



Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain

April 29, 1935 - June 3, 2024

Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain, age 89, of Ozark, Arkansas, went to be with the Lord, Monday, June 3, 2024 in Russellville Nursing Home in Russellville, Arkansas. She was born April 29, 1935 in Ozark to Ernest Sheppard and Lu Amy Freeman Sheppard. Wilma leaves behind a legacy of love and sincere faith. Her life was defined by her unwavering faith in Jesus Christ and her great devotion to her family. She was a homemaker, a devoted wife, a mother, “mamaw” to her grands and a loyal friend to many. Wilma prized her family as her greatest treasure in this life. She was a powerful prayer warrior who God used to comfort, encourage, and strengthen others. Family members, friends, and all who knew her referred to Wilma as a sweet, generous, hospitable, and kind person. Wilma was always ready to listen and to lend a helping hand wherever she could. She was a member of City Church in Russellville, Arkansas.

Wilma is preceded in death by her parents; five siblings, Vernon Sheppard, Ernest Sheppard Jr., J.D. Sheppard, Velma George, and Wanda Ellison; her devoted husband, Leverett P. “Sonny” Drain; and grandparents, James Arthur, Julie Agnes Surrey Alice Sheppard, James Marvin, and Eula Lee Freeman.

Wilma is survived by her four sons, Wayne Drain and wife June of Russellville, Johnny Drain and wife Gayle of Hot Springs, Arkansas, Kenny Drain and wife Lindsey of Fayetteville, Arkansas, and Tim Drain of Ozark; fourteen

grandchildren, and sixteen great grandchildren.

Visitation will be 6:30 P.M. to 8:00 P.M., Thursday, June 6, 2024 at Shaffer Funeral Home, 2315 West Commercial Street in Ozark.

Funeral service will be 2:00 P.M., Friday, June 7, 2024 at Shaffer Funeral Home in Ozark, with Pastor Wayne Drain officiating, with burial at Belt Cemetery, Low Gap Road in Ozark, under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home in Ozark.

Serving as pallbearers will be grandsons and great grandson, Brent Drain, Taylor Drain, Ben Drain, Elijah Drain, Jack Drain, and Blake Gifford. Serving as honorary pallbearers will be Conner Canales, Noah Clayton, Tucker Clayton, Braxton Drain, Brooks Drain, Carter Drain, Christopher Drain, Garren Drain, Gavin Drain, and Kaz Jerrell.

To leave an online memorial visit www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com

Cemetery Details

Belt Cemetery

Low Gap Road
Ozark, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 6. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Shaffer Funeral Home
2315 West Commercial Street
PO Box 680
Ozark, AR 72949
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Funeral Service

JUN 7. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Burial

JUN 7 (CT)

Belt Cemetery
Low Gap Road
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Tribute Wall

LD

“ *Laura Dear lit a candle in memory of Wilma Sheppard Drain*



Laura Dear - August 20, 2024 at 08:17 PM

LD

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Laura Dear - August 20, 2024 at 08:15 PM

LD

“ *Laura Dear sent a virtual gift in memory of Wilma Sheppard Drain*



Laura Dear - August 20, 2024 at 08:11 PM

LD

“ *Laura Dear lit a candle in memory of Wilma Sheppard Drain*



Laura Dear - August 20, 2024 at 08:11 PM



“ *1 file added to the album funeral service*



Shaffer Home - June 13, 2024 at 12:26 AM

LW

“ *Tim and family, sounds like your mother was an amazing mother. She had to be to raise four boys! Sending prayers for strength and healing during this difficult time.*



Liesa (Carpenter) Winborn - June 07, 2024 at 01:50 PM

LC

“ *Love, Stokes and Beth Collins purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain.*



Love, Stokes and Beth Collins - June 07, 2024 at 10:22 AM

JA

“ Tim & families. I know I don't have to tell you, you already know, what a beautiful woman your Mom was. She's now home with our Heavenly Father & her sweet heart. Sonnie would always tell me 'Momma needs this & hold out his hand'. You men were Truly Blessed with Beautiful parents. God's peace for you all

Judith Armstrong - June 06, 2024 at 01:23 PM

WW

“ Wendy W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain.

Wendy W. - June 06, 2024 at 11:08 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain.



June 06, 2024 at 10:21 AM

WT

“ Walmart GTL – PSA Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain.

Walmart GTL – PSA Team - June 06, 2024 at 10:21 AM

KB

“ Kim (Doss) Berry sent a virtual gift in memory of Wilma Sheppard Drain



Kim (Doss) Berry - June 06, 2024 at 09:37 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain.



June 06, 2024 at 01:35 AM

TC

“ Todd and Michelle Carter planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain.

Todd and Michelle Carter - June 06, 2024 at 01:35 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain.



June 05, 2024 at 09:03 PM

RM

“ Robert Maier planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilma Annie May Sheppard Drain.

Robert Maier - June 05, 2024 at 09:03 PM