



Jerry White

February 6, 1937 - October 1, 2018

Gerald (Jerry) Lloyd White, 81 of Winter Garden, Florida, formerly of Gays, Illinois, passed away on Monday, October 1, 2018 at 3:15 p.m. at the Clermont Health and Rehabilitation Center in Clermont, Florida.

A funeral service in his honor will be held at 10:00 A.M., Saturday, October 6, 2018 at Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home, 1200 Wabash Avenue, Mattoon, IL; Reverend Ron Dickinson will officiate. Burial will immediately follow at Dodge Grove Cemetery in Mattoon, IL. A visitation will be Friday evening, October 5, 2018 from 5:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M. at the funeral home.

Jerry was born February 6, 1937 in Mattoon, Illinois, the son of (Roscoe) Lloyd and Irma (Upton) White. Jerry married Esther Davis on April 3, 1958 in Mattoon, Illinois. She survives. Also surviving are one daughter, Tammy (Eric) Williams of Terrell, Texas; son Rory (Tammy) White of Lebanon, Tennessee; six grandchildren: Andy Kirkham, Tina Tripp, Crystal Black, Jamie Kirkham, Corey White, and Nick White; and 13 great-grandchildren. He also leaves a brother, Ron (Pat) White of Mentor, Ohio. He was preceded in death by daughter Jerri Linn Tripp and by his parents.

Jerry loved to bowl, play cards, and spend time with his wife. He graduated from Mattoon High School in 1955. Jerry worked at Columbia Machines in Mattoon and retired after working 13 years at Walt Disney World. Jerry will be greatly missed.

Please visit www.mitchell-jerdan.com or www.facebook.com/mitchelljerdanfuneralhome to light a virtual candle in his honor or share a memory with the

family.

Cemetery Details

Dodge Grove Cemetery

917 North 22nd Street
Mattoon, IL 61938

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 5. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home Ltd.
1200 Wabash Ave
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Service

OCT 6. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jerry White*

October 08, 2023 at 07:40 PM



“ *71 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home - October 05, 2018 at 04:17 PM



“ *SF Agency Compensation purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Jerry White.*



SF Agency Compensation - October 04, 2018 at 01:31 PM

JS

“ Sending love and comforting prayers to you all.i have very good memories of Jerry. He had few words but his laugh and smile more than made up for it.while growing up he played cards with a group if friends while us kids allplayed together.My daddy said they where friends in high school and long after.Esther just know daddy was there to welcome him home.They are preparing a place together when you and mom will get to see them again.hugs

Joy shook switzer - October 04, 2018 at 11:43 AM

TF

“ Thoughts & Prayers from the entire Williams family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jerry White.



Thoughts & Prayers from the entire Williams family - October 04, 2018 at 11:04 AM



“ I Love you Uncle Jerry!!! I'll miss you till I see you again. Say hi to my dad for me please.

Michael Davis - October 04, 2018 at 09:53 AM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Jerry White.



October 03, 2018 at 09:42 PM

BW

“ Rory, I never met your dad, but he raised a wonderful son. Sending hugs and prayers to you and your sister. Safe trip to Illinois.

Brenda and Mike Woolridge - October 03, 2018 at 08:14 PM

NM

“ Nancy Manning lit a candle in memory of Jerry White



Nancy Manning - October 03, 2018 at 07:55 PM

NM

Tammy and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Losing a parent is such a difficult time. Tammy is a dear friend -- and I know you must have been a great dad to raise a daughter like her - thanks Mr. White. Prayers for all of the family.

Nancy Manning - October 03, 2018 at 07:58 PM