

The life of

Audrey Monks

DIED: January 31, 2006

MARRIED: Roy, in March 1949

CHILDREN: Ken, John and Christine

GRANDCHILDREN: Claire, Kim, Craig,
James, Darren and Ben



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AUDREY Monks was a long-serving member of Filton Town Council.

She first became a parish councillor in May 1979 and continued in her role until May 2003 when she decided to retire.

Along with her husband Roy, Mrs Monks was a member of the Filton Twinning Association for many years.

Bristol-born, she went to Bristol Commercial School before taking her first job in an office.

She met Roy when they were teenagers at

a dancing class on Fishponds Road. In 1999, Mrs Monks was presented with a Certificate of Merit by Bristol North West Labour Party in recognition of services to them during her time on the council.

While her children were growing up, Mrs Monks was involved with the Mother's Union which met in the clinic at Shield's Avenue.

In 2004 Mrs Monks was very proud to receive the South Gloucestershire Community Award on the nomination of the

Town Council. Mrs Monks passed away peacefully in her sleep aged 78 at hospital in Yeovil, near her daughter's home.

Her son Ken said: "She was a very astute woman and did all she could for the community.

"She was a formidable woman who always did her best for her children and grandchildren.

"Dad has been quite overwhelmed with all the messages of condolence and sympathy we have received from everyone."