



## Willard Andrew Brown

April 25, 1915 - June 1, 2014

Willard Andrew Brown

99, of Fort Gratiot and formerly of Capac, died Sunday June 1, 2014 at Port Huron Hospital, Port Huron.

He was born April 25, 1915 in Goodland Twp., Lapeer County the son of the late Andrew and Edna (Sprottberry) Brown.

His marriage was to Dorothy Graves who died February 6, 1982 and later Loretta Long who died in 2004.

Willard was employed as an electrician and for 15 years worked with Ford Motor Company, Utica, until his retirement in 1980. He enjoyed fishing, woodworking and solving problems with wood and had also built several of his own houses. He was a member of First Baptist Church, Capac.

Surviving are his three children, Linda (Del) Mace of Canton, Jerry and Jennifer Brown of Victoria, British Columbia and Judy Brown and husband Joseph Murray of Capac; three grandchildren, David Groat, Sarah Hudef and Andrew Brown, great-granddaughter Izzy Brown and several friends.

He is preceded in death by his grandson Tim Groat.

The family honors the memory of Willard and invite you to attend funeral services 11:00 a.m. Wednesday at Kaatz Funeral Directors, Capac, with 9:00 a.m. visiting. Burial will be in Capac Cemetery, Capac.

Memorials are suggested to "Wishes of the Family".

For information and Guest Book  
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# Cemetery Details

## Capac Cemetery

3340 Capac Road  
Mussey, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 4. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Kaatz Funeral Directors - Capac  
202 N. Main Street  
Capac, MI

## Service

JUN 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

Kaatz Funeral Directors - Capac  
202 N. Main Street  
Capac, MI 48014  
(810) 395-2600  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Dear Linda , Judy , and Jerry,  
Sorry to hear of Uncle Willard's passing. 99 years!! How wonderful to have your father for that long. Talked to him at Dads funeral. He always had a great sense of humor. He love to tease us girls when we visited. I have good gentle memories if your father. Love to you.  
Cousin Janie Graves Bozin.

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**Jane Bozin** - June 09, 2014 at 08:06 AM

JW

“ Judy,Linda,and Jerry. Sorry to hear of Dad's passing. I just got back from the U.P. or I certainly would have visited. As you know him and I had some great chats over the years. He was a friend as well as a client and will be missed. He was a good guy

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**JOHN WALLACE** - June 08, 2014 at 08:26 AM

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“ Dear Linda, Judy, and Jerry,  
Please know that family is thinking of you. I spoke with your dad, my Uncle Willard, for some time at my dad's funeral visitation. He was a pretty cool guy, sharp and friendly. As our parents have passed on, it stirs memories of when we were kids, playing together at Grandma and Grandpa Graves, and that makes me smile. With sincere sympathy,  
Susan Graves Welch

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**Susan** - June 05, 2014 at 08:49 AM

LM

“ To the family of my first cousin Willard, I send my sympathy amd prayers at this difficult time.With love from Verna Hazzard Wilkie.

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**Lynne Mandeville** - June 04, 2014 at 11:23 AM

JH

“ *My husband, Clifford Hazzard , and I spent lots of good times with your dad and Dorothy. Clifford went to be with the Lord on December 10, 2012 at the age of 93. My thoughts and prayers are with your families. Janette (Nettie)*

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**Janette (Nettie) Hazzard** - June 02, 2014 at 05:36 PM