



## Margaurette Wilburn

December 30, 1931 - April 7, 2020

Margaurette Wilburn, 88, of Bloomfield, Iowa passed away on April 7, 2020 at the Bloomfield Care Center. She was born December 30, 1931 in Davis County, Iowa to Jonathan and Helen Beggs Aeschliman. She married Jay Wilburn July 22, 1950 in Bloomfield. She graduated from Eldon High School in 1951. She was a baker at Fairfield Middle School for over twenty years and had previously been employed at the Place's store in Fairfield, at the General Store in Libertyville and babysat children.

Margaurette was a member of the Bloomfield United Methodist Church, served on the board of the Senior Citizens Center, held office in the Mission Circle, worked at the Welcome Center, and was active in Faith Circle at the Bloomfield Methodist Church. Her hands were always busy creating something, whether it was delicious baked goods (anyone who got one of her care packages was truly blessed), handmade crafts that included piecing quilts, afghans, and a wide variety of decorative items, especially for the holidays. She was very fond of passing her skills on to those who wanted to learn, especially her grandchildren. Many photos exist of little hands making cinnamon rolls with Grandma.

She is survived by three sons, Mike (Marilyn) Wilburn of Concord, California, Carl (Karen) Wilburn of Glidden, Iowa, Tony (Kim Noyes) Wilburn of Leslie, Missouri; she was honored to count 15 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren

(with one more on the way), and one great-great-grandchild in her extended family; a sister, Eldinah Stockham of Bloomfield and a brother-in-law, Richard Swanson of Ollie, Iowa.

She was preceded in death by her husband, parents, and two sisters, Dorothy Jo Swanson, and Nanette McBride.

A private service will be held with Rev. Tim Frasher officiating. Burial will be at the Bloomfield IOOF Cemetery. A public memorial service will be scheduled at a later date.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Margaurette Wilburn*

January 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *I will always will remember her at chruch at the center playing cards with her she is going to be miss she was very careing loveable lady the family of hers I am praying for all of you and my smypathy to all of you lynn roberts*

Lynn roberts - April 13, 2020 at 10:31 AM



“ *Lynn Roberts lit a candle in memory of Margaurette Wilburn*

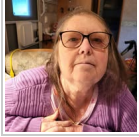


Lynn roberts - April 13, 2020 at 10:28 AM



“ *Margaurette has a very special place in my heart I never heard a bad word about anyone from her. She always had fruit as a treat for my son and his cousins. She taught me how to make cream de menthe cake and the smell of her dinner rolls still lovingly haunts my memories from so many years ago. I know her family grieves heavily which is the price to pay for love. God bless her and her family.*

Debra Watson (Oosthoek-Wilburn) - April 12, 2020 at 06:38 PM



“ Sorry for your lost. She always had a sweet smile on her face. Always looked so nice in her hats.

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**Jean Mitchell** - April 12, 2020 at 03:09 PM

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My sympathy and prayers to all of her family and friends. She was a delightful woman.

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**Rhonda Eakins** - April 12, 2020 at 04:15 PM



“ *Margaurette had cheerful soul and generosity in all you did. I loved the quartet you always had perform at the Bloomfield Methodist Church and your hats. My condolences to your family. You will be missed for sure.*



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**Marlynne Urban** - April 12, 2020 at 01:09 AM

DS

“ Our condolences to the family of Margaurette's family - she always had a smile on her face and we came to know her thru the Blmf. & Drakesville Meth. Church. And she was known for her "Hats" - I always loved them as I'm a hat lover, too. I hope she took a lot of them with her so they can be enjoyed by others. Mary & Dean Stocker



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**Dean & Mary Stocker** - April 11, 2020 at 04:17 PM

MF

“ My sympathy to Margaurette's family. We worked together for several years at the Jr. High. I am thinking of you all at this sad time. Martha Flinspach

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**Martha Flinspach** - April 10, 2020 at 01:02 PM

MD

“ Thinking of you, Eldinah, with our love and prayers, knowing how precious sisters are, God bless you and be very near, Marilyn Downing and Eunice Hill

Marilyn Downing - April 10, 2020 at 09:30 AM

SH

“ Susan Houglan lit a candle in memory of Margaurette Wilburn



Susan Houglan - April 10, 2020 at 08:33 AM

DW

“ Will miss seeing her at Barker Church with her sister Eldinah! Prayers for all , especially for family far away ! May God give you peace knowing she is Safe in the Arms of Jesus ! 🙏

Dee Wiley - April 09, 2020 at 12:34 PM

RG

“ Regina And Edward Gooden lit a candle in memory of Margaurette Wilburn



Regina and Edward Gooden - April 09, 2020 at 12:23 PM