

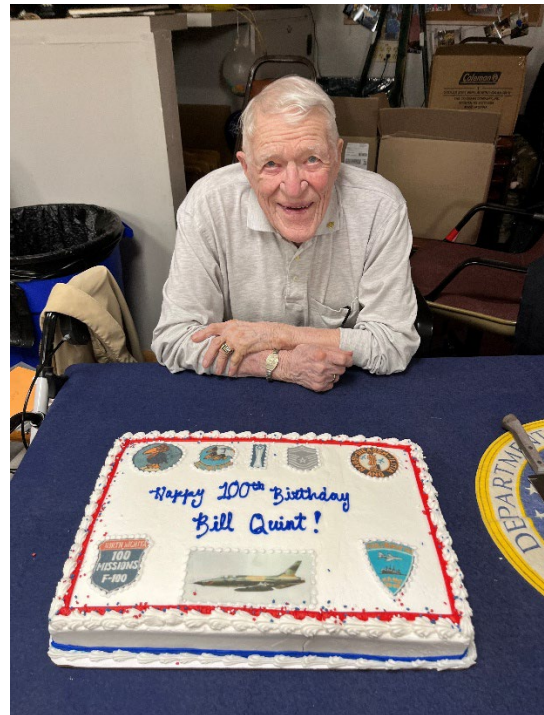
Wichita Militaria Collector's Club Tribute to William "Bill" Quint

The Wichita Militaria Collector's Club would like to pay a special tribute to one of its founding members William "Bill" Quint who passed away on September 18, 2025, at the age of 101 years old. Bill was born on April 16, 1924, and was our club's last remaining World War II veteran. Bill joined the United States Army during World War II and was stationed for several months at Fort Leavenworth as a Military Police Prison Guard. He was then sent to the Panama Canal Zone where he served in an anti-aircraft artillery unit for the duration of the War. In 1950 he joined the Kansas Air National Guard where he rose to the rank of Chief Master Sergeant. Bill retired from the Kansas Air National Guard in 1979 having served in the Guard for 29 years.

Bill was married to his long time bride, Patsy and after her death he later married Florabelle. His son, William Quint Jr, preceded him in death. Bill is survived by his daughter, Thelma, one granddaughter and one great grandson.

Bill was one of the charter members of the Wichita Militaria Collector's Club, (WMCC) which was founded in 1982. He shared his vast knowledge of antique firearms, edged weapons and military artifacts with fellow members. Bill was always happy to help WMCC members acquire new items for their collections.

In April 2024 Bill celebrated his 100th birthday and the Wichita Militaria Collector's Club hosted a little get together for him at our April meeting. We were very proud to have a World War II veteran in our organization. Bill was a real favorite with our younger members. Bill Quint's passing is a great loss to the Wichita Militaria Collector's Club and to the Wichita community. Rest In Peace Bill.



Obituary: William Quint, 101, Retired Chief Master Sergeant for the United States Air Force/Kansas Air National Guard, died Thursday, September 18, 2025.

Funeral Mass will be at 10:00 am, Friday, September 26, 2025, at St. James the Greater Catholic Church.

Bill was born on April 16, 1924 in Topeka, Kansas. He was a WWII veteran who stationed in Leavenworth, Panama, and Korea.

Preceded in death by his parents, John and Elizabeth Quint; two wives; three siblings; one son; one daughter; one granddaughter; and one great-grandson.

Survived by one daughter; two grandsons; one granddaughter; nine great-grandchildren.

A memorial has been established with: Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 7253, 101 S. Baltimore, Derby, KS 67037.

Services in care of Downing & Lahey Mortuary – East Chapel.

Services

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St. James the Greater Catholic Church

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