



Lawrence David Chase

October 13, 1936 - October 28, 2025

Lawrence David “Dave” Chase, age 89, of Gravois Mills, passed away Tuesday, October 28, 2025, at his home. He was born the fourth son of Evelyn M. and Franklin A. Chase, in Springfield, Massachusetts, on October 13, 1936.

He graduated from Mainland High School in Daytona Beach, Florida in 1956. Dave entered the United States Navy and won his Navy Wings in 1959. After eleven years in the Navy, he was hired by Trans World Airlines as a flight engineer and retired after twenty-five years as a Captain.

He was a member of the St. Patrick Catholic Church and Mary Mother of the Church Council of the Knights of Columbus in Laurie. Dave served on the board of directors for Quality Industries in Versailles, Habitat for Humanity of Morgan County and was a charter member and member of the board of trustees for the Osage Community Elks Lodge 2705 in Laurie. He was also a member of the Camden County Republican Club and a member of the Camden County Republican Central Committee as well as many other fraternal and community organizations.

He is survived by daughter, Laurel Chase of Laurie, Missouri; sons, Bradley Chase (Lori) of Carrollton, Texas, Bill “Skip” Foster (Deb) of Excelsior Springs, Missouri and Greg Foster (Jaime) of St. Joseph, Missouri; several

grandchildren and great-grandchildren and many other relatives and friends. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Mitzi Chase and his daughter, Christine Chase.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:30 a.m., Thursday, November 6th, at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Laurie with Father John Schmitz celebrating. The family will receive friends from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., Thursday, at the church with a rosary prayed at 11:00 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to Ozarks Kat and K9 Shelter.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Rosary

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Tribute Wall

CP

“ *Dave Chase and Mitzi were among the first to welcome my Mom and me to St Patrick when we first moved into Lake of the Ozarks. When my Mom was in declining health he brought out communion to her. She called him when a door needed fixing and he came out to help. I am sending heartfelt condolences to the family. He will be missed.*



Cathy Palmer - November 03, 2025 at 01:21 PM

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“ *Mr Chase was not only customer to Vinny's but he was my friend for 28 y
He help me to be a part of this community
and over the years we grow closer
Will never forget him and his Wife Mitzi who
was a awesome human being
RIP we all love you*



Vaclav Stepanik - October 30, 2025 at 03:38 PM

MW

*Rest easy David... Your last flight into God's eternal care had to have been glorious !
God Bless You Captain !*

Mike & Kathy Walter - October 31, 2025 at 03:00 PM

PM

*Rest in peace my friend and brother Elk. Elks Lodge #2705 thanks you for all your help and service throughout the years.
Preston Moore, Chaplain*

Preston Moore - November 07, 2025 at 11:19 AM