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FROM: Barry A. Jesinoski, National Adjutant

DATE: Oct. 6, 2026

SUBJECT: Death of member leader Paul Hermann

It is with regret that I advise you of the death of Paul Hermann, who died Sept. 23 at age 69.

An Air Force veteran, Paul served DAV as a National Service Officer and was a renowned member leader. He also served as commander and adjutant of the DAV Department of Louisiana and as president of the State Commanders and Adjutants Association. Paul was a proud member of Chapter 50 in Springfield, Louisiana.

He is survived by his wife, Joan E. Gondron; sisters Debbie and Anna; children Paul and Jean-Edward Todd; and six grandchildren.

A memorial service will take place Friday, Nov. 6, 2026, at 2 p.m. at Lake Lawn Metairie Funeral Home, 5100 Pontchartrain Blvd., New Orleans. Visitation will begin at noon.

To view and sign the family's online guestbook and share your memories of Paul, please visit the Lake Lawn Metairie Funeral Home website.

We are deeply grateful for Paul's service and enduring contributions to DAV. We grieve alongside his family and the many veterans and families he supported throughout his dedicated career. May he rest in peace.



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