

E. LaVonne “Wendy” Wells Barker

BIRTH 18 Jun 1921

Hoopeston, Vermilion County, Illinois, USA

DEATH 4 Jul 2008 (aged 87)

Hoopeston, Vermilion County, Illinois, USA

BURIAL Floral Hill Cemetery

Lovejoy Township, Iroquois County, Illinois, USA

MEMORIAL ID 28188785



Photo added by Steven Baker

E. LaVonne "Wendy" Barker, 87, of Hoopeston died at 1:35 p.m. Friday, July 4, 2008, at Hoopeston Community Memorial Nursing Home in Hoopeston.

Born June 18, 1921, at Hoopeston, she was the daughter of Lewis G. and Mattie (Rains) Wells. She married Arthur D. Barker on Jan. 15, 1945 at Danville, Ill. He preceded her in death on Jan. 6, 1990.

She is survived by one son, Mike (Pam) Barker of Hoopeston; one daughter-in-law, Lynn Barker of Hoopeston; four grandchildren, Rebecca (Chris) Small of Hoopeston, Justin (Laura) Barker of Attica, Ind., and Tony Barker and Jennifer (Jason) Judy, both of Hoopeston; six great-grandchildren; and two special nephews, Orval Kaag and Don Martin, both of Hoopeston. She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother; two sisters; and one son, David Barker.

LaVonne attended the Cowboy Church in Hoopeston.

She had worked as an inspector at UARCO in Watseka for 15 years.

She enjoyed reading and gardening.

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Family Members

Parents



Lewis Guy Wells
1888–1942

Spouse



Arthur D. Barker
1915–1990 (m. 1945)