



## Gerald W. "Jake" Martin

November 15, 1933 - December 12, 2018

Gerald W. "Jake" Martin, age 85, of St. Anne passed away Wednesday, December 12, 2018 at Miller Health Care Center in Kankakee. He was born November 15, 1933 in Otto Township, the son of Charles & Velma (Schultz) Martin. Gerald married Vonda Faye Laney on April 7, 1956 at First Presbyterian Church in St. Anne. She preceded him in death on April 12, 2018.

Jake was a lifelong farmer in the St. Anne and Beaverville area. He was a member of the St. Anne American Legion. Jake enjoyed fishing, camping, and playing cards. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in St. Anne. Jake was a veteran of the United States Marine Corp serving from 1953-1955. Surviving are one son and daughter-in-law, Joey & Elaine Martin of Beaverville; two grandchildren, Teri Jo Martin and Shelby Martin; three great-grandchildren, Kendyl Smart, Zaiden Tubbs, and Drayden Martin; and two sisters and one brother-in-law, Marge Geiken and companion, Jack of Aroma Park and Eleanor & Larry Rosenbrock of Lowell, IN.

In addition to his wife, Jake is preceded in death by his parents; one grandson, Brandon Little; and two brothers, Leroy Martin and Lavern Martin. Visitation will be held from 11 a.m. until the 1 p.m. funeral service on Tuesday, December 18, 2018 at Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home in St. Anne. Rev. Mike Seed will officiate the service. Burial will follow at St. Anne Township Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley or First Presbyterian Church in St. Anne.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Anne Township Cemetery

South Route 1  
St. Anne, IL 60964  
(815) 427-8346

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 18. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

St. Anne - Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home  
214 W. Sheffield  
St. Anne, IL 60964  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

DEC 18. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *very sorry for your lost had fun bowling with Jake and as a friend .he is in a better place now take care of your self Joey*

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**Bill Hubert** - December 15, 2018 at 04:43 PM

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“ *When the winter storms closed the road where I grew up Mr.. Martin like his father before him; would, at his own expense plow the road. He enjoyed the respect of everyone in Pembroke and deserved it.The Howard family will miss our neighbor and friend.*

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**James Howard** - December 15, 2018 at 01:33 PM

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“ *GREAT MAN! RIP Gerald. Keith & Anne Nicholson*



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**Keith Nicholson** - December 15, 2018 at 06:25 AM

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“ *What a fun man. Always enjoyed being with all the Martin family. Rest in Peace Jake, Carol Senesac*



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**Carol Senesac** - December 14, 2018 at 10:31 AM