

James T. Brown, Sr.

James T. Brown, Sr., age 78, of 10 Barbara Avenue, WilIow Street, PA died on Friday evening at Lancaster Regional Medical Center. He and his wife, Louise Gilgore Brown, were married June 2, 1951. Mr. Brown was born in West Grove, PA a son of the late William H. Sr. and Myrtle McCrabb Brown. James was retired from New Holland Machine Company after 40 years, where he had been employed as a machine operator. He was a member of Zion United Church of Christ, Strasburg. He had been a former member for 60+ years at Middle Octorara Presbyterian Church where he served as a deacon, elder, trustee and

Sunday school superintendent. He was a life member of Paradise Sportsman's Club and volunteered as a driver for Paradise Meals on Wheels. An avid bowler, he participated with several Lancaster County Bowling leagues.

Surviving besides his wife are 6 children, James T. Jr. married to Wendy L. Johnston Brown of Lancaster, Joseph Michael Brown, Sr. of Ephrata, Susan L. married to Charles L. Smith of Lancaster, Patricia Ann Brown married to Kyle Greenlee of Takoma Park, MD, Laurie Lee married to Brad Robinson of Lancaster, and Amanda A. Brown Privette of Willow Street; 8 grandchildren; 3 great grandchildren; 3 sisters, Grace married to R. Eugene Reed of Quarryville, Mary married to John Myers of Lancaster, Jean married to Kenneth Bradford of Strasburg; and a brother, Alan married to Mary Brown of Manheim. James was preceded in death by two brothers, William H. Brown, Jr. and Joseph Brown, who died in infancy.

Funeral services will be held from Zion United Church of Christ of New Providence, 900 Winter Hill Road, Strasburg, PA on Thursday at 10:00 AM with Rev. Dr. James R. Haun officiating. Interment will follow in Middle Octorara Presbyterian Cemetery. Friends may call at the Reynolds Funeral Home, 144 East State Street, Quarryville, PA on Wednesday from 6:00-8:00 PM and from 9:00 AM until the time of the service at the church on Thursday. Those who desire may make contributions in Jim's memory to Zion United Church of Christ of New Providence, 900 Winter Hill Road, Strasburg, PA 17579. To send an online note of condolence, please visit our website: www.reynoldsfuneralhome.net.