



## Mahlon "Whitey" Martin

April 27, 1943 - April 12, 2026

Mahlon J. Martin "Whitey", age 82, passed away on April 12, 2026 surrounded with the love of his family.

Whitey was born on April 27, 1943, to Myron and Eva (Taylor) Martin.

He graduated from Berlin High School with the class of 1961. Whitey was united in marriage to Patricia Schmidt in July of 1961. They shared 64 wonderful years together.

Whitey was employed as a meat cutter for 43 years, first 10 years with Kroger Foods, then the following 33 years with Sentry foods in Berlin.

He enjoyed spending time at his cabin north of town, spending time with his family and especially enjoyed the yearly trips to Branson with his wife, daughter, and son-in-law. His yearly trips to Colorado with his son were also memorable and looked forward to.

For recreation, Whitey enjoyed a good game of pool, playing softball, having a few drinks with his friends downtown and scouting for treasures at local auctions with his wife. He was also a member of the BP coffee clutch held every morning at 5:00 a.m. at the BP gas station before going to work.

He was President of the Old Timers Softball League for many years, a member of the Berlin Fire Department, and a member of the Bugle Mouth Bass Association.

Whitey is survived by his wife, Patricia, his children, Tammy Branson, Tina Soda, Tracy Martin, and Chad (Jessi) Martin; 13 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren, brother-in-law, Jeff Reynolds; other relatives and many friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Myron and Eva Martin; son, Patrick Martin; sons-in-laws, Daniel Soda and Rocky Branson; sister and brother-in-law, Fern (Alejo) Cruz; sisters, Darlene Biese and Yvonne Reynolds.

A private inurnment will take place and a celebration of Whitey's life will be held on Saturday May 9, 2026 from 12-4:00 p.m. at the Berlin Wells-Krause VFW Post # 2925.

# Cemetery Details

## **Pine Grove Cemetery**

Auroraville, WI

# Previous Events

## **Celebration of Life**

MAY 9. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Berlin VFW Post # 2925  
420 N. Wisconsin St  
Berlin, WI 54923

# Tribute Wall



“ *Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mahlon "Whitey" Martin*



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**Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home** - April 23 at 03:56 PM

JG

*Most beautiful video .*

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**Judy Grosskopf** - May 03 at 03:40 PM

TR

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Tracy** - April 26 at 02:58 PM



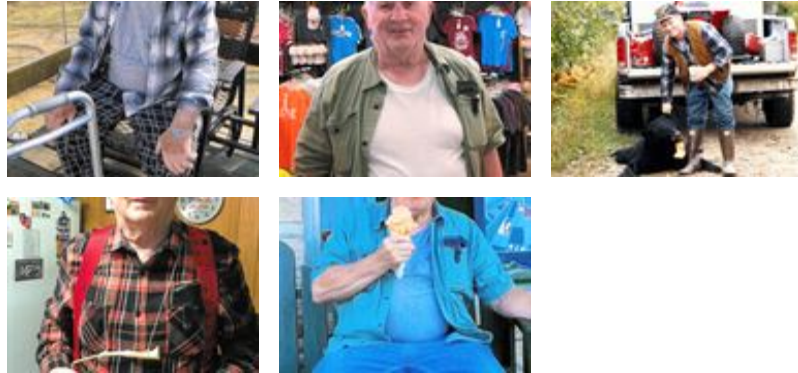
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**Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home** - April 23 at 01:51 PM



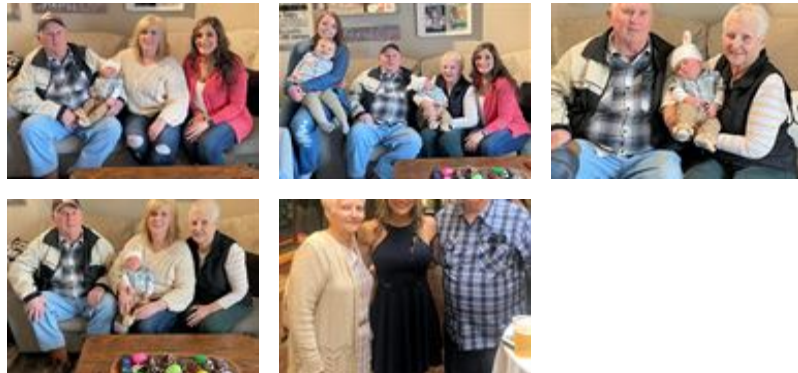
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Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home - April 23 at 11:24 AM



“ 136 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home - April 20 at 03:04 PM



“ *Cousin Pat and family, we are sorry for your loss of Whitey. You are in our thoughts and prayers. May Whitey have a speedy journey into God's arms.*

*Love Keith and Berdi Schroeder, Cottonwood, Arizona*

Keith Berdi Schroeder - April 19 at 09:58 PM

PR

“ *Whitey is one of my favorite human beings. We worked together for years and built a forever friendship. I'm so so happy to have had him in my life. Love you Whitey and Pat. My heart is breaking for you and your family. Hugs* 🤍

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**Peggy Reese** - April 19 at 05:27 PM

BV

“ *Brittany VanZeeland lit a candle in memory of Mahlon Martin*



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**Brittany VanZeeland** - April 17 at 02:17 PM

TR

“ *Tracy lit a candle in memory of Mahlon Martin*



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**Tracy** - April 17 at 12:24 AM

TH

“ *Tim and Cindy Hogan purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mahlon "Whitey" Martin.*



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**Tim and Cindy Hogan** - April 16 at 12:48 PM

TH

“ Tim and Cindy Hogan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mahlon "Whitey" Martin.

Tim and Cindy Hogan - April 16 at 12:48 PM



“ Garden Bench - "Gone yet not forgotten..." was purchased for the family of Mahlon "Whitey" Martin.



April 15 at 02:20 PM

TB

“ tammy branson lit a candle in memory of Mahlon Martin



tammy branson - April 15 at 10:02 AM

TS

“ Tina Soda lit a candle in memory of Mahlon Martin



Tina Soda - April 15 at 09:58 AM

JG

“ *My deepest symphany*

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**jeanette garb** - April 13 at 09:45 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Mahlon "Whitey" Martin.*



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April 13 at 06:18 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mahlon "Whitey" Martin.*

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April 13 at 06:18 PM

DG

“ *My deepest condolences!  
Pat and Tina I'm so sorry for your loss!*

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**Don Gustke** - April 13 at 05:37 PM

JB

“ *From what I know of Whitey, he was a good man. He accepted my kids and I when we were married to his granddaughter just like his son-in-law Rocky did. I'm sorry for the family's loss. Rest in peace now sir your struggle is now over. Please, Lord, watch over the Martin and Branson family as they mourn their loved one. Amen*

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**Joshua Bowley** - April 13 at 04:39 PM

TR

“ *Love you Dad* ”



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**tracy** - April 13 at 04:13 PM

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“ *Tracy lit a candle in memory of Mahlon Martin* ”



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**Tracy** - April 13 at 04:11 PM

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**Tracy** - April 13 at 04:10 PM