

Willis R. Butt

Occupant Name: Willis R. Butt

Location: **Section 1, Lot 24**

Date of Birth: 10/23/1911

Date of Death: 4/26/1988

Date of Burial: 4/29/1988

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: Willis R. & Ruth Butt

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



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Willis R. "Red" Butt, 76, 205 S. Ewing St., Brownstown, died unexpectedly at 8:31 a.m. Tuesday, April 26, at the Jackson County Hospital emergency room after collapsing at Twin Town Drugs in Ewing.

He was a pharmacist and the owner of Twin Town Drugs and the Brownstown Pharmacy. In 1935, he graduated from the Purdue University School of Pharmacy. Mr. Butt served on the Indiana State Board of Pharmacy and was a member of the Brownstown United Methodist Church, Seymour Elks Lodge 462, and Brownstown Masonic Lodge 13 F&AM.

Mr. Butt, who moved to Jackson County in August 1937, was born Oct. 23, 1911, in Dearborn County to the late Ambrose Gary and Etta Mae Lonaker Butt. On April 25, 1937, he married Ruth E. Marsch in Kentucky, and she survives.

Other survivors include three children: James William Butt and Mrs. Jerry (Sally) Banks, both of Brownstown, and Mrs. Jack (Betty) Gillespie, Decatur, Ala.; one brother: William H. Butt, Corydon; one sister: Mrs. Walter Voss, Milan; seven grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one sister and two brothers.

Funeral services will begin at 10 a.m. Friday, April 29, at the Spurgeon Funeral Home, Brownstown, with the Rev. Kathleen Kinser officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery, Brownstown.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 2 until 9 p.m. today, Thursday, April 28, and Friday from 8 a.m. until time of the service.

Memorials may be designated to the Brownstown United Methodist Church or the fund of the donor's choice.