



## Troy White

July 12, 1940 - August 28, 2025

Troy White, 85, of Valparaiso, Indiana passed away at his home on August 28, 2025.

Born July 12, 1940 in Alabama, Troy moved to northwest Indiana as a young man and became a lifelong resident. After service in the US Army, Troy worked more than thirty years at Chicago's Ford Motor Company assembly plant and was an active member of United Auto Workers Local 551. Troy was a graduate of Ivy Tech Community College. He was also an active member of the American Legion Post 502 in South Haven.

Troy was a diehard fan of the Chicago White Sox, NASCAR and University of Alabama football. He also enjoyed gardening in his spare time. He was preceded in death by his wife Barbara Ann (Gillham) in 2023, and his stepdaughter Ginger Rae (Atchley). Troy is survived by his children, Billie Jo (Ricky) Thompson, Belinda Littrell, all of Portage, Indiana and Jeff White of Westville, Indiana, as well as grandchildren Ricky Jr (Katrina)Thompson, Ryan Thompson, Riley Thompson and Colton Littrell and his great granddaughter Isabelle Grace Thompson.

Troy made friends easily and welcomed them to his home regularly during family get togethers where he could be found behind the grill. He will be greatly missed. The family may announce a celebration of life at a later date.



# Cemetery Details

## Memory Lane Memorial Park

6305 W. Lincoln Highway (US 30)  
Crown Point, IN 46307  
(219) 322-2050  
info.memorylanepark@gmail.com  
<https://memorylanepark.com/>

# Events

**Details are pending.**

# Tribute Wall

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“ Troy was a dedicated and loyal UAW/Local 551 union member for many years. As he started getting weak in health we have truly missed him. Rest in peace Troy, one of God's angels.

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**Marcia Starks** - September 19, 2025 at 09:00 PM