

**FFWPU USA Blessing and Family Ministry: In Memory of Paul E Russell Jr.**

Carina Mendez  
July 22, 2025



**In Memory of Paul E Russell Jr**

Spouse: Masumi Russell

Children: Ken, Michael, James

DOB: August 27, 1952

Blessing Date: July 1, 1982

Ascension: July 16, 2025

Seonghwa Ceremony: Wednesday, July 25, 2025 at 4 pm at 101 Union Avenue, Belleville, NJ, United States, 07109

GoFundMe: [gofund.me/0ea8312b](https://gofund.me/0ea8312b)

Flowers can be sent to: 101 Union Avenue,

Belleville, NJ, United States, 07109 c/o Paul Russell

Paul E Russell Jr., beloved husband and father, passed suddenly on Wednesday, July 16, at his Elizabeth, NJ, home. Paul was born August 27, 1952, in Pensacola, Florida, to the late Paul and Virginia Russell. Paul is survived by his wife of 43 years, Masumi, and his three sons, Ken, Michael, and James. He also leaves behind his two siblings, Connie and Michael, as well as his granddaughter, Cecilia.



Early in his life, Paul expressed a passion for music. He was a talented percussionist who attended the Manhattan School of Music in New York City. He loved to perform and would occasionally perform during services at church. Paul was also an active member of the Unification Church, attending services regularly and providing support for over 40 years.

Paul was also a real history buff. He developed this love having traveled the country as a son in a Navy family. He was a walking encyclopedia, having the ability to recall dates and details of major historical events. He loved having historical discussions, even if his family was only half listening.

As a father, Paul supported his kids' interests. Early on, he would regularly be on a baseball field, hitting grounders to Ken and recording games on his camcorder. He helped Michael develop a love for running by taking him to the track when Michael was young. Later on, he would go on to attend many of Michael's track and cross-country meets in high school and college. Thrilled that one of his sons developed a love for music, Paul

encouraged James's passion by ensuring James had whatever equipment and instruments he needed.

The Russell family would like to invite friends and family to celebrate Paul's life. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 pm on Thursday, July 24th, at the Zuasola Funeral Home in Belleville, NJ.



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The family is raising funds to help cover the costs of the funeral service and memorial. Any contribution would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for assisting his family in their time of need and helping us honor Paul's memory.

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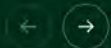
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