



Vadabell Beatrice (William) Brumblay

June 27, 1920 - May 2, 2015

Vadabell Beatrice (Williams) Brumblay passed away from natural causes at Salem Hospital on May 2, 2015. Vadabell was born on June 27, 1920 in Bend, Oregon to Lester and Elnora Dodson. She lived the first 91 years of her life in Bend before moving to Salem in 2011 to be near her daughter and family. She married Ray Williams on May 19, 1940 and they had two daughters- Joyce Marie (1942) and Carol Louise (1946). Vadabell and Ray started Williams Tire Service (Goodyear) in 1955 where she ran the office for many years. Following the death of her husband Ray in 1966, she worked at Hatfields Department Store in Bend as the office manager. She married Fred E. Brumblay in February, 1969. In their retirement, they enjoyed many travels around the U.S., Canada and Alaska. One of their favorite outings was camping along the Metolius River in Central Oregon. She was an active leader in the 4-H program while her children were young. She was a member of Deschutes County Historical Society, Bend Genealogy, Deschutes Pioneer Association, Bend Soroptimist Club and the Bend chapter Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR). Upon moving to Salem, Vadabell transferred her DAR membership to the Chemeketa chapter where her daughter and granddaughter are members. She was an active member of the LDS church in Bend. Vadabell is survived by her daughter, Joyce Peters (Ron). She was preceded in death by her daughter Carol Cottingham in 1977. Other family include Grandchildren: Daron Cottingham (Nikki), Julie Ausland (Jon), Anne Marie Aydelott (Greg) and Bill Peters (Connie). Great-grandchildren: Carol

Cottingham, Kenny Aydelott and Sydney Dougherty. She leaves step-daughter Bonnie (Brumblay) Kuchler and her children Jill and Nate Sikes. She is also survived by her sister Eva Gassner, a longtime Bend resident. Many nieces and nephews will miss their Aunt Tia. Funeral service will be in Bend on Saturday, May 9, 2015 at 1:00 p.m. at the Niswonger-Reynolds Funeral Home, 105 NW Irving Avenue.

Funeral Home:

Niswonger-Reynolds Funeral Home New

105 NW Irving Ave

Bend, OR

US 97701

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Niswonger Reynolds Funeral Home & Greenwood Cemetery - May 18, 2023 at 02:24 PM

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Funeral Home Owner - August 07, 2019 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Fond memories and bittersweet too Always had an open door for our family. Moving from the Valley to Bend 30 years ago, Vadabell was one of the only relatives I had here. And when I developed complications with my pregnancy and later had a premature baby, She was right beside us. Making two beautiful baby quilts for my two daughters, inviting us to lunch, or letting us crash her lunch. She took care of me and helped us grow up a little. If you look in my daughters first two years album, it will be filled with pictures of Vadabell and Fred. You lived a wonderfully full life, and will be missed by our family in heart and spirit. See you around the Bend.*

Terrill and Suzanne Peason - April 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ I began working for Hatfields in Bend in 1978. I worked in the office with Vadabell in accounts receivables. She was one of the most positive people I have ever worked for. There was always a solution for everything. Her humor made our office so pleasant. With Vadabell, the glass was always half FULL. Im glad she had a long life filled with service-based activities.

Kathy Lauchlan - April 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM