



## Vada Blair

February 3, 1925 - June 20, 2008

Vada Blair -- Kankakee Vada E. Blair, 83, of Kankakee, died Friday (June 20, 2008) at Bradley Royale Health Care Center. Visitation will be from 9 a.m. Tuesday until the 10 a.m. funeral service at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. Burial will be in the Toulon Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society. Mrs. Blair was a former employee of Olivet Nazarene University. She was born Feb. 3, 1925, in Harley, N.C., the daughter of John and Cora Michael Watson. Her husband, Dewey M. Blair, whom she married Aug. 9, 1941, in Tennessee, died Dec. 26, 1991. She was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene and enjoyed reading. Surviving are two sons and daughters-in-law, Marcus and Denise Blair of Kalamazoo, Mich., Michael and Carolyn Blair of Bourbonnais; four daughters and three sons-in-law, Judith Jones of Farmers, Charlotte and Steven Hurni of Valparaiso, Ind., Margaret Blair of Bradley, Joanne Blair and Tyrone White of Oak Forest, Dale Wilson of Georgetown; 14 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren; one sister, Ann Santos of Wilksboro, N.C.; and one brother, Jacob Watson of Wilksboro. Deceased are one daughter, Thelma Wilson; one son, Thomas Blair; three brothers and six sisters.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Please feel free to contact me if you woul like more information about Vada's grandson.

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**GENETIC GENEALOGIST Vada's Grandson Nevi** - August 05, 2019 at 02:55 PM

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“ GENETIC GENEALOGIST Vada's Grandson Nevi sent a virtual gift in memory of Vada Blair



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**GENETIC GENEALOGIST Vada's Grandson Nevi** - August 05, 2019 at 02:41 PM

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*I wish that her grandson Nevin would have known her. One of her daughter's was sent to Pilot Point Maternity Home in Denton County Texas to give birth to baby boy Blair then give him away. DNA comparison has verified that Vada Watson Blair was her grandson.*

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*Baby Boy Blair.. was born June 1963*

**GENETIC GENEALOGIST Vada's Grandson Nevi** - August 05, 2019 at 02:46 PM



“ *Dear Family,<br><br><br><br>It was a joy to have Vada in our church services each week! She always had a smile on her face and a welcomed hand. My family (especially all my little girls!) loved to hear her sing. She had a beautiful voice and even graced us with a solo one time and a duet with a staff member another. We looked forward to seeing her and listening. She now sings with the angels for our great God and Saviour. Praise the Lord for salvation!<br><br><br>Thank you for the privilege of "pastoring" her at Bradley Royale and allowing her to come to the services each week. She was an encouragement to me just by her presence. Please know that I and my family are praying for you and uplifting your name to the Lord for comfort and love.<br><br><br><br>May God's name be glorified, and may you feel His very near sustaining in these next days and weeks. Thank you again for allowing me to have a small part in loving her to the Lord. We will keep you in our prayers.<br><br><br><br>In Christ,<br><br><br><br>Rev. and Mrs. Terry Thrall and family###imported-begin###Rev. and Mrs. Terry Thrall and family###imported-end##*

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“ *Grandma,<br><br><br><br>It has been my sincere pleasure to know you for the past 20+ years. I will miss our talks about Jesus but I am so thankful that you will be there waiting for me when God calls me home. Sleep in peace and arise to all His splendor! I love you!!!###imported-begin###Kim Blair###imported-end##*

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