



Martin L. White

December 17, 1935 - May 4, 2026

Martin L. White, age 90, of Sunrise Beach, passed away in his home on Monday May 4, 2026. He was born December 17, 1935, in Kansas City, Missouri, a son of the late Forrest and Mable (Martin) White.

Martin grew up in Independence, Missouri and graduated from William Chrisman High School. Following high school he faithfully served his country in the United States Navy.

Martin was united in marriage to his surviving wife, Marcia “Lucille” (Phillips) White, on December 20, 1955.

Upon his return to the Kansas City area, he enrolled in a local engineering college and obtained his Electrical Engineering Degree. He worked at Allied Signal until he retired.

In 1992, Martin and Lucille moved to The Lake of the Ozarks. He soon started a Heating and Cooling repair business, served as a member of the Laurie Elks Lodge and American Legion. He was Elk of the Year for 2020.

He loved fishing, with many opportunities to go on fishing trips to Canada with his family. He loved playing Corn Hole, participating in Competition BBQs. More than anything he enjoyed spending quality time with his family, who he

loved dearly.

Along with his wife Lucille White of 70 years, he is survived by sons, Martin R. White (Olivia), Phillip White, Derrick White (Julianne), and daughter Leslie Ann White; Eleven grandchildren; Ten great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews and numerous friends. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister Mary Lou Riney.

Per his wishes, cremation arrangements are under the care and direction of the Kidwell-Garber Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel. Visitation is schedule for Wednesday June 3, 2026 from 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. with a Memorial service at 12:00 p.m.. Military Honors will follow services.

Upcoming Events

Visitation

JUN 3. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home - Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel
417 Silvey Rd.
Laurie, MO 65038
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Memorial Service

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