



## Billy Brooks

November 5, 1931 - September 13, 2012

Billy Jo Brooks, 80, of Malvern, died Thursday September 13, 2012. She was born November 5, 1931 in Malvern, AR to the late James Elbert and Mordica (Cunningham) Paul. Billy Jo managed "The DownTowner" for years. She then worked at the Arky House for a long time. When it closed, she went to work at the Shoe Department in the mall before she retired.

She was a member of Meadowview Baptist Church in Magnet Cove and had been enrolled in the Ladies class on Mondays. Her minister, Shaun Holland and his family were very special friends to her. She loved her church family and they came to check on her every week.

She is preceded in death by her parents; her husband Floyd Brooks; her brother James Elwood; and her sisters, Glenna Faye Sparks and Ruby Jean Stem.

Survivors include her brother, Elton Houston Paul Sr. (Becky) of Malvern; her sisters, Vernice Heard of Malvern, and Shirley Glenn of Hot Springs; and numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

Visitation will be held Friday September 14, 2012 at Atkinson Funeral Home Chapel from 6:00 – 8:00 PM. Graveside services will be held at 2:00 PM at Poyen Cemetery on Saturday September 15, 2012.

Arrangements entrusted to Atkinson Funeral Home of Malvern, AR.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *We will miss the good times with Aunt Billy*

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**Gary Stonebraker & Vickie Orndorff** - March 22, 2013 at 08:37 AM

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“ *We enjoyed the times we visited with Billy Jo, and have fond memories of them. She could always make you laugh.*

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**Susan and Leon Fleming** - March 22, 2013 at 08:37 AM

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“ *we use to work together at the downtower she was a real close friend, she use to call me wimp. john a anderson*

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**janice or john a anderson** - March 22, 2013 at 08:37 AM

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“ *Thanks Billy for all your words of encouragement and for making me smile every time we spoke. I loved your spunk!*

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**Pamela C.** - March 22, 2013 at 08:37 AM