



## Mrs Wilma E. Brown

January 6, 1931 - January 8, 2012

Wilma E. Brown

Aged 81 Years

Resident of Marion, IL

Wilma E. Brown passed away at 5:20 AM on Sunday January 8, 2012 at Heartland Regional Medical Center in Marion, IL.

Wilma was born on January 6, 1931 in Vienna, IL the daughter of the late Loren and Freda (Hester) Ford Sr. and had attained the age of 81 years. She married James Soper on August 26, 1950 in Grantsburg, IL and he preceded her in death on May 25, 1983. She later married David Brown on December 23, 1986 in Marion, IL and he preceded her in death on December 14, 2011.

Mrs. Brown was a pharmacy technician for several different area pharmacies throughout her career working with Throgmorton's Drug Store in Vienna, IL, Dave's West Side Pharmacy in Marion, IL, Medicare Glacier Drug in Marion and with Wal-Mart Pharmacy in Marion. Wilma attended Parish Park Church in Marion, IL. She enjoyed shopping and loved giving gifts to others. Wilma loved her family very much and enjoyed the time that she spent with them.

She is survived by her daughters, Kay and her husband Chuck Ehrhardt of Carterville, IL, Jo Ellen and her husband Butch Clarida of Creal Springs, IL, 2

grandchildren Jason Linck of Marion and Brandy Clarida and her fiancée Tyler Roan of Marion, IL, 2 great grandsons, Damon and Chase Linck of Marion, IL and a forthcoming great granddaughter Bailey Jo Roan expected in February; 3 brothers, Robbie and his wife Marietta Ford of Vienna, IL, Ralph and his wife Ella Marie Ford of Vienna, IL and Bill and his wife Ruth Ford of Anna, IL, 2 sisters, Gertrude Brown of Ozark, IL and Betty Phillips of Eldorado, IL. In addition to her parents and husband, Wilma was preceded in death by 2 brothers, Loren Ford Jr. and Donald Ford, nephews Tony Woning and Mark Ford and by a sister in law Barbara Ford.

A funeral service will be held at 12 noon on Wednesday, January 11, 2012 at the Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna, IL with Pastor Shorty Alsip officiating. Interment will follow at Vienna Fraternal Cemetery in Vienna, IL. Visitation will be held on Wednesday at 10:00 AM until the time of services at noon at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to Hospice of Southern Illinois, 204 Halfway Road, Marion, IL 62959. You are invited to share your memories of Wilma and leave condolences at [www.baileyfh.com](http://www.baileyfh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Vienna Fraternal Cemetery

N. 6th Street  
Vienna, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 11. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home  
705 North First Street  
PO Box 695  
Vienna, IL 62995  
(618) 658-2311  
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com  
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## Service

JAN 11. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs Wilma E. Brown*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM

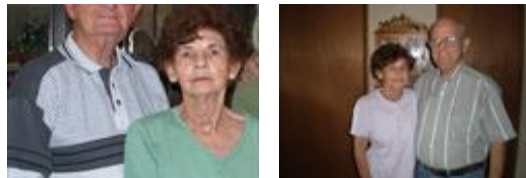


“ *Wilma was a wonderful person always had a smile on her face and such a good sense of humor I worked with her at wal-mart pharmacy years ago and she always made me laugh I know her family will miss her, but will treasure the time they had with her r.i.p. wilma--Bonnie Harris*

**Bonnie Harris** - January 10, 2012 at 06:23 PM



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**Patricia Brown** - January 10, 2012 at 10:45 AM

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“ I just learned of Aunt Wilma's passing about 30 minutes ago. I am thankful she is out of pain and is rejoicing with her loved ones in Heaven, but oh how she will be missed. I've been terrible about staying in contact and that makes me sad, but what wonderful memories I have of our visits to Uncle Jim, Aunt Wilma, Kay, and Jo Ellen's home. Aunt Wilma always looked so beautiful and she IS such fun. And you certainly didn't go away from her table hungry. I can't pick one memory...my mind is full of "warm fuzzies" when I remember my time with her. I'd say, about the smartest thing Uncle Jim ever did was to bring Miss Wilma Ford into the Soper family. The entire clan has been blessed by them both. My heart and prayers will be with you, my cousins. May you trust in the Lord for the peace and strength you will need.

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**Harlene Soper Brown** - January 10, 2012 at 12:25 AM