

Brooks, Verna Pearl (Tayler) | 1928-2018

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Verna Pearl Brooks, 89, of Sunset died Sunday, June 18, 2018, in Decatur.

Graveside service was June 20 at Sunset Cemetery with Rev. Fred Raney officiating.

Hawkins Funeral Home in Bridgeport handled arrangements.

Verna was born Oct. 28, 1928, in Knox County to Benjamin Edward and Johnnie (Cook) Tayler. She married James L. Brooks March 25, 1953, in Big Springs.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; five brothers; and one sister.

She is survived by her son, Lon Brooks and wife, Donna, of Texarkana; daughter Mischelle Ankerson of Raleigh, N.C.; eight grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; numerous great-great-grandchildren; and sister Sue Brockett of Carmi, Ill.