



## Hazel Vevada Haworth

June 19, 1921 - June 19, 2024

Hazel Vevada Haworth (née Baggs), a loving Mother, Grandmother, and Aunt moved on peacefully from this world June 19th, 2024 in Muskogee, Oklahoma, on her 103rd birthday.

The eldest of five children, Hazel was born in Pickens, Oklahoma on June 19th, 1921 to Oley and Matilda Baggs. As a child she attended a one-room rural schoolhouse while helping maintain the family farm and caring for her younger siblings.

Shortly after graduating from Eastern Oklahoma College, with World War II in full swing, Hazel moved to Oklahoma City where she worked for Douglas Aircraft as a “Rosie the Riveter”, helping assemble the legendary C-47 Skytrain.

After the War, she began work for the JC Penney Department Store where she met her future husband, Ura Calvin Haworth. They were married on September 3rd, 1949, and

soon thereafter would grow the family by welcoming a daughter, Janice.

In 1968, the Haworths relocated to Muskogee where they would join West Side Church of Christ, the congregation Hazel remained a dedicated member of for over fifty years.

After the passing of her beloved Ura in 1993, Hazel kept very active in her church and community. She held a deep affinity for nature and was an avid life-long gardener. She adored hosting tours of her famously vibrant backyard garden, which was frequently visited, and once chronicled as a full-color pictorial in the Muskogee Phoenix newspaper.

A fast friend to everyone; she loved to travel, loved to laugh, and was a lighthearted prankster that found endless joy in bringing amusement and light to others.

She is survived by her daughter, Janice Morrow; grandchildren, Melissa Morrow and Matt Morrow; and her many beloved nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Funeral services for Hazel will be at 10AM, Friday, July 5th, 2024 at 10:00am at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel.

The family has requested any remembrances or memorial tributes beyond flowers be made in the form of charitable contributions to West Side Church of Christ.



# Cemetery Details

## Memorial Park Cemetery

7600 Old Taft Rd.  
Muskogee, OK 74401

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 3. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cornerstone Funeral Home & Crematory  
1830 North York Street  
Muskogee, OK 74403  
(918) 682-1500

## Service

JUL 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel  
1830 N. York St.  
Muskogee, OK 74403

# Tribute Wall

EM

“ Hazel was a lovely and generous lady who loved iris. She kept a beautiful collection in her back yard. I will always remember her fondly.

Erwin Morrow - July 03, 2024 at 08:17 PM



“ Monica Mabry lit a candle in memory of Hazel Haworth



Monica Mabry - July 01, 2024 at 01:13 PM

MM

Thank You

Melissa Morrow - July 02, 2024 at 06:40 AM

HB

“ Hazel was a cousin 30 years older than me, but I always enjoyed visiting with her. when a young boy my summer vacation was a week with her parents (uncle oley & aunt tilta) a story I remember told, when Hazel was a young girl, they walked to school at Rough Edge. Aunt Tilta ordered school clothes and shoes from a mail order catalog. The first day of school it rained, Hazel came home, the soles of her shoes were nearly gone, they were made of cardboard. Aunt Tilta was so upset, she wrote a letter to the catalog store and they sent her a new pair of shoes, and she would tell this story as humorous. Hazel, we will miss you, the world will miss you

Hank Baggs - July 01, 2024 at 10:29 AM

MM

*Thank you so much, Hank. I love you*

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**Melissa Morrow** - July 02, 2024 at 06:42 AM

MM

“ *My grandmother loved to play silly fun pranks on people she loved, so we liked to play pranks on her, but she always was too smart to be fooled, like the time I made her summer pie and switched ingredients. Please share these types of stories about her. Those are the kind memories I love the most.*

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**Melissa Morrow** - June 30, 2024 at 01:38 PM

DW

“Hazel, Hazel, Hazel, what a precious woman that came into my life, I met her while working at Charlie's Chicken and I would always talk with her and try to be a great waitress with her friends and everyone! Once I told her I only worked 3 hours she then offered for me to help her do little things around the house; such as steam mopping her kitchen floor and dining room and cleaning windows, and vacuuming. Much of my time spent with hazel I learned that I could tell her anything and she could tell me anything and we had many many laughs! I know how much she loved growing flowers and she would take me in the backyard and say she had naked ladies back there and I had never heard of that, I was like oh my goodness what have I got myself into? She loved walking around outside and looking at her big tree out front. She talked about Janice and Matt and Melissa very very often. She would tell me stories and we would laugh and just had a great time with Hazel! And then I moved because my husband was retiring and I missed her so much that we began writing to each other for a few years and we would talk about the muscadines. I'm very sure Hazel is with God picking up gold dust! You will be missed and I know I will see you again someday. I loved you as I once loved my own grandmother.

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**Debbie Willis** - June 29, 2024 at 09:20 PM

MM

*Debbie she Loved you VERY much and talked about you often. Thanks for sharing memories of her. You are like family to us.*

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**Melissa Morrow** - October 02, 2024 at 07:39 PM

DW

“ *Debbie Willis lit a candle in memory of Hazel Haworth*



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**Debbie Willis** - June 29, 2024 at 09:14 PM