



Larry Wayne White

June 4, 1947 - January 10, 2026

Larry Wayne White, 78, of Perryville, Missouri passed away Saturday, January 10, 2026, at his home.

He was born June 4, 1947, to Stanley Arthur White and Marie Audell (Blaylock) White-Lukefahr.

He and Erma Jean (Johnson) were married November 23, 1967, at Crossroads Methodist Church and are the parents of two sons, Greg (Michele) White and Eric (Nikki) White. Larry had six grandchildren; Elizabeth, Caleb, Cierra, Jacob, Kaitlyn, and Molly; and six great grandchildren.

Larry is a 1965 graduate of Perryville High School and 1970 graduate of University of Missouri St. Louis with a degree in Business Administration. He also received a degree from Southeast Missouri State University in Secondary Business Education.

Larry worked six years as a system analyst for The Daughters of Charity in St. Louis serving nine hospitals, over six different states. After working in farming and retail, Larry finished his career as Perry County Assessor for 24 years. He served as the Missouri State President of the Assessors' Association in 2004. Larry was a United States Army Vietnam Veteran. He was a member of the American Legion Post #133 and member of the Honor Guard and served as Chaplin.

Larry was a member of Calvary Church in Fredericktown, MO, where he taught an adult Sunday School class for 37 years. He also served on the Church board as a trustee.

Note... the above obituary was written by Larry (Dad). In honor of him, it was shared exactly as he worded it. Of course, Dad lived a much fuller life and accomplished more than he wrote in his obituary. But when asked about it by Mom, he told her that writing more than this would just be, "'tootin' my own horn."

Survivors include his wife, Erma White; mother Marie White-Lukefahr; two sons, Greg (Michele) White and Eric (Nikki) White; two brothers, Ray (Susan) White and Dennis (Vicki) White; one sister, Rhonda (Hank) Lopez.

He was preceded in death by his father Stanley Arthur White.

Visitation will be from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at Ford & Young Funeral Home in Perryville and will continue from 8:00 am to 10:00 am on Wednesday, January 14, 2026, at Ford & Young Funeral Home.

Funeral service will be at 10:00 am on Wednesday, January 14, 2026 at Ford & Young Funeral Home with Rev. Randy Sawyer officiating.

Military Honors will be provided by Delta Team and American Legion #133.

Memorial contributions may be given to Missouri Veterans Home in Cape Girardeau, MO.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandyoungfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Young Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Yount Community Cemetery

Yount, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 13. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Young Funeral Home
110 S. West St.
Perryville, MO 63775

Visitation

JAN 14. 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JAN 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DR

“ Dennis White, Prayers to you and your family during this time of sorrow, from the Rabolds.

Dennis & Kathy Rabold - January 13 at 12:52 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Larry Wayne White.



January 13 at 12:45 PM

KF

“ Kaminkas Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Larry Wayne White.

Kaminkas Family - January 13 at 12:45 PM

MR

“ You have our sympathy. You are in our thoughts and prayers. May he rest in peace with Jesus.
Rodney and Mary Beth Richardet

Mary Beth Richardet - January 13 at 12:14 PM

CC

“ CissellMueller Construction purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Larry Wayne White.



CissellMueller Construction - January 13 at 11:57 AM

CD

“ Erma we are so sorry to hear of the passing of Larry. Clem and I remember him as wonderful gentlemen during the times that they were both assessors. Our prayers are with you and your family. God Bless,
Clem and JoAnn Donze

Cleme and JoAnn Donze - January 12 at 09:34 PM

LM

“ Emma, we are so sorry for your loss. May God give you comfort and peace !

Larry and Karolyn Marr - January 12 at 07:05 PM

PS

“ I am so sorry for you Erma and your family. You all will be in my prayers. Pat Sloan

Pat Sloan - January 12 at 05:52 PM

SC

“ I am sorry to hear of the loss of this wonderful man. I have many fond memories of Larry from our days at Crossroads Methodist Church. He was loved and respected by many and will be missed.

Sherry Johnson Cottner - January 12 at 03:03 PM

DK

“ Rhonda, Danny & I send our sincere condolences to you and your family. May you find comfort that Larry is now at peace with his Lord and Savior.

Darlene Kiefer - January 12 at 01:37 PM