



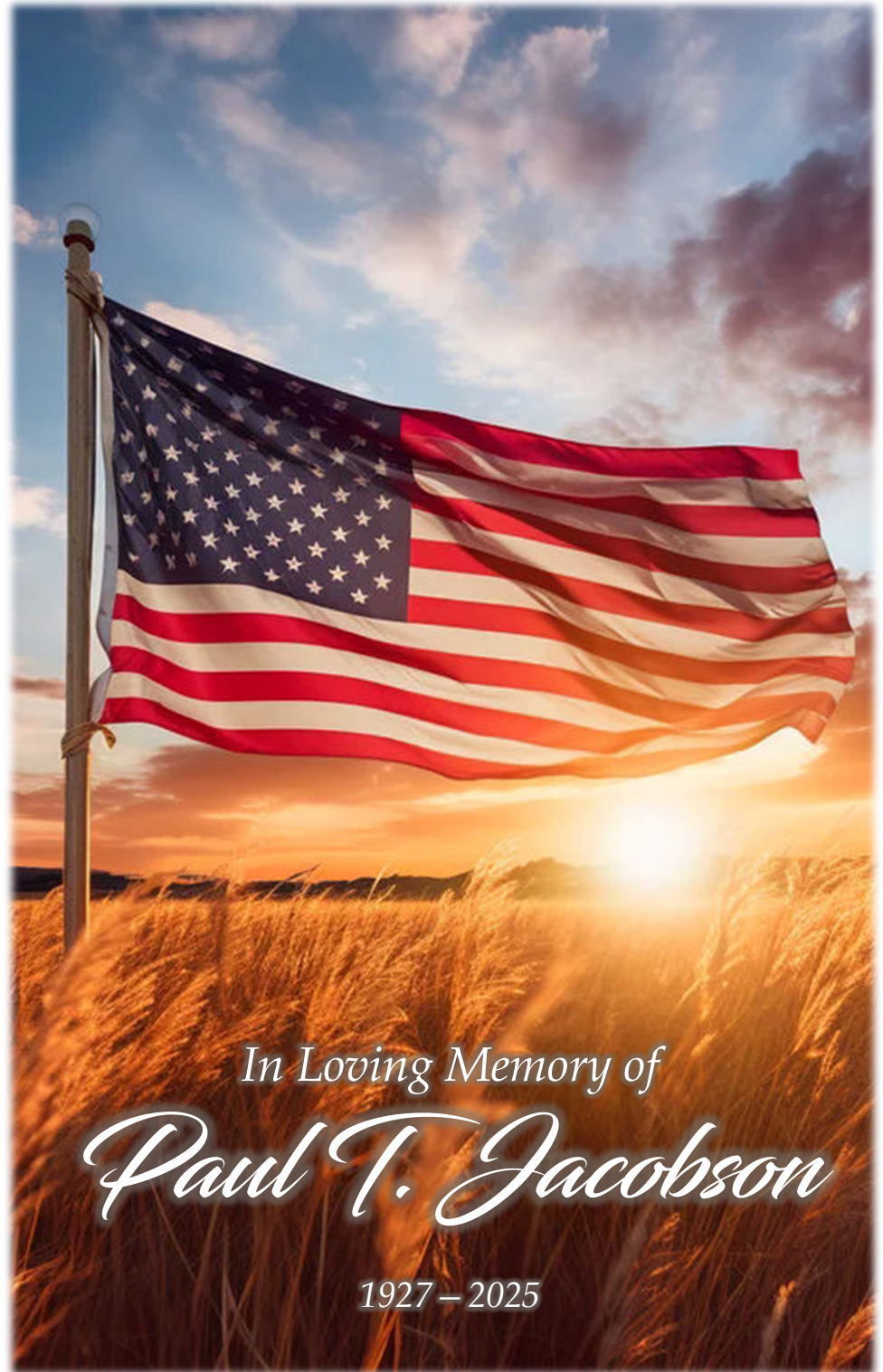
1948 - Paul T. and his 1941 Ford

Taps

*Day is done, gone the sun
From the hills, from the sky.
All is well, safely rest,
Safely rest, all is well.
Fading light dims the sight,
And a star gems the sky,
Gleaming bright from afar,
Drawing nigh, falls the night.
Dear one, rest!*



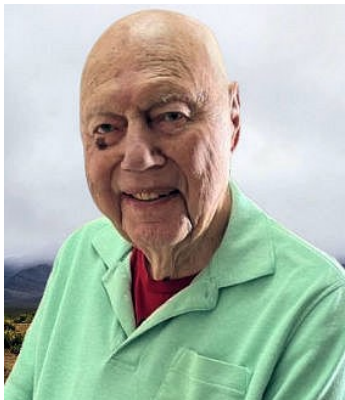
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In Loving Memory of

Paul T. Jacobson

1927 – 2025



Paul Thomas Jacobson, age 97, of Mandan, passed away April 6, 2025, at Sanford Medical Center. He had been residing at Edgewood on Dominion in Bismarck prior to his passing.

Paul was born April 15, 1927, in Mandan, ND, to Norman and Edna (Sakshaug) Jacobson. He grew up on the family farm in Oliver County and attended Yucca School. In 1945, Paul graduated from Bellingham High School in Washington. Paul was blessed with 2 siblings, John Jacobson and Karen Jacobson Dire.

In 1946, Paul was drafted into the US Air Force and attended weather school, beginning his career as a weather specialist in the Air Force. He spent time in Germany, Greenland, and Rapid City, SD before his discharged in 1949. Paul returned to the farm in Oliver County for a year before being recalled into the Air Force in 1951.

On November 3, 1956, he married Marilyn Schwab in Mandan. They were blessed with two sons, Carl and Alan. The family spent the next 11 years stationed in various parts of the world including England, Germany, and Taiwan, before retiring at Baltimore, MD, in 1968, and then moving back to the family farm.

Paul had several occupations in his lifetime. Weatherman, NSA employee, farmer/rancher, tax preparer, and volunteer. He served on the Oliver County Ambulance Board, Farmers Union Oil Board, and Oliver County Fire District Board.

Marilyn passed away on September 7, 2002. Paul later enjoyed a relationship with Paige Newton and they enjoyed many years of travel to Lake Havasu, AZ, Norway, and other adventures.

Paul enjoyed doing crossword puzzles, good jokes, and visiting with anyone who happened to be near him. He was an awesome conversationalist and loved playing cards.

Paul is survived by his sons, Carl (Sue) Jacobson and Alan (Elicia) Jacobson, both of Mandan; grandchildren, Aaron, Sarah (Renee), Kathryn, and Teal (Donovan) Jacobson; and great-grandchildren, Monte, Bobby Jr., and Dexter. He is also survived by his special friends, Paige Newton, Todd & Mary Newton, Blair & Vicki Newton, and many other special friends and relatives.

Paul was preceded in death by his parents; in-laws, Peter and Minnie Schwab; spouse, Marilyn; brother, John; sister and brother-in-law, Karen and Robert "Bud" Dire; brother-in-law, William Schwab; sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Darlene (Frank) Hatzenbihler; daughter-in-law, Sandra Jacobson; grandson, John Jacobson; and great-granddaughter, Hazel Jacobson.

Special thanks to the staff at Edgewood Vista and Sanford Health for their excellent care. If you are inclined to give a memorial in Paul's name, the family suggests First Lutheran Church of Mandan or the Oliver County Ambulance Board.



Funeral Service

Friday, April 11, 2025; 10:30 AM
First Lutheran Church, Mandan, ND

Officiant

Pastor Phil Leer

Musician

Loretta White

Celebrating the Life of Paul T. Jacobson

Gathering Red hymnal, page 279

Welcome

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Processional *"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"* #742

Invocation & Opening Prayer

Military Honors Minot Air Force Honor Guard

Family Reflections

Special Music by Tony Saylor *"Here I am, Lord"*

Scripture Readings Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

Psalm 23

Philippians 4:4-7

John 14:1-6

Sermon

Prayers of the Church **C: *"Hear our prayer"***

Lord's Prayer

Closing Announcements

Commendation

Recessional *"Beautiful Savior"* #838

Burial will be held at a later date at Harmon Cemetery in rural Oliver County.

The family invites you for food and fellowship in the church basement immediately following the funeral service.