

Wilson, Betty Ann (Colgate) | 1931-2018

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Betty Ann Wilson

Betty Ann Wilson, 86, died Tuesday, June 5, 2018, in Decatur.

Memorial was June 8, at Hawkins Funeral Home Chapel in Bridgeport with the Rev. Rick Cooper officiating.

Betty was born Dec. 19, 1931, in Buffalo, N.Y., to Roswell and Edna (Durham) Colgate. She married Marlin Otis "Red" Wilson Feb. 18, 1950, in Los Angeles, Calif. She retired from Cigna Hospital where she was a nurse for 25 years. Prior to her nursing career, Betty worked as a waitress at Bob's Big Boy Restaurant.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and brother Lloyd Colgate.

She is survived by her husband of 68 years; son Marlin Curtis Wilson and wife, Leslie, of Cedar Park; daughter Jerilyn White and husband, Randy, of Portland, Ore.; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and sister Shirley Knori of San Diego, Calif.