



# Dale Blain

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**D**ale O. Blain was born July 21, 1927 and passed away peacefully in his home on Saturday, Nov. 9, 2019. Dale was married to Betty D. Blain, his best friend and the love of his life, on Nov. 25, 1950. They would have celebrated their 69th wedding anniversary this month. They lived in Kankakee, IL until 1997 when they moved to Florida to be close to family.

He enlisted in the U.S. Navy in 1944 during World War II at the age of 17. He had orders to go overseas, but the war ended in September of 1945. He was honorably discharged in 1946.

Dale enjoyed hard work and respected anyone with a good work ethic. In Illinois loved growing a vegetable garden, and shared the fruits of his labor with many friends and neighbors. After moving to Florida, he became more interested in plants and flowers. His front yard was always a show stopper. He was an avid reader of current events both national and local. He also enjoyed professional basketball.

Surviving are his daughter, Vicki Azzarelli and son-in-law Rick Azzarelli of Land O' Lakes, Fl. Granddaughter Jennifer Azzarelli of Tampa, FL, Grandson Jason Azzarelli and his wife Rachel Azzarelli fo Tampa, FL. and his twin Great-Granddaughters , Brynn and Ellie.

They had many friends throughout their lifetime, many with whom they danced and traveled. After moving to Florida they were surrounded by many wonderful neighbors who became like family and watched over them.

He had one particularly loyal neighbor and friend, Larry Dodd with whom he was very grateful for to the very end of his days. He thought Larry could "hang the moon."



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He had a very special caregiver, Stephanie Murray, who was his guardian angel during the last months of his life. Thank you also to Elsie Torres.

His service will at Trinity Memorial Gardens, 12609 Memorial Dr., Trinity, FL. 34655 on Nov. 19, 2019. Visitation is from 2:30 to 3:00 with a service to follow from 3:00 to 4:00.



# Events


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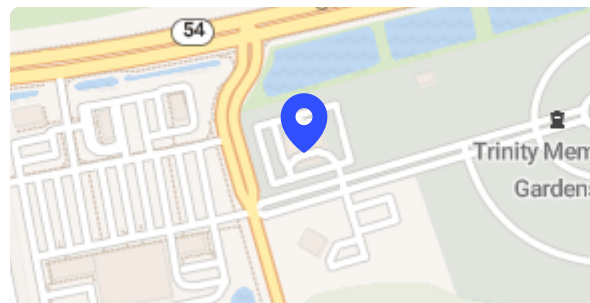
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## Visitation

 **Tuesday**, November 19, 2019


 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM ET


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12609 Memorial Dr, Trinity FL 34655

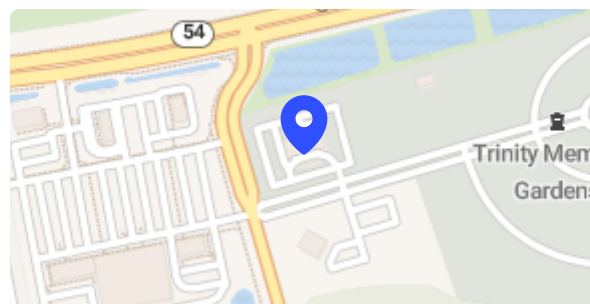


## Service

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 3:00 PM ET

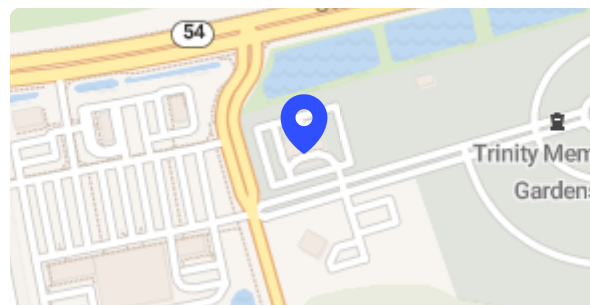
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## Burial

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