



## Ada Pearl Adkins Wilson

November 29, 1918 - February 9, 2023

Ada Pearl Adkins Wilson, 103, passed away peacefully from this world, February 09-2023, while staying with her family in Montello, Wisconsin; her family was by her side.

Born on November 29, 1919, she was the fifth of six children born to James H. Adkins and Ida Mae (Mabry) Adkins, in Soldier, KY, where she grew up. Pearl married Frank Wilson on September 13, 1938; and together they made a life for themselves in Illinois. They lived most of those 60 years in Bradley, where they raised five children. Following the death of her husband, she spent time with her children in Illinois, Missouri, Tennessee and Texas and Wisconsin. She enjoyed playing cards, games, going to casinos and she loved spending time with her family. Miss Pearl was blessed with 13 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren and 7 great-great grandchildren.

Surviving are her children and (spouses): her daughter, Judy and (Jim) of Bourbonnais, IL; her son, Frank and (Debbie) of Thompsons Station, TN; her son, Gary and (Becky) of Montello, WI and daughter, Sandy and (Scott) of Grapevine, TX.

Pearl is also survived by her dear life long friend, Lee Ziller of Bradley.

Pearl was preceded in death by her parents James and Ida Adkins, husband Frank Wilson, her brothers James and Edward, her sisters Bessie, Stella and Ethel. Her daughter, Joan Carol Mees and Son in Law, John Paul Mees; and her twin granddaughters Hannah and Sarah (Gary) Wilson and grandson Mark (Frank) Wilson.

Services will be under the care of Clancy – Gernon Funeral Homes, Bourbonnais on 18 February. Visitation will begin at 9:00, service at 11:00 AM. A graveside service will follow at Mound Grove Cemetery in Kankakee.

Family was always her priority and she loved talking on the phone with her lifelong friends and family every day. She touched the heart of all those who met her.

Pearl enjoyed life and was blessed with many friendships, both old and new. The family would like to extend our sincere appreciation to the medical staff and hospice providers at the ThedaCare Medical Center in Berlin, Wisconsin.

# Cemetery Details

## Mound Grove Gardens Cemetery

1000 N. Greenwood  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 933-6726

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 18. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
295 Main St., NW  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

FEB 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

PA

“ Patrick's purchased the Amazing Grace 44" Sonnet for the family of Ada Pearl Adkins Wilson.



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**Patrick's** - February 17, 2023 at 06:00 PM

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“ Pearl was an amazing women. She was so upbeat all the time and sweet to everyone. She loved to play card games and do things with her family. She will be missed so much by everyone. Bob and Karla Mees

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**Bob and Karla Mees** - February 17, 2023 at 01:04 PM