



Naida Gertrude Wood

March 2, 1921 - January 30, 2008

Naida Gertrude (Benson) Wood was born on March 2, 1921 in Augusta, Kansas to Floyd and Gertrude (Housley) Benson. She grew up in Tulsa, Oklahoma where she attended grade school and graduated from Central High School in 1938. As a young girl, Naida enjoyed swimming and visiting her aunt and uncle's farm.

Naida married William R. Wood on February 10, 1943 in Ft. Smith, Arkansas and to this union two sons were born: William F. and Jack R.. Naida and William raised their family in Tulsa, Oklahoma before moving to Omaha in 1960 and finally to Elkhorn.

Naida worked as a secretary in the Omaha Public School system. She loved to play bridge with neighborhood friends, work crossword puzzles, sewing, craft projects and going out to dinner. Naida and William enjoyed 65 years of marriage and truly treasured the time shared with their family especially the holidays. They also have had the loyal companionship of their pet dachshunds, Barron, Tina, Heidi and Misty.

Naida passed away on Wednesday, January 30, 2008 at Marquis Place in Elkhorn, Nebraska at the age of 86 years, 10 months and 28 days. She was preceded in death by her parents Floyd and Gertrude, son William and brother Floyd M. Benson, Jr. Naida is survived by her husband William of Elkhorn,

Nebraska; son and daughter-in-law Jack and Pam of Elkhorn, Nebraska; 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren; 1 niece and 1 nephew; and sister-in-law Nadine Benson of Omaha, Nebraska.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Naida Gertrude Wood*

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