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James Robert "Bob" Wilson, 95, of Decatur, passed away Tuesday, March 26, 2019, at Heritage Manor in Mt. Zion.

Bob was born June 10, 1923, in Mt. Zion, IL to James and Martha (Turpin) Wilson. He proudly served in United States Army during WWII. He married Norma Jean Branson on March 4, 1943 in Clayton, Missouri.

Bob is survived by his wife of 76 years, Norma Jean; three children, James Wilson of Decatur, IL, Sally (Gary) Woodworth of Tuscola, IL and Jo Ann (Gary Fee) Burris of Alberton, MT; eight grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; and several great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral services to celebrate the life of Bob Wilson will be 11 a.m. Monday, April 1, 2019, at Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Monday before the service at the funeral home. Burial will be in Graceland Cemetery.

The family of Bob Wilson is being served by Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home, 2091 N. Oakland Ave. Decatur, IL. Please view the complete online obituary, send condolences, and share memories at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.



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JM

Joe And Sheryl Murray posted:

I had worked with Bob at Norfolk-Western (NS) for many years. Bob sure helped us younger guys to learn the trade, and I enjoyed our visits. I would have been to the visitation but have been suffering with my knee and was unable to stand. My wife's uncle, Lloyd and Vi Richardson, were your neighbors for many years, and spoke highly of you folks. Our condolences and prayers to all of you.

April 8 at 10:23 AM

DL

Daniel Lorett posted:

I am sorry to hear of the passing and my condolences to the family

March 30 at 12:13 PM

AA

Angela Armstrong posted:

Greg and Angela Armstrong James Wilson (son)

March 29 at 12:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring James by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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