley, Reno, NV and Darcy Ollerich, Salem, SD as well as a host of other relatives and friends. Services will begin at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 4 at St. Nicholas Catholic Church, Tea with burial to follow at the Mt. Olivet Catholic Cemetery, Lennox. Visitation will begin at 4:00 p.m., Tuesday with the family present at the Dindot-Klusmann Funeral Home, Lennox, with a prayer service at 6:30 p.m.

# Tribute Wall

TA

“ You will be greatly missed but that doesn’t mean I will ever forget you. You left a mark on my heart that will stay there forever. I keep wishing I could rewind my life back to the last time I saw you. Just one more hug and one more chance to tell you I love you and wishing I had gotten the chance to say goodbye. Rest In Peace Dad.

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**Tawnya** - January 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ My thoughts and prayer on the passing of Paul. You guys were always my favorite when he came in to the office. Early!! After leaving Avera I thought about you guys often. I know that Paul is in a better place now.

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**Becca** - January 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ To Deanna and families: I am so sorry to hear of your news. My Sympathies to you and your family. My thoughts and Prayers go out to you and yours. Julie Hanson

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**Julie Hanson** - January 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DO

“ For my dear brother I am sadden that I could not be there to honor your life. I know that you are with God and that your soul was saved by Jesus our Lord.

*I will always remember your encouraging words right after our mothers funeral. We were sitting on your back porch watching the sun go down, the horses in the field. We were reflecting on the saddness I had with words spoken to me by family members. You told me to let go and forgive and to move on and find happiness with my life to be successful and that it was never to late to do that. You told me not to dwell on the words of those that wish to condem me. You encouraged me to be the most I could be. I must say your words hit my heart with your unconditional love, I am the most I can be right now. I have my own successful real estate business, I have attained 2 degrees in college been an hornor student. I have a wonderful son with 3 wonderful grandchildren. I have a happy life my cup runneth over. I took your advice and realized thats exactly what you had done with your life. You were an inspiration to me. I will never forget you... I love you.. See you in Heaven when I get there someday..till then I will miss you and remember you fondly my brother  
Love your sister Debbie*

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**Derba Ollerich** - January 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ Deanna, I'm so sorry for your loss. He is finnally resting now without pain. If you need help with anything let me know. I will be there for you.  
Cori

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**Cori Peterson** - January 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ I will miss you, I am so grateful for having you as my brother. You are the best Uncle my daughters could ever had. So many memories I will cherish forever. You are in gods hands now. You will be with mom & Dad now. The many bonfires, fireworks. & just sitting on your deck on a hot summer night I will remember for the rest of my life. That was us. I will miss you so much. Love you my dearest brother. Darcy, Nicole & emily.

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**Darcy Ollerich** - January 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

VJ

“ I am a third cousin of Paul's on the Bakker side of the family. I am the 'keeper' of the Bakker information.

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**Verlyss Jacobson** - January 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SE

“ The family has our deepest and most heartfelt sympathy! Paul will be missed so much. He was such a good friend and just like an older brother to Steve & I. He will be in our hearts, memories and thoughts forever! We love you Pauly! You will bring lots of Smiles to Heaven! God Bless you and God Bless the family!

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**Steve & Cathie Eidahl** - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM