



## Larry Gene Martin

March 8, 1947 - July 5, 2024

IN MEMORY OF:

Larry Gene Martin

Serving Location:

CRAIN FUNERAL HOME – ANNA

135 West Vienna Street, Anna, Illinois

Larry Gene Martin, age 77, of Evansville, IN, formerly of Anna, IL, passed away on Friday, July 5, 2024 surrounded by his family.

Larry was born March 8, 1947 to Maynard Dean and Dorothy Luella Delight (Ellyson) Martin in Coffeyville, Kansas. He was married to Karen Faye (Frick) Martin and she predeceased him on January 23, 2024.

He proudly served his country in the United States Marine Corp for 29 years, with two tours in Vietnam and Desert Storm. Larry also worked for 35 years as a pipefitter for the local union #136. He also was a member of several organizations including Anna Lodge #520 of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of the State of Illinois, the Scottish Rite in Evansville, the Hadi Shrine in Evansville. He was also a faithful member of Vann Avenue Baptist Church and after retirement, he enjoyed summer mission trips.

Survivors include his son, Michael Martin, daughter, Michelle Willis, brother, Gale Martin, sisters, Sandra Karraker, Karen Zelten, and Teresa Jacobs, grandchildren, Tiffany Martin, Kyle Martin, Gracen Willis, Keller Willis, Ellison Willis, Elin Willis, and many nieces and nephews.

Along with his wife, he was preceded in death by his sister, Linda Dallas, and brother, Terry Martin.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, July 13, 2024 from 10:00 AM until 11:00 AM with funeral service to follow at 11:00AM with Larry Lewis officiating at Crain Funeral Home in Anna.

Interment with military honors will follow the funeral service at Anna City Cemetery.

Crain Funeral Home, Anna, Illinois is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Anna Cemetery

E Davie St  
Anna, IL 62906  
(618) 833-4083

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (cst)

Crain Funeral Home - Anna  
135 W. Vienna St.  
Anna, IL 62906  
(618) 833-2176  
crain@crainsonline.com

## Funeral Service

JUL 13. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (cst)

Crain Funeral Home - Anna  
135 W. Vienna St.  
Anna, IL 62906  
(618) 833-2176  
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## Interment with Military Honors

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JUL **13**. 11:45 AM - 12:15 PM (cst)

Anna Cemetery  
E Davie St  
Anna, IL 62906  
(618) 833-4083

# Tribute Wall

DS

“ I can't remember ever not knowing "MoPed"!  
As a Masonic Brother, a fellow classmate and a fellow veteran,  
"Gunny" is a part of so many memories of AJ. As the class of 65  
prepares to celebrate our 60 year reunion, we remember and  
celebrate our special member of our class and of the Supreme  
Grand Lodge!!

*My deepest apologies for not doing this sooner.*

*Don Sitter SSG, USAF (sep.)  
PM Guyton GA 428 F&AM*

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**Don Sitter** - April 12, 2025 at 05:56 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**1st Marine Division Association** - September 25, 2024 at 02:29 PM

UF

“ Uncle Kenny, Aunt Nicolle and family purchased  
the Arrive in Style for the family of Larry Gene  
Martin.



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**Uncle Kenny, Aunt Nicolle and family** - July 12, 2024 at 03:51  
PM

FT

“ Family of Bruce and Becky Trammel purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Larry Gene Martin.



Family of Bruce and Becky Trammel - July 12, 2024 at 12:23 PM

YM

“ Your 2011 Fire RL Moms purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Larry Gene Martin.



Your 2011 Fire RL Moms - July 12, 2024 at 12:22 PM

HL

“ Herbert L. purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Larry Gene Martin.



Herbert L. - July 10, 2024 at 03:15 PM

FB

“ My deepest Sympathy to the family. Larry and Karen will surely be missed.. loved them both Faye Bowles-Davis



Faye Bowles-Davis - July 09, 2024 at 01:16 PM