



## Gilbert Paul Harper, Sr.

January 25, 1924 - August 29, 2010

Gilbert "Paul" Harper Sr., 86 a lifetime Carthage resident passed away at 2:30 a.m., August 29, 2010 at his home. He was born on January 25, 1924 in Avilla, MO. Paul was the son of William Melton Harper and Amy May "Kirk" Harper. He was a Dairy & Crop farmer in Jasper County his whole life. Paul was a member of the Prosperity Baptist Church and a member of the Masonic Lodge of Alba for over 50 years.

Paul married Dorothy Mae "Wynne" Harper on October 15, 1944 in Columbus Kansas, she survives.

Paul is also survived by a son Paul Harper, Jr. and wife Clara of Carthage; two daughters Linda Hoofnagle and husband Gary of Carthage and Jeannie Wells of Carthage; two grandsons, Chad Hoofnagle, Blake Harper; two granddaughters Chally Downing, Whitney Gallagher; five great-grandchildren, Shelby, Julia, Savannah, Tucker and Ethan.

Paul is preceded in death by his parents, four brothers, Buster, Hal, Jim Tom and Lloyd and four sisters, Evelyn Graham, Madge Scott, Berneice Carr and Wanda Kean.

Services will be at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 1, 2010 at the Ulmer Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 6:00-8:00 p.m., Tuesday August 31, 2010 at Ulmer's. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Webb City.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of Ulmer Funeral Home.

Online condolences may be made to [ulmerfh.com](http://ulmerfh.com)



# Tribute Wall

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Love and Miss you all Donnie & Judy*

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**Donnie & Judy Thompson** - September 06, 2010 at 05:24 PM

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“ *Gilbert Paul Harper, Sr.*

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**Debbie Thompson - Bowman** - September 02, 2010 at 09:01 PM

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“ *We are so sorry to hear about Paul. We are just finding out about his death. We are so sorry to hear that he has past away and we will keep the whole family in our thoughts and in our prayers.  
Marcella and Becki McBride Kansas City, Mo.*

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**Marcella and Becki McBride** - September 02, 2010 at 03:49 PM