



Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion

August 9, 1930 - January 18, 2025

Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion, 94, was born on August 9, 1930, and passed away Saturday, January 18, 2025.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 74 years, Robert Dean Vermillion; her parents, Gilbert Lee Porter, Agnes Bishop Fowler and William R. Bishop; sister, Margaret Wright; and grandson, Ryan Andrew Humphreys. Wilma is survived by her children, Susan Vermillion Humphreys (Robert), Robert Dean Vermillion, Jr. (Carol), Ronald Lee Vermillion (Kathleen), and Mark Alan Vermillion (Sandra); grandchildren, Brook Lynnae Skees (Kenny), Heather Elizabeth Cornwell (Greg), Bradlee Michael Vermillion (Sherice), Blake Matthew Vermillion, Alexis Morgan Redmond (Sam), Paige Nicole Feliciano (Angel), Joel Mac Vermillion, and Kyle Dean Vermillion; great-grandchildren, Megan Elizabeth Smith (Lane), Madison Lee Villegas (Guillermo), Jonathan Conner Cherry, Kenneth Mason Skees (Olivia), Aubrey Claire Vermillion, Shayla Jordan Stanford, Deion Michael Stanford, Rylee Marie Vermillion, Kendall Kathleen Vermillion, Barrett Lee Redmond, Everett Marshall Redmond, Ryder Allen Humphreys, Rylan Alexander Humphreys, and Dominic Robert Feliciano; great-great-grandchild, Mariana Lee Villegas; and brother, William R. Bishop (Jean).

Her funeral service will be at 12 p.m. Thursday, January 23, 2025, at Owen Funeral Home, 9318 Taylorsville Rd. with burial to follow in Louisville Memorial Gardens East Cemetery. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. until time-of-service Thursday at Owen Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Louisville Memorial Gardens & Funeral Home East

11601 Ballardsville Rd
Louisville, KY 40241-1801
(502) 241-8424

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 23. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Owen Funeral Homes - Jeffersontown
9318 Taylorsville Road
Louisville, KY 40299
(502) 266-9655
<https://owenfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

JAN 23. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TD

“ Todd and Dena purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion.



Todd and Dena - January 22, 2025 at 12:20 PM

AC

“ All our love Karen & Rob Carter planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion.

All our love Karen & Rob Carter - January 22, 2025 at 09:11 AM

AC

“ All our love Karen & Rob Carter purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion.



All our love Karen & Rob Carter - January 22, 2025 at 09:11 AM

LF

“ Love, Your Forward Church Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion.



Love, Your Forward Church Family - January 21, 2025 at 01:49 PM

PS

“ Mom(Joyce Martin Barnes) loved her calls with Wilma. Close cousins in birthdays, shared memories and life long friends. I loved our visit to their home and my last call with her in December. May her love for her family shine in each of you.

Phyllis Barnes Smith - January 21, 2025 at 11:15 AM

BJ

“ Betty Ellis, John , Brad, Bridget, Jimbo planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion.

Betty Ellis, John , Brad, Bridget, Jimbo - January 20, 2025 at 08:21 PM

BJ

“ Betty Ellis, John , Brad, Bridget, Jimbo purchased the Loved One Vertical Blanket for the family of Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion.



Betty Ellis, John , Brad, Bridget, Jimbo - January 20, 2025 at 08:21 PM

PB

“ Sending love, hugs and prayers during this difficult time to each of you. She loved you all so much. I am going to miss her. She was like a second Mom to me.

Patricia Breeding - January 20, 2025 at 06:35 PM

PN

“ Pat Breeding & Family, Karen, Neal, Clint purchased the Garden Accent - "My Mother kept a garden..." for the family of Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion.



Pat Breeding & Family, Karen, Neal, Clint - January 20, 2025 at 06:24 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion.



January 20, 2025 at 05:40 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Wilma Lee (Porter) Vermillion.

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