

Paul Harris

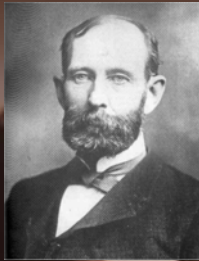
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Who is Paul Harris ??



April 19th, 1868

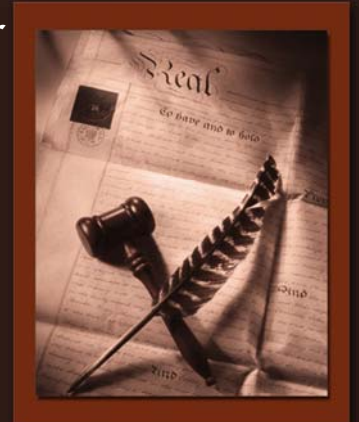
Paul Percy Harris was born in Racine Wisconsin on April 19th, 1868 to George H. and Cornelia E. Harris. Paul Harris was only to live in Racine until the age of three as a result of his parents financial instability. George Harris had been largely supported by his own father, but even that was not enough for Paul's parents.



**George
Harris**



**Cornelia
Harris**



1871

Paul and his older brother Cecil are brought, by their father George Harris, to live with Paul's grand-parents, Howard and Pamela Rustin Harris in "Wallingford, Vermont



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What Paul Harris Said??

1911 Rational Rotarianism:

"Life in Rotary should consist of a rational mixture of business with civic activities and good fellowship"

1912 April's message

Rotarianism is a step in the evolution of humanity and in the emancipation of man from the exactions of unceasing servitude to the interests of self.

1913 President emeritus message

"May Rotary during all the years that are to come continue to be a voltaic touch to civilization's nerve centers, awakening men to a new sense of the dignity and importance of business as a redemptive and regenerative influence in the lives of men - and nations."

