



## Billy H. White

January 19, 1944 - May 29, 2026

Billy Herman “Whiz” White, 82, passed away May 29, 2026.

A lifelong resident of Greer, South Carolina, son of the late James Robert “Bob” and Lettie Center White, he was a retired automobile salesman, served in the Army National Guard and a member of Memorial United Methodist Church. Whiz was a proud graduate of Greer High School and Furman University, having also played baseball at North Greenville College. He was a devoted husband and family man, who upheld the importance of family and friends, and loved fishing, golfing, and picking and grinning.

Surviving are his wife, Laura Kearney White of the home; a daughter, Carolyn White Nelson (Karl) of Asheville, North Carolina; a son, Dr. Cory R. White (Mandi) of Greer, South Carolina; a brother, Danny White (Carey) of Taylors, South Carolina; and nine grandchildren, Ryan Siepert (Cassandra), Katie Costache Hudgens (Chris), Christina Costache, Bela Costache, Nick Costache, Roan Nelson, Ava Nelson, Rafe White, and Stella Ross White; and a special nephew, Zachary White.

A memorial service will be held 2:00 p.m. Sunday, May 31, 2026, at The Wood Mortuary Chapel conducted by Rev. David Smith.

Visitation will be held 12:00-1:45 p.m. Sunday, May 31, 2026, at The Wood Mortuary.

The family will be at the home.

Online condolences may be made to [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com).



# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **31**. 12:00 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.  
300 West Poinsett Street  
Greer, SC 29650  
(864) 877-3351  
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

## Memorial Service

MAY **31**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *The Wood Mortuary created a Webcast in memory of Billy H. White*



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**The Wood Mortuary** - May 31 at 12:02 PM

CM

“ *I'm so sorry to see this. Billy worked with me briefly at Greer Memorial and I was always so impressed with his compassionate care of our visitors and patients. He was a proud family man and told me many stories about them. Most of all, I remember him referring to his wife as his lovely bride! That was always so thoughtful and endearing to hear that. What a great life well lived. My deepest sympathy for your loss. Charlene Marx*

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**Charlene Roberts Marx** - June 02 at 10:03 AM

TF

“ *THE SELECT FAMILY purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Billy H. White.*



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**THE SELECT FAMILY** - May 31 at 11:28 AM

DP

“ Sweet Billy. Our precious friend and neighbor. We sure love him and Laura. He was full of life and sure loved his sugar babe and cherished their life together. Loved his country, his family and his country music. We love you Billy and will sure miss you.  
Don, Charlene Patterson and little miss Journey.

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**Don Patterson** - May 30 at 10:31 PM

LR

“ Prayers for God's peace and comfort for Billy's family and friends during the most difficult time and during the days to come.  
God bless each of you.  
Love and prayers,  
Linda Coggins Roberts



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**Linda Coggins Roberts** - May 30 at 09:38 PM

LR

“ Prayers for God's peace and comfort for the family during this most difficult time and during the days to come. God bless each of you.  
Linda Coggins Roberts



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**Linda Coggins Roberts** - May 30 at 09:24 PM

SC

“ Billy was my friend. Since we both loved music, we had a lot in common. He would call me, “I’ll be there in 15 mins”. We’d sit around play guitars, shoot the breeze, just have a good time together. About every time I played somewhere, in would walk Laura and Billy. I’ll miss you ole bud, but we’ll pick together again I’m sure.

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**Steve Campbell** - May 30 at 05:44 PM

LC

“ I knew Billy long ago. He hired me at Henley Paper Company and what a great boss he was. We had many good days together and then he showed up at Greer Memorial Hospital and we had a couple of good years together there. He was my papa Smurf. I loved him dearly and will certainly miss him. To Carolyn and the family, you are in my heart and prayers. Just know we will see him again soon. My love to you all.  
Lorie

Lorie Clark - May 30 at 02:04 PM

JG

“ Judi Gregory lit a candle in memory of Billy White



Judi Gregory - May 30 at 10:20 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Billy H. White.



May 30 at 06:59 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Billy H. White.

May 30 at 06:59 AM

DG

“ *Debbie Gordon lit a candle in memory of Billy White*



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**Debbie Gordon** - May 30 at 05:57 AM

KH

“ *Kyle & Miranda Horton purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Billy H. White.*



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**Kyle & Miranda Horton** - May 29 at 10:47 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Billy H. White.*



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May 29 at 10:38 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Billy H. White.*

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May 29 at 10:38 PM

SF

“ *Shaye and Mark Hurd and Family purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Billy H. White.*



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**Shaye and Mark Hurd and Family** - May 29 at 10:19 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Billy H. White.*



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May 29 at 10:08 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Billy H. White.*

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May 29 at 10:08 PM

CM

“ *Every time Billy would go on a golf trip with his buddies from Greer Golf Club, he'd always buy a hat with the course name on it. When we would go play golf or I would see him around the neighborhood, I'd tell him how sharp that hat looked. He would say I really don't like it. I'm gonna give it to you, so I got a small collection of hats to remember him by. Whiz I pray there's a great golf course in heaven! RIP, my friend.!*

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**Charlie Medlen** - May 29 at 09:08 PM

MT

“ *Mertie Taylor lit a candle in memory of Billy White*



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**Mertie Taylor** - May 29 at 09:06 PM



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May 29 at 08:12 PM



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May 29 at 08:12 PM

JF

“ *Judy Welch Friddle lit a candle in memory of Billy White*



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**Judy Welch Friddle** - May 29 at 06:09 PM