



Paul A. Ott

August 7, 1947 - July 8, 2025

Paul A. Ott, 77, of Lebanon, passed away on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at Cedar Haven. He was the husband of the late Lucy R. (Long) Gilbert-Ott, Ann Ott and Gladys Ott.

Born in Lebanon on August 7, 1947, he was the son of the late Foster M. and Ethel M. (Merkey) Ott. He was a welder for Houck Manufacturing for many years and worked as a truck driver for different trucking companies. He attended South Lebanon Community Church, where he played guitar and sang in the church band. Paul had two horses named Kat and Hoss. He had a blackbelt in Taekwondo, enjoyed riding motorcycles, woodworking and making home improvements.

He is survived by his daughters: Julia L. Ott and Jeremiah Tucker of Lancaster and Marie E. Ott-Smith wife of Corey Smith of Mt. Joy; grandchildren: Noelle, Natalia, Isaiah and Isabelle; and sister Janet Ott Snyder of Palmyra. He was preceded in death by his sister Ruth Rudy.

The memorial service will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 15, 2025, at South Lebanon Community Church, 101 E. Evergreen Rd., Lebanon, PA 17042. Inurnment will follow the service at Friedens Memorial Park in Myerstown.

Cemetery Details

Friedens Memorial Park

N. Ramona Road
Myerstown, PA 17067

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 15. 1:00 PM (ET)

South Lebanon Community Church
13 Evergreen Road
Lebanon, PA 17042

Tribute Wall



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Paul A. Ott.*



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“ *Paul and I worked side by side for years welding at Hauck Mfg. His welding booth and mine were right next to each other. We would share stories and crack jokes every day during our breaks, something I really enjoyed. He was an excellent welder, and I was just a beginner, so I learned a lot about welding from Paul. I was able to return the favor to him later on when I started my Taekwondo school, and helped Paul become a Black Belt. As time went by, we did not get to see each other that often but Paul remained one of my best friends ever. I will miss my good buddy.*

-David Gladwell

David Gladwell - July 11, 2025 at 05:36 PM



“ *We are all heartbroken over Paul's passing! We all loved taking care of him and he was always a bright spot at work. I will carry his memory in my heart. God bless his family during this difficult time.*

Tina Fisher - July 11, 2025 at 12:43 AM

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“ I am so sorry for the loss of Paul. It was such an honor taking care of him. He made me laugh every single day. He was always the light on a crazy day and a listening ear when you just wanted to chat.

Abigail Eberly - July 11, 2025 at 12:35 AM

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“ I am so very sorry for your loss. He was such a phenomenal guy! Some of my favorite childhood memories were made with Paul. From horseback riding at midnight, feeding Ruby fries, or heartbreaking boys being called Pop Tarts, he always knew how to make me have the best time. I am very honored to have known him.

Abbey H. - July 10, 2025 at 10:17 PM