



## Merrill Albert White

November 30, 2024 - April 1, 2012

Merrill White was born in Cherokee, Oklahoma, on November 30, 1924. He was the fifth of six children born to Marion and Iva White. He spent his adolescent years in the Cherokee area, and graduated from high school there in 1942. A few months after graduation, he enlisted in the United States Army Air Corps, where he served admirably until the end of World War II three years later. He married Katherine Frazee in March, 1947, and they recently celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary. Following his discharge from the Air Corps, Merrill was engaged in livestock sales with his father for several years. In 1956, he joined the U.S. Immigration Service, and patrolled the border between the United States and Mexico for the next twenty years. He served in El Paso, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, and Carrizo Springs, Texas. Upon retiring from the Border Patrol in 1977, Merrill and Katherine moved to Hideaway, Texas where they have lived since. Merrill was an avid golfer and loved sports of all types. A very gregarious person, he was at his happiest when engaged in conversation or activities with his friends or family members. He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers - John, Louis, and Jack, and a sister - Ruth Anne Immell. He is survived by his wife Katherine, of the home, one brother, Tom of Oklahoma City, and several nieces, nephews, and cousins. Graveside services will be conducted at the Cherokee Cemetery in Cherokee, Oklahoma, on Thursday, April 5th, 2012 at 1PM with the Pastor of the First Christian Church officiating.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Merrill Albert White*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Merrill Albert White*

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“ *Love you Whizzer. You will be deeply missed.##imported-begin##Amber Simms Huff##imported-end##*

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“ *Kay,  
Bad weather kept us from attending, but we want to express our profound sympathy for your loss. You and Merrill were a real team. We will see you when you get home. Love, Mary and Ron##imported-begin##Mary and Ron Miller##imported-end##*

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