



Alfred "Paul" Glauser

January 12, 1952 - April 2, 2026

Alfred Paul Glauser, 74, of Draper, Utah, passed away peacefully at home in the early morning hours of April 2, 2026, after spending the previous evening surrounded by his family.

Paul was born on January 12, 1952, in Portland, Oregon, to Alfred Junior Glauser and Betty Lee Andersen. He spent his early years in Portland as well as Uganda, Africa. His upbringing helped shape his love of learning and his appreciation for people and cultures.

Paul married the love of his life, Vickie Katherine Huntwork (born Ezra), on August 9, 1974, in the Oakland, California Temple. They've been married for 51 years and have built a family of five children, fifteen grandchildren, and now four great-grandchildren. All of them knew that Dad or Grandpa was the person to ask when they needed help hauling furniture, remodeling a bathroom, or navigating life.

After completing his bachelor's degree at Brigham Young University, Paul completed his Master of Urban Planning at Harvard University. He found his professional purpose as a city planner for Ogden, Draper, and Provo cities. His colleagues knew him as a man of absolute integrity who cared deeply about the communities he helped shape. Even into retirement, Paul loved helping people turn their homes into beautiful parts of a greater whole.

He was a man of tremendous faith. A devoted member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Paul served as bishop of the Ogden 52nd Ward, as a stake presidency counselor in the Draper Utah Stake, and in many other callings, most recently as a temple worker alongside Vickie in the Draper Utah Temple.

As a young man he served an LDS mission in Austria, and later he and Vickie served together in the Russia St. Petersburg Mission. The pair also served closer to home in service missions with African refugees and family history work. Together, Paul and Vickie helped launch the MyHometown initiative, which has since grown to include four cities in Utah.

It's almost impossible to summarize a man who found joy in so many things. Paul approached life with curiosity, creativity, and kindness. He enjoyed trivia and puzzles, delighted in harmless jokes, and always saw the humorous side of situations. His hobbies included woodworking, stained glass art, DIY home projects, rock hounding, traveling, and camping. He planned friend and family reunions, and loved supporting people in their personal growth.

More than anything, Paul loved his Savior, Jesus Christ. His faith guided every decision and filled his home with purpose and peace. Those who knew him best saw the gospel reflected not just in his words but in how he lived with humility, service, thoughtfulness, and a twinkle in his eye.

Paul was preceded in death by his parents, Al and Betty Glauser, and his sister, Susie Glauser. He is survived by his wife, Vickie; their children Mary (Kent) White, Christy (Nate) Boden, Carolyn (Matt) Mendenhall, Jacob (Jenni) Glauser, and Jenny (McClaine) Wilde; 15 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and his brother, David Glauser.

A viewing will be held Friday, April 10 from 6:00–8:00 p.m. at the Draper First Ward building, 12353 South 600 East, Draper. Funeral services will be held Saturday, April 11 at 10:00 a.m. at the same location. Burial will follow in the Larkin Sunset Gardens cemetery.

The services may be viewed using the following link: <https://DraperStake.org/PaulGlauser/>

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to A Child's Hope Foundation.

Cemetery Details

Larkin Sunset Gardens

1950 East 10600 South
Sandy, UT 84092

Previous Events

Viewing

APR 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Draper 1st Ward
12353 South 600 East
Draper, UT 84020

Viewing #2

APR 11. 9:00 AM - 9:45 AM (MT)

Draper 1st Ward
12353 South 600 East
Draper, UT 84020

Funeral Service

APR 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

Draper 1st Ward
12353 South 600 East
Draper, UT 84020

Tribute Wall



“ I'll never forget being his home teaching companion... In a chapter of my life where I didn't prioritize things of most importance and wasn't fully invested in the gospel. He looked past my phase of life and persisted to help me magnify my calling.

Many times I would tell him I wasn't available to go visit. Only to then have him show up to my front door with an extra tie in hand saying "You ready to go?"

He didn't buy into my façade and saw me for who I was.

I love that man. He will always be a part of my testimony growth story and how I treat others and support our youth.

Until we meet again Brother Glauser.

Brad Devine - April 12 at 07:32 PM

LM

“ When our young family moved into the Draper 1st ward from Arizona 29 years ago, I was excited, but nervous, having no friends. Paul showed up with the Teachers Quorum to help us unload a very big U-Haul truck, packed to the brim with boxes and furniture. They worked hard...Paul was their leader. Later the same day, Vickie walked up our driveway, and welcomed us with a plate of homemade brownies. Through service and brownies, Paul and Vickie helped a homesick young mother feel like everything was going to be okay in this strange new land. Thanks for being who you were - and who you are!! Laurie Metcalf

Laurie Metcalf - April 11 at 02:23 PM

DH

“ This great man was an example and mentor for me as a young man. He helped me through many personal things, and taught me how to be a true disciple of Christ. From his tutelage, I have happily served the Lord for many years.

David A. Hicken - April 11 at 11:51 AM

SL

“ My three-year BYU roommate, Vickie, met and married kind and patient Paul Glauser. I am happy that they have lived a full, enjoyable and wonderful life together. My prayers are for Vickie until she and Paul are reunited.

Shauna Lowe - April 10 at 05:08 PM

JR

“ Paul was the kindest and most selfless person I know. His gentle demeanor and kind smile will be missed. May his soul rest in eternal peace.

Joy Richards - April 09 at 04:44 PM

JG

“ Paul was the kindest, most steadfast neighbor I could have ever been blessed with while I was growing up. His family was a pillar of stability in our ward and in my family's life. I will always be grateful for his example of discipleship, community service, kindness, and ministering to the one. I still remember some of the lessons he shared in his Stake Conference talks and in Primary. God be with you till we meet again.

John Geilman - April 09 at 09:05 AM

EG

I don't think I can say it any better than John. Our lives have been all the better for knowing Paul and Vickie. They ministered to us and with us. They are amazing examples of wearing our lives out in the service of the Lord.

Elizabeth Geilman - April 09 at 10:27 AM

SC

“ Paul was a fantastic human being and a brother of mine in our belief in God. Diligent. Kind. Thoughtful. Service-oriented. Intelligent. Creative. Humble. Paul was the whole package. His stained glass creations will be cherished by his family for generations, but his faithfulness and Christlike example will have far greater long term impact in the souls of all that new him. Many talk Paul did.

I'll miss you Paul.

Stephen Candell - April 08 at 09:38 PM

PG

“ Both Paul and Vickie have been amazing examples of service, dedication, integrity, and discipleship; a legitimate “power couple” when one reflects on their lives. Paul was described as “one of the great ones” and I agree with that assessment. I will miss him and all he brought to life as a friend, example, and fellow follower. I would say “rest in peace” but, knowing Paul, he will be working more than resting.

Thank you for being one of the great good guys.

Phillip Goold - April 08 at 04:59 PM

KW

“ He was a giant among men in our ward and will be greatly missed.

Konny Willis - April 07 at 02:19 PM

RS

“ I only spoke with him a few times at Kent and Mary's reception and other things. His demeanor and kindness stuck out to me. He remembered me by name and we talked development I'm very sorry for your loss.

Rob Sainsbury - April 07 at 05:13 AM

JB

“ Thoughts and sincerest prayers to the Glauser family. Knew Paul for many years and met with him many times via scouting and other LDS church related endeavors over the years. He will always be remembered as a kind man and a great neighbor

Justin B - April 06 at 04:17 PM

TD

We love Paul very much!! He is special friend and brother in Christ a great help to us as a family by being a companion to Bradley as a teenager

Terry and Gladys Devine - April 07 at 12:59 AM

SW

I love sharing grand and great grandchildren with Paul and Vickie. What a great person Paul is and I will miss his gentle smile and quick wit. I look forward to hearing about all of the grand things he will have been doing on the other side as he isn't someone to sit around strumming a harp. I'm grateful for his light in my life--he has definitely left his mark on me. It's with love and appreciation I bid him farewell.

Sandy White - April 09 at 06:15 PM

DC

Paul and Vickie were our ministering "angles". I don't think they ever missed a month visiting us. I will miss Paul and the great example he was to me. I pray for the Savior's peace to be with Vickie and her family.

Dennis Campbell

Dennis Campbell - April 10 at 12:23 PM