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### GLENN MCCORMICK

1920 - 2009 | Age 88

Glenn McCormick, 88, St. Joseph died Friday, November 27, 2009 at his home.

Glenn was born December 13, 1920 in Harden, MO, the son of Hale and Myrtle (Fields) McCormick. He married Virginia Reynolds in 1927. She survives of the home.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers; and granddaughter, Melody.

Glenn served during World War II, first with the Canadian Armed Forces and later joined the US Army where he was awarded the Purple Heart.

He was a Wildlife Conservation Agent in Clinton County, MO for many years.

Glenn was a member of the Plattsburg, MO Methodist Church.

(Additional Survivors:) daughter, Glennette Kuhs (Don), Wimberly, TX; son, Greg, McCormick, Broken Arrow, OK; and grandchildren, Crystal and Caitlyn.

Services Monday, Nov. 30th at Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. The Family suggests memorial gifts to Huffman Memorial United Methodist Church.

Online guests book and obituary at [www.meierhoffer.com](http://www.meierhoffer.com).

### NORMA M. MCKAY

1926 - 2009 | Age 83

Norma M. McKay, 83, Independence, MO, formerly of St. Joseph, died Wednesday, November 25, 2009 at the Hospice House in Kansas City, MO.

Norma was born September 23, 1926 in St. Joseph, the daughter of August A. and Opal F. (Davis) Bachman. She was raised in St. Joseph, lived in Klamath Falls, OR and Southern California before returning to St. Joseph for 18 years. She later moved to Independence, MO in 2005.

She married Paul R. McKay on November 27, 1947. He preceded her in death on January 11, 1976.

Norma was also preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Francis Bachman, Eugene Bachman, Donald Bachman, Charles Bachman and Leonard Bachman; and sister, Catherine Cathcart.

She was a member of the Catholic Faith and a homemaker.

(Survivors:) her daughter, Rose M. Walker, Independence, MO; three grandsons, Patrick Kamp, Blue Springs, MO, Sean Kamp, Hawthorne, NV, and Donovan Kamp, Independence, MO; five great grandchildren, Malachi Jackson, Zian Kamp, Delisia Kamp, Kyra Kamp and Alec Kamp; her brother, August Bachman, St. Joseph; three sisters, Martha Branson, Theresa Anderson, and Mary Ashby, all of St. Joseph; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services Saturday, Nov. 28th at Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. Interment Memory Garden Memorial Park, Brea, CA.

Online guests book and obituary at [www.meierhoffer.com](http://www.meierhoffer.com).

### GABRIEL C. MAY

2008 - 2009 | Age 1

Gabriel Charles May, 1, St. Joseph, passed away Sunday, November 29, 2009.

Gabriel was born October 20, 2008 to

Sarah Lauritzen and Danny May, Jr. in St. Joseph.

Survivors: parents; and brothers, Myles Wright and Danny May, III.

Services 10 am, Thursday Heaton-Bowman-Smith & Sidenfaden Chapel.

Memorial contributions suggested to Moila Shriner's Hospital

### WILBUR C. SCHOTTEL

1932 - 2009 | Age 77

Wilbur C. Schottel, 77, Clarksdale, Mo., passed away November 26, 2009 at Farmington, Mo.

Wilbur was born February 12, 1932, in Cosby, Mo. He married Marian Spencer on June 7, 1951.

He worked at Quaker Oats for several years and Operating engineers Local 101 for 33 years.

Wilbur was preceded in death by his parents, Walter C. and Mary E. Schottel; brother Harvey Schottel; sisters, Leona Brown, Esther Salmons and Agnes Dyche.

He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Marian Schottel, Clarksdale; daughters, Kathy and Mark Kalin, Smithville, Mo., Wilma and Dennis Swope, Clarksdale, and Jill and Richard Vanderpool, St. Joseph; sons, Ralph and Maria Schottel, Smithville, Warren and Linda Schottel, Stewartsville, Mo., and Pete and Scherrilyn Schottel, Stewartsville; 14 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

The body has been cremated. Graveside service: 10 a.m. Thursday, December 3, Thornton Cemetery, Thornton Road, rural Clarksdale.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to your favorite charity.

### ANDREW SOLLARS, JR.

1926 - 2009 | Age 83

Andrew "Jack" Sollars, Jr. 83, of St.

Joseph, passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, November 28, 2009 at his home.

Jack was born on July 16, 1926 in St. Joseph to Andrew and Mary (Ryan) Sollars, Sr. He was a lifelong resident of St. Joseph. Jack served in the United States Army during the Korean War. He was a member of American Legion Post #1000, Jefferson City, Mo. Jack was employed with the St. Joseph Fire Department for 38 years, retiring in 1986 as Captain.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Norman J. Sollars; and one sister, Larua Lee Steer.

He married Veda Ann Adams on August 24, 1979, in St. Joseph. She survives of the home. Additional survivors include his daughter, Virginia L. Struwe, Independence, Mo; two grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces.

Mr. Sollars has been cremated under the direction of Heaton-Bowman-Smith & Sidenfaden Chapel. There will be no visitation or services held. Entombment will be held at a later date at the Mt. Olivet Cemetery Mausoleum

### DAVI R. THOMPSON

1974 - 2009 | Age 34

Davi Renee Thompson, 34, of St. Joseph, passed away Wednesday November 25, 2009, the day before her thirty fifth birthday.

Davi was born November 26, 1974 in St. Joseph to David H. and Judy Thompson. She graduated from Lafayette High School then attended Highland Community College a year before being diagnosed with multiple sclerosis. She had worked for Dunkin Donuts five years, starting when she was in high school.

Davi is preceded in death by her

maternal grandmother, Juanita Hodges, and paternal grandfather, Robert Thompson.

Surviving are her parents, David and Judy Thompson, one daughter, Blakli Thompson, of the home, two sisters, Bobbi Child and husband Brian, and Terri Thompson, three nieces, Shelbi and Cydni Child, and Kortni Callaway, one nephew, Branson Callaway, grandparents, Norman and Betty "Nanny Mae" Taylor, and many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Services were held Monday, November 30, at the Green Valley Baptist Church with Pastor Tom Frisby officiating. Interment will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Shawn Webb, Gerald Williams, Gary Thompson, Dennis Moore, Shane Farquhar, and DeWayne Sampson. Honorary pallbearers, Branson Callaway and Bill Webb.

The family requests in lieu of flowers to please buy a gift and donate to one of the organizations adopting families for Christmas.

Services under the direction of Clark-Sampson Funeral Home.

Online obituary and condolences at [www.clarksampson.com](http://www.clarksampson.com)

### FREDERICK J. WARIS

1941 - 2009 | Age 68

Frederick was born on May 27, 1941 in St. Joseph, and lived here all his life. He died on Thanksgiving Day, November 26, 2009.

He graduated from Christian Brothers High School and was a member of St. Francis Xavier Church. He worked at the Waris Fruit Company and Redmond Produce.

His father George, mother Rosalie, and brother Robert preceded Frederick in death. He is survived by his lifelong friend and caregiver Mable Murphy, nephews Bob Waris, Gregg Waris, Doug Waris and niece Julie Waris-Douglas.

Frederick loved to play cards and had a great sense of humor.

Private family Mass will be held. Father Ron Will, C.P.P.S. Celebrant. Interment Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials to St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church or the American Heart Association.

Arrangements Heaton-Bowman-Smith & Sidenfaden Chapel, St. Joseph, Missouri.

### RUBY WILCOXSON

1940 - 2009 | Age 69

Ruby Wilcoxson, 69, of St. Joseph, passed away Sunday November 29, 2009 at her home after a courageous battle with Alzheimer's.

Ruby was born June 8, 1940 in Andrew County to Ora and Dovie Price. She lived in St. Joseph most of her life where she was a member of Central Christian Church and worked in the Circuit Court at the Buchanan County Courthouse.

Preceding her in death were her parents. She is survived by her husband Frankie Wilcoxson of the home; three sons and spouses, Rickie and Kim, Clarksdale, MO; Terry and Tatia, Rosendale, MO; and Timmie Wilcoxson and Lisa, St. Joseph; two daughters, Cindy Reeder and husband Kyle, Savannah, MO; and Penny Wilcoxson, St. Joseph; one brother, Robert Price, Cosby, MO; two sisters, Lois Steiner, Forsythe, MO; and Judy Davison, St. Joseph; and ten grandchil-

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