



## Claude Morris Coldwell

April 25, 1925 - January 23, 2015

Claude Morris Coldwell, age 89, of Laurie, passed away Friday, January 23, 2015, at the Laurie Care Center. He was born April 25, 1925, in rural Cameron, Missouri, a son of James S. and Matilda (Basset) Coldwell.

On March 31, 1948, in Kansas City, Missouri, he was united in marriage to his surviving wife, Anna Mae (Butcher) Coldwell.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by one son, Terry Coldwell of Laurie, Missouri; four grandchildren, Elizabeth Ann Cady of Eldon, Missouri, Michael Vincent Coldwell of Independence, Missouri, Maria Calkins and husband James of Laurie, Missouri and Christopher Lee Coldwell of Laurie, Missouri and five great-grandchildren, Chris, Ali, Ellie, Alex and Bailey. He was preceded in death by his parents, seven brothers and three sisters.

Claude was a World War II veteran having served in the Army Air Corps in Europe from 1943 to 1946.

He worked for TWA as a mechanic until 1955, when he upgraded to flight engineer. He started flying on the Constellation and retired in 1978, as a flight engineer on the Boeing 727. Flying was his passion.

Claude was a member of the St. Patrick Catholic Church in Laurie and the

American Legion Zack Wheat Post 624 in Sunrise Beach.

We want to thank the staff at the Laurie Care Center for the best care possible. You are a great bunch of people.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 a.m., Monday, January 26th, at the St. Patrick Catholic Church in Laurie with Father Joseph Abah celebrating. Graveside services and interment with full military honors will follow in St. Patrick's Cemetery in Laurie. The family will receive friends from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., Monday, at the church. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Laurie Care Center.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Patrick Cemetery

800 Highway O  
Laurie, MO 65038

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 26. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Patrick Catholic Church  
176 Marian Dr.  
Gravois Mills, MO 65037  
<http://www.stpatrickcatholicchurch.org>

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