



Thomas P White

August 30, 1941 - June 22, 2025

Thomas P. "Tom" White age 83 of Manteno, passed away on Sunday, June 22, 2025 at his daughter's home in Crete. He was born on August 30, 1941, the son of Thomas A. and Mary Kathryn (O'Malley) White. Thomas married Marilyn Faye Granger on September 24, 1966 at St. George Catholic Church. She preceded him in death on August 7, 2009.

Thomas was a tool and die maker at Ford Motor Company for forty years. He was a handyman who liked to build things especially stained glass windows. Thomas built and flew remote control airplanes. He enjoyed fishing and golfing. Thomas built rocking horses for all his grandchildren. Most of all, Thomas loved spending time with his grandchildren and his family.

Thomas was a veteran of the United States Army serving in the Army Reserves.

Thomas was a parishioner of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Manteno and Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church in Bourbonnais.

Surviving is one daughter, Lori (Tim) Creed of Crete; two sons, Brian White of Ohio, Kevin White of Peotone; eight grandchildren, Sara, Matthew Thomas, Emily, Justin, Jason, Zoe, Zachary, and Danica; four great grandchildren, Margaret Faye, Conor, Liam, Nolan; and special friend, Lonnie Kolozsi.

Thomas is preceded in death by his wife, Marilyn; his parents; one brother, James White; and one sister, Mary Ellen Masters.

Visitation will be held from 3:00 p.m. until the 6:00 p.m. funeral service on Wednesday, July 2, 2025 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Manteno. Burial

will be in Wilton Center Cemetery, Wilton Center, IL.

Memorial may be made to family wishes, Alzheimer's Association, or Uplifted Care.

Cemetery Details

Wilton Center Cemetery

Wilton Center, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 2. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Manteno - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
291 N. Main St.
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Funeral Service

JUL 2. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Tom was a great friend to many. I loved his dry humor. When we were far younger and he decided to quit smoking he made it clear that it was only temporary. "When I get to 65-70 years old I'm going to start smoking again when the cigarettes won't have enough time to kill me"

Harry Sharp - June 25, 2025 at 01:10 PM

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“ Tom Yates sent a virtual gift in memory of Thomas P White



Tom Yates - June 24, 2025 at 09:46 PM

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Tom was on our Little League baseball team & he was 1 of our best. In fact his mother was by far our best teacher. I will miss Tom

Tom Yates - June 24, 2025 at 09:55 PM

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“ I remember Tom first from my high school days even though he was three years older. He worked at Ford with my husband many years ago. I will always remember his smile and laugh especially around Faye. I send my sincere condolences and prayers.
Sincerely, Pam Johnson

Pam Johnson - June 24, 2025 at 02:54 PM

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“ *Judy Steele lit a candle in memory of Thomas
P White*



Judy Steele - June 24, 2025 at 09:47 AM