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Janice Eloise Allen**September 03, 1933 - August 26, 2022**

WILLSBORO — Janice Eloise Allen, 88, of Mountain View Drive, Willsboro, passed away peacefully on Friday Aug. 26, 2022, at the Adirondack Medical Center in Saranac Lake with her loving family by her side.

She was born in Plattsburgh on Sept. 3, 1933, the daughter of Laurence and Calla (Stafford) Calkins.

Janice graduated from Willsboro Central School and Canton ATI. After college she married Ross Allen in 1955. She was a wonderful and loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and sister.

After raising her children, her first job was as a teacher's aide at the Willsboro Central School. Janice was incredibly involved in her community. She was the librarian at the Paine Memorial Library where she flourished for over 30 years. She was instrumental in starting the children's story hour where numerous preschoolers acquired a lifetime learning experience from an early age. She was also a liaison to the school for library books/resources and organized the craft fair. She loved her crafts especially for the church sale and at Christmas for family and friends.

She was very devoted to her faith and was a cornerstone to the Willsboro United Methodist Church in all aspects. She was active in the following activities: vacation bible school, church dinners, Sunday school and as a lay leader. She was always there to help someone in need.

Janice volunteered at the Willsboro Visitor Center and High Peaks Hospice. She was a member of the historical society, Willsboro Alumni Association, and New Beginnings Group along with serving as town historian and writing a weekly news column for the Valley News.

Left to cherish her memory are her children, Sheila Vanags (David Gload) Keeseville, N.Y., Cindy Flanagan (Tom) Saratoga, N.Y., Jim Allen (Deb) Clifton Park, N.Y., Larry Allen Willsboro; grandchildren, Angela Barnaby (Kevin), Joseph Vanags (Meghan), Christie Cronin (Tim), Amanda Flanagan, Sarah (Justin), Kelsey (Stephanie), and Corey Allen; great-grandchildren, Meredith, Max, and Parker Barnaby, Lorelei, Autumn, and McKenzie Vanags; sister Paula Calkins. In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her husband of 38 years, Ross Allen.

A Christian service will be held at 11 a.m. on Sept. 6, 2022, at the United Methodist Church, Willsboro. Following this service, the public is invited to a Celebration of Life and fellowship which will be held at noon in the UMC reception hall for all to share stories and greet the family. Burial will be private at the convenience of the family.

Janice's family request that in memory of her, please conduct a loving act of kindness.

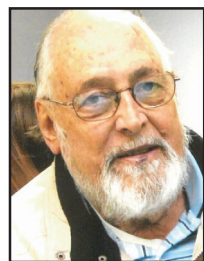
Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru, 643-9055. To offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Janice Allen please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com

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Robert G. Ashline**February 03, 1938 - September 08, 2022**

MORRISONVILLE — Robert G. "Bob" Ashline, 84, of Morrisonville, N.Y., passed away on Thursday, Sept. 8, 2022, at the UVM-CVPH Medical Center with his loving family by his side. He was born in Plattsburgh on Feb. 3, 1938, the son of Victor and Alfreda (Soucie) Ashline.

He was an avid outdoorsman; he enjoyed hunting, camping or to be on the water.

He is survived by his wife of over 42 years, Linda; his children, Tammy Miller and her husband Sam, Lisa Smith and her husband Greg, Scott Ashline; his grandchildren, Tucker, Katrina, Justin, Morgan, Reagan, and Corey; his six great-grandchildren, and his brothers, Leeward and Victor Ashline.

He was predeceased by his parents, his daughter Amy Ashline, and his brother Lawrence Ashline.

Visitation will be Monday, Sept. 12, 2022, from 11 to 1 p.m. at the Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. A funeral service will follow in the Brown Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Morrisonville EMS.

Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home, 29 Broad St., in Plattsburgh. (518) 561-3980. Online condolences may be offered at www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com.

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Eudgere "Jerry" Barcomb**October 22, 1941 - September 03, 2022**

CHAZY — Eudgere "Jerry" Barcomb, 80, of Chazy, was welcomed by the Lord on Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022, following a lengthy battle with cancer. He was surrounded by his family as he completed his Earthly journey.

He was born on Oct. 22, 1941, on the family farm in Mooers Forks, the son of Arthur and Mary Jane (Trudeau) Barcomb.

Jerry was a 1960 graduate of Mooers High School, and attended Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, where he earned his Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy degree in 1965. He was drafted into the U.S. Army in 1967, and stationed at Fort Meade, Md. He remained active duty for two years, and for one year following in the reserves.

At a dance in Ellenburg on July 4th, 1969, he met his future wife, Noreen (Nephew) Barcomb. They were married Nov. 7, 1970, at St. Bernard's Church in Lyon Mountain, N.Y. Together, they welcomed four children: Lisa (Heath) Barcomb Krier and their children Michala, Jaina, and Halle of Lincolnshire, Ill.; Lee (Christy) and their children Sophie and Max of Chazy; Brandy (Bradley) Juneau and their children Celine, Alain, Marin, and Elias of Chazy; and Casey of Plattsburgh. Jerry is also survived by a brother, Reginald of Batavia, N.Y.; sister Rhea (David) Lewis of North Adams, Mass.; sister Marie "Edna" Hansen of Carpinteria, Calif.; sister-in-law Shirley Barcomb of Mooers Forks; and brother-in-law Angelo Giuliano of Towson, Md. He is predeceased by his mother and father, brother Lionel Barcomb, sister Rita Giuliano, sister-in-law Joanne Barcomb, and brother-in-law Craig Hansen.

Jerry worked as a pharmacist at Mousseau Pharmacy in Chazy for 33 years, and then upon their closing, Kinney Drugs for 15 more, retiring after 48 years in 2013. He served as President of Chazy Youth Hockey for many years, and was instrumental in not allowing that organization to be absorbed by other larger

local organizations. Jerry was a parishioner of Sacred Heart Church in Chazy, and a volunteer with the religious education program there. In 2018, Jerry and Noreen were crowned King and Queen of the Chazy Old Home Day.

He had a passion for farming and gardening, and always grew a bountiful garden. He was a devoted New York Yankees and Montreal Canadiens fan, with a great memory of when he and Casey met his idol Maurice "Rocket" Richard in Plattsburgh. He loved and cherished every moment he got to spend with his grandchildren, often tearful when it was time for them to go home, saying "Come back and see me soon."

Calling hours will be at the R.W. Walker Funeral Home in Plattsburgh on Thursday, September 8th, from 5 to 8 p.m. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at Sacred Heart Church in Chazy on Friday, September 9th, at 11 a.m. Interment will follow in the parish cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the CCRS Education Foundation, PO Box 256, Chazy, NY 12921, or masses may be said in his memory.

To share a memory or condolence with the family, please visit www.rwwalkerfh.com.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh, N.Y.

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Timothy Lincoln Barnett**January 11, 1940 - August 29, 2022**

SARATOGA SPRINGS — Timothy Lincoln Barnett, 1940 - 2022: Conservation Work Led to Protecting 585,000 Acres in Adirondacks

Timothy Lincoln Barnett, 82, of Saratoga Springs and Westport, N.Y., died at home in Saratoga Springs on Aug. 29, 2022, after a long illness. He is survived by his wife Elizabeth Claire Lillis Barnett, their sons Ian Kinneer Barnett and Edward MacInnes Barnett, and six grandchildren, all in Colorado; his brother Robby Barnett in Connecticut; and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his parents, the Life Magazine editor and science writer Lincoln K. Barnett who authored The Universe and Doctor Einstein and his wife Hildegard Harris Barnett of Westport, N.Y.

Barnett attended Westport Central School, the Riverdale Country School, and the Stockbridge School, then Middlebury College. After serving in the U.S. Army and on the Army ski patrol in Garmisch, Germany, he completed his undergraduate studies at the University of Colorado at Boulder. He worked for the New York City-based Louis Harris opinion polling firm where he met Claire. In 1972, the couple moved to the Adirondacks when he was invited to be the founding executive director of the Adirondack Chapter of The Nature Conservancy, an entity recommended by the Temporary Study Commission on the Future of the Adirondacks appointed by New York Governor Nelson Rockefeller. Barnett leaves a legacy written across northern New York's landscape. He deployed his arsenal of high spirits and good fellowship to create and lead a highly effective land conservation organization, bridge gaps between opponents, run back-to-back marathons, and, later, meet 25 years of physical paralysis with grace. And he attributed all his achievements to others: his Adirondack mentors, his Board of Trustees, and the people he hired, whom he considered his greatest contributions to the Adirondacks. In the late 1970s, to better conserve the Adirondacks, Barnett drew The Nature Conservancy away from its tradition of buying small parcels harboring endangered species toward land protection on a landscape scale. Seizing the moment to work with diverse private landowners and the State of New York, he negotiated the protection of tens of thousands of acres through conservation easements and outright purchase for addition to the Adirondack Forest Preserve for public use, including the iconic Camp Santanoni and Lake Lila projects which seeded the work of the

Adirondack Chapter. In another bold move, he managed the merger in 1988 of the Adirondack Land Trust with The Nature Conservancy's Adirondack Chapter, the only such relationship within TNC's global organization. The resulting organization (ANC/ALT) expanded its mission to preserve the working farms and forests, shorelines, and open spaces that contribute to the intact landscape and economy of the region.

In spring 1997, having protected 240,000 acres in the Adirondacks, Barnett took a sabbatical to work with the World Bank's Tien Shen Mountains Trans-Boundary Program to help build teams in Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan, and Kyrgyzstan to manage natural areas. Part of the job entailed riding horseback into mountain villages. In a Zapovednik (State Reserve) in the remote Kyrgyz mountains, he fell from his horse and sustained a severe spinal cord injury. He attributed his survival to Yrskybek Manelov and a traveling support team; his colleague, Nigel Coulson, and his wife Christine and volunteers who orchestrated the cross-border helicopter rescue to an emergency room in Uzbekistan; the local guides who stayed by his side for the 24 hours it took the rescue team to reach him; and the medical staff at Balgrist Hospital in Zurich, Switzerland, where he spent two months recuperating after surgery. Thereafter, he credited his quality of life to the support of The Nature Conservancy, the rehabilitation specialists at Kessler Institute in West Orange, N.J., and his wife Claire, the founder of the Healthy Schools Network.

A celebration of his life will be held at a later date. The family requests that donations in his memory be made to The Adirondack Land Trust, P.O. Box 130, Keene, NY 12942, or to "The Adirondack Chapter" of the Nature Conservancy, P.O. Box 65, Keene Valley, NY 12943.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Heald Funeral Home, 7521 Court Street, Elizabethtown. To leave an online condolence please visit www.healdfuneralhomeinc.com

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ELI BESHAW, 71, of Brown Road in Plattsburgh, passed away Saturday, Aug. 13, 2022, at his home with his loving family by his side. There will be no services. Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home in Plattsburgh.

Samantha L. Blake

August 18, 1989 - August 07, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Samantha L. Richards-Blake, 32, of Plattsburgh, passed away Sunday, Aug. 7, 2022, at the UVM Health Network-CVPH with her loving family by her side. She was born in Plattsburgh on Aug. 18, 1989, the daughter of Randy and Terrie (Richards) Wade.

Samantha enjoyed music, caring for stray animals and spending time with her family, especially her two boys. Samantha also enjoyed spending time with her grandparents, Linda and Rick Wells.

Samantha had a personality and a "giggle" that was so infectious that you couldn't help but want to be around her. Before her illness, she lit up the room.

She is survived by her two sons, Jasper and Sawyer Blake, her husband Jebadiah Blake; her parents, Randy and Terrie Wade, her brother Joshua Wade (Jessica); her grandparents, Linda Wells, Orlan and Pamela Wade; a nephew, Elias Wade, her mother-in-law Teri Blake and several uncles, aunts including Billie Quinn and Jen Allen, whom she was very close to as well as nieces, nephews, brothers and sisters-in-law.

She was predeceased by her grandfathers, Wayne Richards and Richard Wells, her grandmother Judy Wade, grandparents Donald and Janet Rabideau and her father-in-law Rickford Blake.

Services will be held at the convenience of the family.

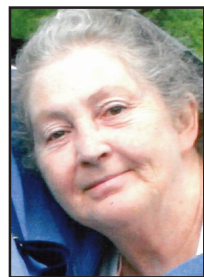
In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Samantha Blake may be made to the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 7023, Merrifield, VA 22116-7023.

Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home in Plattsburgh. Online condolences may be offered at www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com.



Erma B. Byrd

December 29, 1938 - August 18, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Erma (Bright) Byrd, 83, of Mill Street, Lyon Mountain, N.Y., passed away on Aug. 18, 2022, at Meadowbrook nursing home with her loving family by her side.

She leaves behind many loved ones: her daughter, Bonnie Gero and son-in-law, Victor Gero; daughter-in-law Lynn Byrd; her beloved sister and brothers, Barbara Morgan, Kenneth and Kelly Cain, grandchildren Christine Gero, Steven Gero and Tiffany Provost, Kimberly and Patrick Cornell, Jennie and Miguel Chinchilla, and Heidi Brassard; and 10 great-grandchildren. She had so many nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her loving husband of 52 years Donald Byrd, her beloved son William Byrd, her parents, her sisters Catherine Peters, Francis Henderson and Wanda Evelyn (Bright) Hetrick, and her special grandmother Lena Rowe.

Erma was born on Dec. 29, 1938, in Churchville, Va., to her father Robert Homer Bright, and her mother Mary Elizabeth Gough. Erma was a happily married and dedicated military wife to Donald Byrd who served in the Navy and Air Force for 22 years. She was a loving mother and grandmother and loved spending time with her family. Her hobbies included gardening, sewing, camping, cooking and garage saling. She greatly appreciated Meals on Wheels and the Meadowbrook staff. She will be dearly missed by all who loved her.

A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 23, 2022, at 10:30 a.m. at Brown Funeral Home in Plattsburgh; burial will follow in Lyon Mountain, N.Y.

Donations in Erma's memory may be made to Meals on Wheels or the Lyon Mountain Fire Department.

Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. Online condolences may be offered at www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com



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Lawrence E. "Larry" Cabana

July 21, 1957 - August 06, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Lawrence Edward "Larry" Cabana, 65, of the Military Turnpike, Plattsburgh, died Saturday, Aug. 6, 2022, at the UVM Health Network, CVPH in Plattsburgh, with his loving family by his side.

He was born in Northampton, Mass., on July 21, 1957, the son of Francis Floyd and Lillian (Young) Cabana. He grew up in Northampton until his family moved to Hoosick Falls, N.Y., in 1967. He graduated from Hoosick Falls Central School in 1976. He then attended Adirondack Community College where, in addition to being a member of the school's basketball team, he graduated with an Associate Degree in Criminal Justice in 1976.

After graduating, Larry served in several positions as a member of the law enforcement community for the next 32 years. He began as a police officer with the Hoosick Falls Police Department, before becoming a Corrections Officer, working first at Auburn Correctional, then transferring to Great Meadow. After three and half years, Larry became an officer with the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, where he would remain until his retirement in 2011. Larry always brought common sense, consideration, and kindness to his positions in law enforcement. He always looked at the bigger picture and used genuine judgment through the years.

Larry would take those same sensibilities that had served him in law enforcement when he was elected as a Town Justice for Peru, N.Y., in 2014, and then reelected in 2018.

Larry was an avid outdoorsman, spending as much time as he could spare hunting on the land that he loved. A great basketball player, he spent many years playing with the same group of great guys at the local YMCA, developing friendships that continued until his passing. He also took yearly hunting trips to Ohio with his friends, Glen, Joe, and Bill. Thank you Randall, Jon, Gary, Moe, Dan and Mike for being such great friends. Additionally, he and his wife were attendees of the Nazarene Church of Plattsburgh, N.Y.

Left to cherish his memory are his loving wife of 23 years, Martha Anne "Marti" Arnold Burdo; his son, Adam of Hoosick Falls, N.Y., and his daughter, Ashley (CJ) of Easthampton, Mass.; his brothers, Francis Jr. of Queensbury, Bruce (Cindy) of Glens Falls, N.Y., and sister, Jocelyn (Kevin) Ryan, of Hoosick Falls, N.Y.; brothers-in-law, Philip Arnold (Mary) Grand Junction, Mich., Calvin Arnold, Richard Arnold (Donna), Tim Arnold (Jeanne) all of Peru, N.Y.; and several cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Larry was predeceased by his parents and parents-in-law, Corinne and Norman Arnold, his youngest brother, Christopher, and his brother-in-law, Alan Arnold.

There will be no public calling hours. A celebration of his life will be held Wednesday, Sept. 7, 2022, at 10 a.m. at the Nazarene Church, 187 Broad Street, Plattsburgh, N.Y.

Donations in his memory may be made to Elmore's SPCA, PO Box 686, Peru, NY 12972.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru, 643-9055. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Larry Cabana please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com

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ETHEL CLOSE, 91, of Morrisonville, died August 13, 2022. She was born in Gloversville, May 27, 1931, daughter of Oakley and Clara (Smith) VanNort. All services will be private. Arrangements are in care of Hamilton Funeral Home.

MARYANN COGAN, 83, Plattsburgh, passed Aug. 23, 2022, UVM Health Network-CVPH with her family by her side. She was born Dec. 9, 1938. Mass will be Oct. 8, 2022, 11 a.m., St. Johns Church, Plattsburgh. Burial in St. Peter's Cemetery.

MARY R. CONSADINE, 100, of Port Henry, died Aug. 22, 2022, at Elderwood in Ticonderoga. A graveside service will be held Aug. 25th, at 10 a.m. in the Union Cemetery, Port Henry.

Louis V. Cordone

May 28, 1930 - August 23, 2022



LAKE GEORGE — Louis V. Cordone, 92, passed away Tuesday, Aug. 23, 2022, after a brief illness.

Born May 28, 1930, in Buffalo, he was the son of Nicholas and Giuglia (Morgante) Cordone.

Lou earned his bachelor's degree at SUNY Buffalo and went on to earn his master's degree from SUNY Oswego. He briefly served in the United States Army from 1952-1954. He then went on to work as an Assistant Business Manager at BO-

CES in New Paltz for many years before retirement.

He married Margaret Myers on Aug. 11, 1956, in Altona, N.Y. They spent many happy years together before her passing in 2015.

Lou enjoyed traveling to the Amish country in Lancaster, Pa., as well as spending time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, Lou was predeceased by his wife, Margaret; and brother, Emil Cordone.

Those left to cherish his memory are his daughter, Judy (Michael) Brazer of Weymouth, Mass.; grandchildren, Julia (Chima) Ezeigbo of Manchester, Conn., and Heather (Brian) Case of Rutland, Vt.; great-grandchildren, Abraham Ezeigbo and Asher and Jensen Case; also several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Calling hours will take place Saturday, Aug. 27, 2022, from 10 to 11 a.m. at Baker Funeral Home, 11 Lafayette St., Queensbury, NY 12804.

A funeral service will immediately follow at 11 a.m. at the funeral home with the Rev. Donald Klob officiating.

A graveside ceremony with military honors will be held on Saturday, Sept. 10, 2022, at 11 a.m. at Fairmount Cemetery in Weymouth, Mass.

Condolences and floral arrangements may be sent directly to Baker Funeral Home, 11 Lafayette St., Queensbury, NY 12804 or through www.bakerfuneralhome.com.



JERRY DAPO, 45, of Lapham Mills Road, died Aug. 31, 2022. Visitation Friday, Sept. 2, 2022, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. Funeral service to follow at 11 a.m. Interment will be at St. Augustine's Cemetery.

Dean F. Deso

July 17, 1930 - September 06, 2022



TICONDEROGA — Dean F. Deso, 92, of Ticonderoga, N.Y., beloved father, died Tuesday, Sept. 6, 2022, at Berkshire Medical Center in Pittsfield, Mass., after a series of health issues.

He was born on July 17, 1930, in Peru, N.Y., the youngest son of Harold and Irene C. (Bailey) Deso.

Dean proudly served in the Army and Army Reserves from 1951 to 1956 and was stationed in New York and Massachusetts.

He married Gertrude Demar on May 22, 1954. They celebrated 59 years of marriage before Gertrude's passing in 2013.

He leaves his two daughters, Beverly Deso of Saranac Lake, N.Y., and Mary Deso of Pittsfield, Mass., with whom he shared a home while he was receiving medical treatment. He also leaves several nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews and cousins.

He was predeceased by his parents; his three brothers, Vernon, William and Donald; his wife Gertrude on Aug. 11, 2013; and his son William "Bill" Deso on June 28, 2019. He was the last of his generation on both sides of the family.

Dean enjoyed playing cards, Yahtzee, listening to country music, doing word search puzzles, building jigsaw puzzles and "puttering" in the yard. He was very social and loved talking with friends and neighbors and enjoyed lunches at Subway.

Relatives and friends may call Wednesday, Sept. 14, 2022, from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Wilcox & Regan Funeral Home, 11 Algonkin St., Ticonderoga.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Thursday, Sept. 15, 2022, at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church of Ticonderoga, N.Y.

His daughters wish to thank the staff at Berkshire Medical Center and affiliated medical practices who provided the expert care that helped us manage his health conditions. We especially want to thank Tom Rock, Jon Lanfair, Patty Gero and Luis Ludzaca without whom we could not keep Dean at home with Mary.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in Dean's memory may be made to Little Sisters of the Poor, 4200 Herewood Road, NE, Washington, DC 20017 or the Berkshire Humane Society, 214 Barker Road, Pittsfield, MA 01201 or High Peaks Hospice, 12 Tom Phelps Lane, Mineville, NY 12956.

To offer online condolences, please visit www.wilcoxandreganfuneralhome.com



WARREN RAY BLANTON DIXON, 96, of West Plattsburgh, passed away Aug. 24, 2022, at his home. He was born in Detroit, Mich., on April 24, 1926. Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home, 29 Broad St., in Plattsburgh.

Earle Stewart Dougan

February 06, 1934 - August 11, 2022

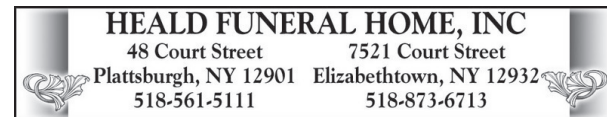


LEWIS — Earle Stewart Dougan (Shim) passed away on Aug. 11, 2022, at Meadowbrook Nursing Home after a long illness at the age of 88 years old. He was born on Feb. 6, 1934, to Earle and Elizabeth Dougan in Elizabethtown, N.Y. He is survived by his wife, Susan of 64 years and his children, Pamela Hutchins, Skip Dougan, Debbie Olsen, Kathleen Robertson, and MaryJane Viens. His grandchildren, Jamie Dougan, Michael Dougan, Kevin Hutchins, Carrie Pryor, Nicole Pierce, Jimmy Pierce, Samantha Doran, Abbey Cramer, Evan Viens, Keragan Viens,

and Mattea Viens. His great-grandchildren, Kayleigh, Amelia, Sadie, Maura, Teddy, Nolan, Raena, and Brooklyn. He is also survived by his sister, Diane Wallace, his brother-in-law, Stanley Steves, his brother and sister-in-law, Leo and Carolyn Smith, along with several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Shim was well known throughout the community and enjoyed playing cards with his family and friends. He will be greatly missed by all.

A celebration of life will be held 1 p.m. Monday, Aug. 15, 2022, at the Wooden Nickel. Arrangements have been entrusted to Heald Funeral Home, 7521 Court Street, Elizabethtown. To light a memorial candle or leave an online condolence please visit www.healdfuneralhomeinc



John Carlyle Downey

April 03, 1932 - August 19, 2022



SARANAC — John Carlyle Downey, 90, died peacefully Aug. 19, 2022, at his home. He was born April 3, 1932, in Clayton, N.Y., the son of Carlyle and Mary (Bell) Downey.

John and his family moved to Clayburg, N.Y., and he graduated from Plattsburgh High School. Following graduation, he served with the Air Force in Korea. In 1955, John left the Air Force and returned home to attend college at SUNY Plattsburgh, where he graduated with a teaching degree. He taught school for 28 years.

John married Dorothy (Chini) and they settled in Saranac, where they both were teachers. They were married for 60 years. John was an avid outdoorsman. It wasn't uncommon to find him out in the woods, hunting, or fishing. He most certainly passed that love down to his children and grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his wife, Dorothy, his children Loren and Tom, and his daughter-in-law Susan. Surviving are his son John and wife Robin of Cadyville, his son Patrick of Cadyville, his daughter Julie and husband Mike Lawrence of Vermontville. Six grandchildren: Johnny, Joel, Laura, Katie, Sarah, and Erin; and three great-grandchildren, Lilly, Claire, and Madeline.

As per John's wishes, there will be no public calling hours or services.

Patrick G. Duniho

February 23, 1947 - August 27, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Patrick Duniho, 75, of Addams St., passed away suddenly, Saturday, Aug. 27, 2022. He was born in Aurora, Colo., to Jack and Emma Duniho.

He was an "Airforce Brat" who moved frequently during his youth. His family settled in Peru, N.Y., where he graduated from school in 1965. He graduated with a BFA from Virginia Commonwealth University in 1969. After graduating, he worked as a commercial artist. He had a graphic design business in Plattsburgh for many

years, prior to becoming an art teacher for the Plattsburgh City School District, from 1989 until his retirement in 2014.

Pat lived a very full life that included many accomplishments. He could create or repair anything using his ingenuity, creativity and talent. He was also a talented and prolific song writer that could play any instrument.

He is survived by his wife, Linda Sullivan, sons, Gavin Lambert (Marcy Cochran), Micah Duniho (Valerie), stepdaughter, Rachel Bombardier, daughter, Colleen Duniho, brothers, Michael Duniho, and Dan Duniho (Kate Phillips) and his sister, Sheila Pfister (Steve), granddaughters, Sarah and Piper Duniho, as well as many nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his parents, brother, Terrence Duniho, and sister, Kathleen Johnson.

Calling hours will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 6, 2022, from 2 to 3 p.m. at the Brown Funeral Home, 29 Broad St., in Plattsburgh. A Celebration of his life will follow at 3 p.m. in the Brown Funeral Home Chapel.

The Celebration will be casual, please come as you are, wearing a shade of blue. If you are unable to attend in person, please visit Brown Funeral Home Facebook Page for a live stream of the celebration. A full obituary can be viewed at www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com

Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home, 29 Broad St., Plattsburgh, NY 12901 (518) 561-3980. Online condolences may be offered at www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com



Phillip E. "Bud" Duprey

December 24, 1936 - September 02, 2022



PERU — Phillip E. "Bud" Duprey, 85, of the Lapham Mills Road, Peru, passed away Friday, Sept. 2, 2022, at the UVM Health Network, CVPH in Plattsburgh, with his loving family by his side.

Phillip was born in Swastika, N.Y., Dec. 24, 1936, the son of George and Sarah (Paquin) Duprey. Phillip married the love of his life, the former Mildred "Millie" Buckley, Feb. 22, 1955, and raised two daughters of his own and his niece, Pam.

He worked at Pepsi Cola in Keeseville for 27 years, until his retirement in February of 1999. Following retirement, he and Millie officially became "snowbirds," spending many winters in Florida.

Bud was a communicant of St. Augustine's Parish since 1961, and a 4th degree Knight from the K of C in Keeseville, N.Y. He was very involved in the local HAM radio club, going by the call sign N2ZGR.

Left to cherish the memory of Bud are, two daughters, Phyllis Burch, Debbie Laundry and her husband Robert, and Pam Townner who lived with them for part of her life; five brothers, Richard (Lorraine), Lawrence (Joan), Roger (Darlene), Donald (Nancy), and Gordon; seven grandchildren, Traci Stiger and her companion Terry Whitaker, Bobbi Covel and her companion Eddie Rathbun, John Douglass and his companion Ali Armstrong, Mindy and her husband Frank Akey, Cassandra and her husband George Harris, Thomas Benoit, and Sarah Duprey; nine great-grandchildren, Mikayla, Jakob, Jackson, John, Liam, James, Jordan, Phillip, and Justin; four great-great-grandchildren, Presley, Noah, Lydia, and Paisleigh; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by the love of his life, Millie (Buckley) Duprey; and two brothers, Wayne and Harold.

At Bud's request there will be no public calling hours. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated Saturday, Sept. 10, 2022, at 1 p.m. at St. Augustine's Church in Peru with Rev. William G. Reamer, celebrating. Committal prayers and burial will follow in the parish cemetery.

Donations in his memory may be made to the Peru Fire Dept. or the Peru Rescue Squad.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru, 643-9055. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Phillip "Bud" Duprey please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com



Clark G. "Duke" Duquette

February 14, 1938 - August 11, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Clark G. "Duke" Duquette, 84, of Iowa Street, Plattsburgh, passed away peacefully at his home on Thursday, Aug. 11, 2022, his 66th wedding anniversary, under the loving care of his family and Hospice of the North Country.

He was born in Plattsburgh on Feb. 14, 1938, the son of Harry and Edna (Crawford) Duquette. Clark was married to his loving wife, Margaret, on Aug. 11, 1956. He was a member of Plumbers and Pipefitters Local 773, the Peru Volunteer Fire Department and the Peru Knights of Columbus.

Left to cherish his memory is his wife, Meg; four children and their spouses, William and Rebecca Baker, Jayne Duquette, Daniel and Laurie Duquette, and Adam and Tracy Duquette; eight grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by four sisters, Berdina Rabideau, Edna Provost, Joan Theroux, and Lucille Rabideau; and three brothers, Harry, Leonard, and Fred Duquette.

Relatives and friends are invited to call on Tuesday, Aug. 16, 2022, from 10 to 11 a.m. at St. Augustine's Church, 3035 Main

Street, Peru. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. with Rev. William G. Reamer, celebrating. Burial will follow in the parish cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Clark Duquette may be made to Hospice of the North Country.

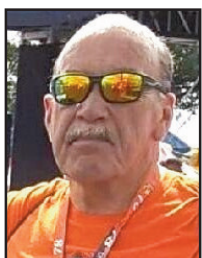
Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru, 643-9055. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Clark Duquette please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com



JUDITH A. FORGET, 78, of Plattsburgh, passed away Aug. 12, 2022, at home with loving family by her side. Visitation Aug. 14, 2022, from 11 to 1 p.m. at Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. Funeral services 1 p.m. in funeral home.

Herman "Bruce" Furnia

November 05, 1949 - August 20, 2022



PERU — Herman "Bruce" Furnia, 72, of Faith Road, Mooresville, N.C., and formerly of Peru, passed away Saturday, Aug. 20, 2022, at Novant Hospital, with his loving family by his side.

He was born in Peasleeveville on Nov. 5, 1949, the son of the late, Raymond and Eva (Archambault) Furnia. Bruce was a craftsman (printer) at Imperial Wallpaper Mill for 26 years, and later worked for several years for Sears, managing their automotive

department. He served 6 years in the Army Reserves in Elizabethtown from 1968-1974.

Bruce graduated from Peru Central School where he was an

outstanding three sport athlete, his favorite being wrestling. He continued his athletic interests for many years playing slow pitch softball for Press Republican and Coca-Cola teams. His interests in motor sports and competition which lead to the creation of "The Cotton Candy Express" pull truck, and competing in local county fairs. Bruce was a huge NASCAR fan, visiting many Nascar tracks and showrooms, with Dale Earnhardt as his hero. Bruce was also a sportsman who enjoyed hunting and fishing in his favorite spot on Chateaugay Lake. His great love was his Harley and was happiest taking long rides on his bike.

Bruce is survived by a daughter, Jennifer (Craig) Strack of Plattsburgh; a son, Matthew (Lisa) Furnia of Peru; grandchildren, Donya Martell, Mikayla Winter, Ryan Furnia, and Cayden Strack; a sister, Shirley Frenia of Portsmouth, Va.; brothers, Kenneth (Peg) of Surprise, Ariz., Joseph (Kathy) of Hudson, Fla., and Steve (Lori) of Deland, Fla.; sister-in-law, Linda Furnia of Plattsburgh; his companion, Darlene Pickman; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his brother, Curtis; brother-in-law, Don Frenia; and nephew, Mark Frenia. At Bruce's request, there will be no public calling hours or service.

Memorial donations in his name may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru, 643-9055. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Bruce Furnia please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com



Reginald Gale

July 13, 1930 - May 13, 2022



SAINT ALBANS — Reginald R. Gale passed away on May 13, 2022, at 91 years of age with his daughter and son-in-law at his side at The Villa in St. Albans, Vt. Reginald Ralston Gale Jr. was born on July 13, 1930, in New York, N.Y., the son of Dorothy M. Gale and Reginald R. Gale.

Reg began his career in retail as a young man. Working his way up to management, Reg worked with companies such as Grandway, Montgomery Wards, and Magrams. His work took him from New York,

to New Jersey, to Kingston and ultimately to Plattsburgh, N.Y. In addition to his work, he was a volunteer fire fighter, a Mason and belonged to many other community organizations. His longest and most well-known employment was as General Manager of Magrams in Plattsburgh, N.Y., for many years.

Despite being born in the city, Reg always wanted to be a horseman. As a young man in the city of New York he cleaned stalls at the famous Clermont Stable to be around horses. He realized his dream later when he and his wife, Lillian purchased their home in Cadyville, N.Y. He built a barn and through the years owned 10 horses. Their initial intent was to breed and sell horses, but after the first two foals were kept, they realized they did not want to sell them and Gale Stables became their hobby farm. In addition to the horses, over the years they had chickens, ducks, dogs, and cats to add to the family.

Reg was actively involved in supporting his daughter Lisa's riding throughout her life and as an extension volunteered at Pony Club, 4H, and local horse shows. He was a member of the Morgan Horse Club and enjoyed helping at horse shows into his senior years. He also developed an interest in driving horses

and adopted a Standardbred through a Vermont rescue and competing in driving. He maintained his farm until well into his 80's.

Beyond horses and work, Reg loved music and he and Lillian were wonderful dancers. He enjoyed live music. He loved reading and developed a passion for sketching in later life. He enjoyed boating and spent many happy summers with Dick and Alice Gilberg on their boat in Canada. He also enjoyed going to the theater at The Flynn and St. Michael's Playhouse. He supported and followed his granddaughter Gwen in her pursuit of ballet. For many years, he also took care of his mother Dorothy Gale and Lillian's mother Della Boissy, who both lived with them until their deaths. Recent summers he spent with visiting with Harold Downs, both at their home and at camp on Pointe au Roche.

Reginald Gale was blessed with marriage to Lillian B. Gale, who predeceased him. She was the love of his life and he will be interred with her at the Riverside Cemetery in Mooers, N.Y., on Saturday, Aug. 20, 2022, at 1 p.m. A Memorial Ceremony will be held at the grave site. He is survived by Lisa Gale Peery, of Georgia, Vt., Reg Gale of Amityville, N.Y., Betsy Wager of Henderson, N.C., Jeff Leide of Hurdle Mills, N.C. He is also survived by his stepdaughter Susan M. Gleason of Key Largo, Fla., who with her husband Duane Gleason visited often and helped with his care prior to his relocation into The Villa in St. Albans, Vt., after the death of Lillian. Reg was predeceased by his oldest daughter Patricia Bridges. He is survived by 15 grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Lung Association or the Humane Society of the U.S.

To offer an online condolence, please visit www.ROSSFUNERALHOMES.com

Virginia M. Guay

July 10, 1939 - September 06, 2022



ROUSES POINT — Virginia M. Guay of Rouses Point, N.Y., died September 6th at University of Vermont Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital in Plattsburgh.

Virginia was born July 10, 1939, in Rouses Point, the daughter of Earl and Ruth Legnard. She married Robert Guay on Sept. 2, 1961. She worked as a secretary and receptionist at F.W. Myers, Northeastern Clinton Central School District, and Delagar Products. She will be remembered as a devoted and caring mother who, along with her husband, raised three sons, and as a grandmother who loved and enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren.

She is survived by son Terrence and wife Pattie Guay of State College, Pa., son Wayne and wife Eileen Potash of Philadelphia, Pa., granddaughter Jewelry Guay of Pinetops, N.C., granddaughter Haley Guay of Washington, D.C., granddaughter Laura Guay of Harrisburg, Pa., grandson Nathan Guay of Ithaca, N.Y., great-grandchildren Enola Guay and Elan Guay of Pinetops, N.C., sister Shirley Bechard of Rouses Point, brother George Legnard and partner Faith Lamberton of Rouses Point, sister-in-law Theresa Venne of Plattsburgh, sister-in-law Bernadette Halstead of Peru, brother-in-law Frank Guay and wife Sue of Middletown, N.Y., sister-in-law Mary Ann Coopy and husband Bill of Remsen, N.Y., 15 nieces and nephews and their families, and long-time friends Theresa and Noel Hinerth and Linda and Bruce Gaudette of Rouses Point. Virginia was predeceased by her husband of 54 years, Robert C. Guay, son Neil Guay, grandson Robert A. Guay, parents Earl and Ruth Legnard, brother Earl Legnard, and dear friend John Rowe.

A funeral Mass will be held at St. Patrick's Church in Rouses Point on Saturday, October 1st, at 11 a.m. Burial will immediately follow at St. Patrick's Cemetery.

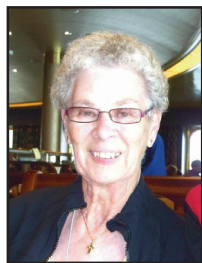
To light a candle, and share a thought, memory or prayer, visit the obituary online at www.mbclarkfuneralhome.com.

The family would like to thank the staff of the UVM-CVPH in Plattsburgh and Champlain Valley Senior Community in Willsboro for their services and care over the past two months.



Alice E. Johnson

March 14, 1939 - August 12, 2022



QUEENSBURY — Alice E. Johnson, 83, of Queensbury, N.Y., died Aug. 12, 2022, in hospice care at home with her family.

She was born March 14, 1939, to Thomas Sheehan and Elizabeth Carey Sheehan in Essex, N.Y.

Alice traveled with her husband, Robert E. Johnson Sr., and children while he served active duty in the United States Air Force until his retirement in 1972 in Plattsburgh, N.Y.

She started a career as a nurses aide at Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital in 1974 and retired in 1999.

Survivors include daughter, Sandra Pratt of Griffin, Ga., Robert Johnson Jr. of Glens Falls, N.Y., and several grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her husband, Robert (Bob) and sons Derek Johnson and Darrell Johnson.

At Alice's request, there will be no public calling. Services will be held at a later date.

Per her wishes, donations in her memory may be made to a humane society or rescue group of one's choice. She may also be remembered at the University of Vermont Larner College of Medicine.

Lorraine M. Johnson

November 07, 1943 - October 22, 2021



KEESEVILLE — On Oct. 22, 2021, Lorraine M. Johnson lost her battle with Alzheimer's disease.

She was born in Buffalo, N.Y., in 1943 and spent most of her life in Keeseville.

She was preceded in death by her parents Lloyd and Alma Bresette, sister, Evelyn Bracken, brother-in-law, James Bracken, and stepson Peter Johnson.

Left to cherish her memory are her husband of 37 years, Joseph, brothers,

Wayne (Laura) Bresette, and Bernard (Edwina) Bresette; children, Toni Lynn (Art), Heidi (Perry), Paul T.; stepson Nicholas; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Lorraine worked most of her life in the medical profession at CVPH in Plattsburgh and hospitals in the Albany area.

She was very active in sports, including, bowling, cross country skiing, horseshoes and her favorite, golfing in Myrtle Beach.

As a volunteer she was president of the Ladies of the Elks and chaired the big brother/big sister organization. Many Elk members probably remember her famous spaghetti sauce.

She was a character, full of life, and a great mother and the best wife in the world.

On Saturday, Aug. 20, 2022, there will be a private burial for her ashes at Port Douglas Cemetery followed by a celebration of life at the Keeseville Elks Lodge at 1 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to attend the celebration of life to share stories, food and refreshments.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 124 Clinton Street, Keeseville, 834-7667. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Lorraine Johnson please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com

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Edward J. Kehn Sr.

September 18, 1932 - August 8, 2022



BRUNSWICK — Edward J. Kehn Sr., 89, died Aug. 8, 2022, at Samaritan Hospital Troy.

Born in Troy, Sept. 18, 1932, he was son of the late Chester J. Kehn and Charlotte A. Davis Kehn and husband for 67 years of Maureen Farrell Kehn. He was raised in Lansingburgh and resided a short time in Rochester and Poughkeepsie before moving back to the Troy area in 1969 and was a graduate of Catholic Central High School, class of 1951 and Albany Business College.

Ed was owner and CEO of Wells Communications in North Greenbush, Plattsburgh and Watertown since 1969. Previously, he worked for NY Telephone Company in Troy and Motorola C&E in Troy, Rochester and Poughkeepsie.

He was Past President of the New York State Association of Fire Chiefs, Past President of Speigletown Fire Dept., served 35 years as Volunteer Firefighter, Past Rensselaer County Fire Coordinator, Past President Wynantskill Kiwanis Club, a member of the Knights of Columbus — Council No. 12937 St. Jude the Apostle Parish, 4th Degree Knight — Monsignor Arthur J. Reilly Assembly 1915. He was a Boy Scout and Explorer in Troop 8, at St. Augustine's School in Lansingburgh; he was awarded the Boy Scouts of America "Good Scout Award". Also received the "Frank W. Kennedy Memorial Award" from the Lansingburgh Boys & Girls Club. In 1983 Ed received the "Capital District Small Business Achievement Award" presented by The School of Business of the State of New York at Albany and The Capital District Business Review.

He enjoyed boating on Lake Champlain for many years. He was also a car enthusiast (Car Guy), had several classic Cadillac's and Mercedes over the years. He enjoyed working at his profession as a Business Manager. Ed started working, part time, at age 16 when in high school and worked all of his life. He worked for everything that he ever had, inherited nothing, except for his work ethics from his parents. Ed was a Navy veteran of the Korean War.

Survivors in addition to his wife include a son, Edward J. Kehn Jr., Florida; a daughter, Maureen P. (Michael) Milanese, Plattsburgh; a daughter-in-law, Stephanie Kehn; his grandchildren, Michele (Stephen) Scarff, Lindsay (Ethan) Marshall, Ashley (Jon) Hilton, Carrie Lynn (Jon Desrocher) Fountain and Anthony Milanese; his great-grandchildren, Isabella Scarff, Grady and Lucas Hilton, Michaela "Mickey" Marshall and Liam Desrocher and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a son, Michael J. Kehn; a sister, Diane Kehn McHargue and a brother, Richard Kehn.

Relatives and friends may call at the Bryce Funeral Home, Inc., 276 Pawling Avenue, Troy, on Wednesday, Aug. 10, 2022, from 4 to 7 p.m.

Funeral service will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. at St. Jude the Apostle Church where a Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated by Rev. Patrick Rice, Pastor.

Inurnment will be in Gerald B.H. Solomon Saratoga National Cemetery, Schuylerville.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made in memory of Edward J. Kehn to the St. Jude the Apostle School, Brookside Avenue, Wynantskill, NY 12198 or Catholic Central High School Scholarship Fund, 625 Seventh Avenue, Troy, NY 12182. To sign the guest book, light a candle or for service directions, visit www.brycefh.com.



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Estherine M. King

July 11, 1932 - September 05, 2022



ALTONA — Estherine M. King, 90, of Altona, N.Y., gently passed away on Monday, Sept. 5, 2022, in Lake Placid, N.Y., with her loving children at her side.

She was born on July 11, 1932, in Altona, N.Y., to Alfred and Rose (Meseck) Burdo, and was the eldest of nine children. She married Robert L. King from Chazy Lake, N.Y., on May 18, 1957, and they returned to this area to raise their family after working downstate for two years.

Survivors include her children Diana (Richard) Vopelak, Norma (Raymond) Barber, Arlene Horton, Shirley (Thomas) O'Neil, Annette (Jimmy) Demarais and Robert M. King; 13 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her sister, Betty Sears and her brothers, Wilfred and Leeward Burdo, and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was predeceased by her parents and husband and by her brother, Richard Burdo and sisters, Elsie Burdo, Della Sample, Doris Cody and Valedia Seymour.

Relatives and friends are invited to call on Friday, Sept. 9, 2022, at the Brown Funeral Home, 3123 Miner Farm Road in Altona, N.Y., from 3 to 6 p.m. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Saturday, Sept. 10, 2022, at 1 p.m. at Holy Angels Church in Altona, N.Y. A rite of committal will occur for immediate family at the Ellenburg Town Mausoleum at a later time.

To share a story or photo or to offer online condolences, please visit www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com.

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Wanda L. LaDuke

November 03, 1944 - September 08, 2022

BEEKMANTOWN — Wanda L. LaDuke, 77, of the O'Neil Road, passed away unexpectedly Thursday Sept. 8, 2022, at her home. She was born in Plattsburgh on Nov. 3, 1944, daughter of the late Ezra and Delia (King) LaPorte.

Wanda was a loving wife, mother and a proud grandmother. She enjoyed the casinos and Bingo and loved cousin's day!!

Wanda is survived by her husband, Sheridan LaDuke Sr., son Sheridan LaDuke Jr. (Tina) of Morrisonville, and daughter Cheryl Palmer (Mike) Shelburne, Vt.; one brother, Gene Laporte (Claire); grandchildren: Amanda Bloomingdale (Nick and Connor), Andrew LaDuke (Kristen, Jaxson and Nova) and Veronica LaDuke. In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her son, Stephen LaDuke, brother Michael Laporte and sister Elaine Laporte.

Visitation will be 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 15, 2022, at Heald Funeral Home, 48 Court Street, Plattsburgh. A funeral service will follow at 7. Burial will be private and at the convenience of the family.

To light a memorial candle or leave an online condolence please visit www.healdfuneralhomeinc.com

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Shirley Virginia LaMar

June 09, 1945 - September 01, 2022



MORRISONVILLE — Shirley Virginia LaMar, 77, of Old Orchard Street, Morrisonville, died Thursday, Sept. 1, 2022, at The University of Vermont Medical Center in Burlington, Vt.

She was born in Plattsburgh, June 9, 1945, the daughter of Leonard Henry and Mildred Alice (LaMay) LaMar. Shirley grew up in Peru and graduated from Peru High School in 1964. She attended Clinton Community College.

She worked as a salesclerk in several area fashion stores, including Merkel's. Lastly, she was a Teacher's Aide at CVES in Plattsburgh.

Shirley loved crafts, painting, flower gardening and watching and feeding birds.

Left to cherish the memory of Shirley are her two daughters, Jeanna (William) Plympton and Lisa Latremore; three grandchildren, Ryan Kenny, Elisabeth Plympton, and Benjamin LaDieu; two siblings, Suzanne Randall, and Leonard LaMar; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her son, Michael Brooks Latremore; siblings, Betty (Marshall) Brett, and James LaMar; and brother-in-law, Clarence Randall.

Relatives and friends are invited to call on Tuesday, Sept. 6, 2022, from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru. A funeral service will follow at 2 p.m. in the Hamilton Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Scott R. Seymour, presiding. Committal prayers and burial will follow in St. Augustine's Cemetery.

Donations in her memory may be made to the FitzPatrick Cancer Center.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru, 643-9055. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Shirley LaMar please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com

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Gary J. LaVarnway

July 25, 1945 - August 26, 2022



SARANAC — Gary J. LaVarnway, 77, of Saranac, passed away peacefully on Friday, Aug. 26, 2022, at CVPH in Plattsburgh, with his loving family by his side.

He was born in Plattsburgh on July 25, 1945, the son of Donald and Rose Marie (Ryan) LaVarnway.

Gary graduated from Saranac Central School in 1963 where he was a champion wrestler. Upon graduation, he entered the navy and served on the USS Hunley in Charleston, S.C., until 1967. He also served in the reserves for another 20 plus years.

Gary began his career with NYS Corrections at Green Haven Facility. He was promoted to Sergeant at Clinton Correctional Facility and retired as a Lieutenant at Chateaugay Correctional Facility in 1995.

Gary was an avid outdoorsman. He enjoyed telling stories about his hunting excursions to Cold River and to the Sturgis Bike Rally. He loved camping and spending time with family.



He is survived by his companion, Shirley Jost; two sons and a daughter-in-law, Michael LaVarnway and former companion Lisa Dumais, Daniel and Karen LaVarnway; three brothers and two sisters-in-law, Donald M. and Susan LaVarnway, Dale and Helen LaVarnway, Greg LaVarnway; two sisters and a brother-in-law, Mary Lou and Gerd Kinert, Sharon Defayette; a brother-in-law, William Cox; three grandsons, Brandon LaVarnway and companion Rachael Christiana, Jacob LaVarnway, Jesse LaVarnway; great-grandson, Sawyer LaVarnway; two stepgrandchildren, Kelly Drollette, Kyle Drollette; his companion's children and grandchildren, William Jost, Eric and Liz Jost, DJ, Abby; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his sister Deanna Cox.

Relatives and friends are invited to call on Friday, Sept. 2, 2022, from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru. A funeral service will be held Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022, at 11 a.m. at Saranac Methodist Church, 8 UMC Road, Saranac, with Rev. Philip Richards and Sandy Davidson, presiding. Burial will follow with Military Honors and presentation of the NYSDOC Flag in the Church of the Assumption Cemetery, 78 Clinton Street, Redford, N.Y.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru, 643-9055. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Gary LaVarnway please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com

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Josette A. LeBlanc

September 08, 1927 - August 21, 2022



ROUSES POINT — Josette "Jo" Alice (Beauvais) LeBlanc, 94, of Rouses Point, N.Y., passed away peacefully on Aug. 21, 2022, at UVM-CVPH in Plattsburgh, N.Y.

Josette was born in LaPrairie, Quebec, Canada, on Sept. 8, 1927, the daughter of James and Annie Beauvais. She married Robert LeBlanc on Oct. 6, 1951, in Rouses Point, N.Y., where they lived together for 64 years until his passing.

Josette is survived by her three children: daughters Anne Carey and her husband Bill of Rouses Point, N.Y.; Leisa Baker of Plattsburgh, N.Y., and son Michael LeBlanc and companion Julie Kirby of Rouses Point, N.Y. She is also survived by eight grandchildren: granddaughters, Melissa (Carey) Forey and her husband Cameron of St. Albans, Vt.; Meg (Carey) Welch and her husband Tom of Jackman, Maine; grandson Bill Carey and fiancée Amanda Cudemo of Rouses Point, N.Y.; granddaughters, Olivia, Madison, Makenzie and Kennedy Baker of Plattsburgh, N.Y.; Sara Kirby of Rouses Point, N.Y.; six great-grandchildren: Casey Forey, Hailey Welch, Braidan Welch, Jayden Cudemo, Leigha Carey, and Natalia D'Orio; son-in-law Chris Baker of Roswell, N.M. She is also survived by her sisters-in-law: Theresa (Terry) LeBlanc of Rouses Point, N.Y.; Florence LeBlanc of Westbrook, Maine; Marcelle Johnson and her husband Erwin of Bullhead, Ariz.; Joyce LeBlanc of Yuma, Ariz.; and brother-in-law Rudolph (Rudy) and his wife Lena of Portland, Maine; as well as many nieces and nephews.



She is predeceased by her husband Robert, parents James and Annie (Bourne) Beauvais; sisters Theresa Fennell, Suzanne Hurst, and brother John Beauvais; mother-in-law and father-in-law Lucien and Marie "Mary" Rose (Belanger) LeBlanc; brother-in-laws and sisters-in-law Joseph Fennell, Howard Hurst, Irene Beauvais, Kathleen Beauvais, Roland and Rita LeBlanc; Roger and Gemma LeBlanc, James and Margaret Scaringe, Richard and Rejeanne Traynor, Francis (Pete) LeBlanc, Jean LeBlanc, Paul LeBlanc, and George and Susan LeBlanc.

Josette graduated from Rouses Point High School in 1945. She was employed by the Railway Express Agency right out of high school, where she processed entries and paperwork for US Customs until the company closed in the 1970s. After the closure she was employed by A.N. Derringer, Inc. in Champlain, N.Y. Later she worked for Harrison's Pharmacy in Rouses Point.

She enjoyed doing her daily crossword puzzles with her morning coffee. She spent much of her free time doing jig-saw puzzles, bowling, playing cards, and watching hockey with Robert and their family. She was an avid reader and enjoyed her daily walks around the village. She loved to share the history of Rouses Point and stories of the past with family and friends. Josette was a parishioner of St. Patrick's Church, where she enjoyed being a member of the church choir.

Calling hours will be held at M.B. Clark Funeral Home, 148 Lake Street, Rouses Point, N.Y., on Thursday, Aug. 25 from 4 to 7 p.m.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at St. Patrick's Church in Rouses Point on Friday, August 26, at 2 p.m. Interment will follow immediately at St. Patrick's Cemetery.

Donations may be made to the Rouses Point Fire Department, PO Box 185, Rouses Point, N.Y.

Relatives and friends are invited to share thoughts, prayers or memories on the obituary online at www.mbclarkfuneralhome.com.



LUCIA - Graveside services for Allen and Theresa Lucia will be held Saturday, Sept. 10, 2022, at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph's Cemetery, West Chazy. Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. Online condolences may be offered at www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com

Marjorie Ruth Lyon

February 12, 1929 - September 03, 2022



TICONDEROGA — Marjorie "Marge" Ruth Lyon, 93, of Ticonderoga, N.Y., loving wife of the late Edward "Ted" Lyon, peacefully went to be with the Lord on Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022, with her daughters, Adele and Jody by her side.

Born in Ticonderoga, Feb. 12, 1929, she was the daughter of the late Davenport and Ruth (Cleveland) Willey.

After graduating from Ticonderoga High School, she worked locally as a telephone operator. Marge spent many years supporting Norma Strong's Dance School and was an active member and Troop Leader of the Girl Scouts of America for over 25 years.

Marge was a devout Catholic and a communicant of St. Mary's Catholic Church of Ticonderoga. She was a lifelong member of the Catholic Daughters of America, Court St. Mary's #794. She also worked in the cafeteria of St. Mary's School for many years.

She loved to bake and cook for family and friends. She was an avid reader and took great pride in her flower gardens.

Survivors include her two daughters, Adele Gary of Charles City, Va., and Jody Bevilacqua of Ticonderoga, N.Y.; six grandchildren, Taylor Bevilacqua, Michael Halprin, Austin Gary, Hope Gary, Izzabella Watson and Lillianna Watson; two great-grandchildren, Austin "A.J." Gary Jr. and Cecelia Garcia; one brother, Larry Willey and his wife Sue; and many nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her husband, Edward "Ted" Lyon; her daughter, Catherine Ann Lyon; her parents, Davenport and Ruth Willey; and two siblings, Robert Carpenter and Jean Bevilacqua.

Relatives and friends may call Thursday, Sept. 8, 2022, from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Wilcox & Regan Funeral Home, 11 Algonkin St., Ticonderoga.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Friday, Sept. 9, 2022, at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church of Ticonderoga. The Rev. Christopher J. Looby, Pastor, will officiate.

The Rite of Committal will follow at the family plot of the Valley View Cemetery of Ticonderoga.

To offer online condolences, please visit www.wilcoxandreganfuneralhome.com

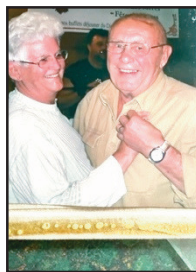
Donations in Marge's memory may be made to St. Mary's School, 64 Amherst Avenue, Ticonderoga, NY 12883.



CRISTA MATIC, 40, of Altona, passed away Aug. 22, 2022, at Westchester Medical Center. She was born Dec. 14, 1981. A Celebration of her Life will be held at a later date. Arrangements entrusted to Brown Funeral Home in Altona.

Wolfgang Moritz Mattes

September 18, 1931 - August 04, 2022



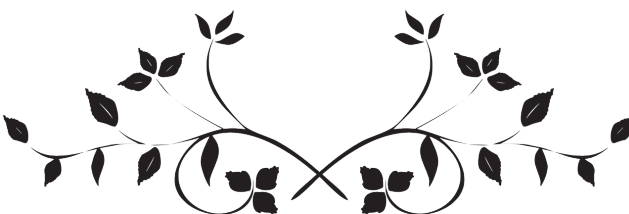
LIVONIA — Wolfgang Mattes, affectionately known as Poppa Bear, joined his beloved Momma Bear Barbara (Winter) in heaven on Aug. 4, 2022, at the age of 90. Wolf was born in Detroit on Sept. 18, 1931, to first-generation German immigrants, Adolf and Mina Mattes. Wolf was a combat veteran of the Korean War where he was decorated (five medals) for his actions.

Wolf met Barbara the love of his life at Michigan State University and they were married 61 years until Barbara passed

away on July 7, 2020.

Wolf retired from the City of Detroit and moved to Plattsburgh, N.Y., spending the next 30 years enjoying life on the lake and small-town living. He knew the importance of family as well as helping others, and had a deep respect for nature. Wolf began his "second career" as a Cumberland Head Volunteer Fireman, training as a Firefighter, EMS first responder, and Swift/Cold Water Rescue team member. He and Momma Bear were also active members of the Plattsburgh Elks and Kiwanis Clubs.

Wolf is survived by his four daughters, Erika Rebbe, Heidi (Jim) Mason, Brigitte (Kip) Cooper, and Inger (Matt) Griffin, 11 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, sister-in-law Margaret Davey, nephews Gerry and Alex Laramie, and nieces Dawn (Jim) Harrison and Tawnya (David) LaForest.



Walter J. Martiny

March 28, 1926 - August 15, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Walter J. Martiny Jr., 96, of Lake Forest Drive, Plattsburgh, N.Y., passed away peacefully on Monday, Aug. 15th, 2022, with his family by his side and under the care of Hospice of the North Country.

He was born in New Orleans, La., on March 28th, 1926, the son of Walter J. and Martha (Stewart) Martiny Sr.

Walter graduated from high school at age 16 and went on to graduate Magna Cum Laude from Tulane University with a degree in electrical engineering. He went straight into the service as a U.S. Marine in the Pacific theater and shortly thereafter was transferred to the U.S. Navy and worked directly for Admiral Powers until the end of the war. Upon his military discharge, Walter worked at General Electric for 45 years, where he developed two patents in his name.

On Nov. 19, 1950, he married the love of his life, Betsy Coleman in Lynn, Mass. In addition to their own children, Walter and Betsy fostered many other children.

Walter is survived by his wife of 71 years, Betsy Martiny, along with his three children, Alan Martiny and his wife Rebecca of Seattle, Wash., Donald Martiny and his wife Celia Johnson of Ivoryton, Conn., and Cynthia Martiny and her husband Robert Conyers of Montreal, Canada, 24 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

There will be a private celebration of Walter's life and interment will be at a later date. Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. Online condolences may be offered at www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com. Donations in the memory of Walter J. Martiny Jr. can be made to The Lake Forest Endowment Fund or Hospice of the North Country.



James F. McComb

August 27, 1951 - September 03, 2022



MOOERS — James (Jim) McComb, 71, passed away Sept. 3, 2022, at his home with family by his side after a long hard fought battle with esophageal cancer.

Jim was born on Aug. 27, 1951, the first-born son of Harold and Irene (Nephew) McComb. He grew up on a small farm with his parents and two brothers in Cannon Corners, where he learned the meaning of hard work at a very young age.

Jim graduated from Mooers School in 1969 and started his 35-year employment at Ayerst/Wyeth/Pfizer. In 1974, he met his wife, the former Peggy DuBrey and after a four month dating period, they were married Sept. 28, 1974, at St. Bernard Church in Lyon Mountain; Jim and Peg were married for 48 years and were blessed with two wonderful children, Christopher and Meagan who also learned the ethics of hard work and honesty from their father. Upon retiring from Pfizer, Jim started work at Chazy Central School as supervisor of buildings and grounds.

After 9 years at Chazy, Jim moved on to Bernier and Carr associates as a Construction manager, where he remained employed until illness forced him to leave this job. Jim's passion in life was racing. In his teen years, he dragged in Napierville, Canada, and in his early 20's decided to give stock car racing a shot. He frequented local tracks, including Airborne, Malone Speedway, Frogtown, and occasionally took his modified to larger tracks in Canada. His love of racing wasn't limited to the track; he also liked to "clean out the carburetor" on a few back roads as well.

Jim loved to go out and eat, and every waitress that he got to know earned the nickname "Flossie." Esophageal cancer took that pleasure away from him.

Jim liked everyone he met and treated everyone with respect and kindness. He was well liked by everyone who had the privilege of knowing him. He loved to laugh and you could recognize that laugh across a room.

Jim was a family man and adored his children and grandchildren. He bragged about them to anyone who would listen.

He is survived by his wife Peggy of 48 years, son Christopher and daughter-in-law Carrie Frederick, daughter Meagan and finance Brad McQueen, five favorite grandchildren: Casey Frederick, Kya McComb, Kenadie McComb, Keelin McComb and Rian O'Connor; two brothers, Ross and Carla McComb and Dan and Deb McComb and several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his parents and grandparents.

The family would like to extend their deep appreciation to the staff on Miller 3 at UVM and a special thank you to Dr. Edward Barrazo for his care and concern during Jim's long illness and to Dr. Winfield and staff at Hudson Headwaters for making his last days as comfortable as possible.

Calling hours will be Tuesday, Sept. 6, 2022, from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Ross Funeral Home in Mooers. A funeral service will be celebrated Wednesday, Sept. 7, 2022, at 1 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of the North Country, as well as Mooers Fire Dept. "Drive fast and turn left, Jim, until we meet again."

To offer an online condolence, please visit www.ROSSFUNERALHOMES.com

Michael William McCorry

December 23, 1951 - August 16, 2022



MORRISONVILLE — Michael William McCorry (Mike) 70, from Morrisonville, N.Y., passed away on Aug. 16, 2022, with his wife and sister by his side. He was born on Dec. 23, 1951, to William McCorry and Dorothy (Carter) McCorry.

Michael is survived by his wife and soul-mate Margaret, sister Kathleen Tetreault and her husband Shawn, daughter Darlene Bartlett and her husband Rick, son David Rivers and his wife Kathi, his grandchildren and great-grandchildren, his brother-in-law Chuck Gebo and his wife Judi, Anthony Gebo and his wife Elleen, sister-in-law, Hope Nold and her husband TJ, Ida Duval and Harold, Marybeth Gebo, his favorite Aunt Gert who rarely missed a day without calling to check on him, several nieces, nephews and cousins. Also, his bro Frankie Fedele and his wife Essie, best friends Ernie, Kevin, Kevin, Skip and their spouses, childhood friends Sherry, Cathy and too many others to mention, but not forgotten. Tom and Dorie Sweeney who Mike spent endless hours at their house while growing up. There is also a special person out there who Mike loved deeply and someday they will know.

Michael is predeceased by his parents, sisters Patti Parrotte and Colleen McCorry and brother-in-law Jim Gebo.

Today the North Country lost one of its greatest musicians. Michael loved music from the time he received his first guitar as a young boy. Just to mention a few of his bands that you may remember are: Nite Society, Palmer Hill Band, Sunset Playboys, Too Big for the Corner, Replay and Damaged Goods. Mike also jammed with Ben Stiller during the making of the movie Escape from Dannemora. His most cherished band was the great duo of F & M. (Frankie and Mike). He was an avid fisherman who could tie a fly that looked better than the real bait; even filmed a PBS special Fly Fishing on the Saranac. He was a gun collector and could hit the target bullseye every time. He loved his Henry 22 rifle and looked forward to shooting at the range on Tuesday's with Shawn; he said it made him forget he was sick if only for those moments in time. Mike retired from the Department of Corrections and with the help of a "great" friend Herb Carpenter, Mike was able to fulfill a dream of opening his own pet shop which he did, called Bridge Street Aquariums. He eventually moved to the Plattsburgh Plaza where he changed the name to Lake City Aquariums and operated for over 20 years. He truly was the "fish doctor;" he had such great knowledge of saltwater

fish. Michael was like a sponge, he was inquisitive about everything and there was not a subject he didn't know something about. We used to tell him he should go on Jeopardy. Underneath Mike's rough exterior there was a heart of gold. None of us know what really lies in the hearts of others. Sometimes due to life circumstances we are afraid to tell you who we really are. In the last two years of Mike's journey, he showed us that side of him and fought to live not so much for himself, but for his wife, sister and countless others who could not bear to give him up. He is now with family and friends who have gone before him. We will all miss, love and never forget you. Mike will live on in his music until we meet again!

We would like to thank all of Mike's medical providers, Dr. Todd Whitmann, Dr. Anthony Vaccaro, Dr. Joanne Astile, Dr. Sadaf Mir and Dr. Steven Deso for your care and concern for Mike and his loved ones all through his journey. To all his friends and family who were always there for him whenever he needed you; this is what gave Mike a reason to continue on and more time. At each stage of his journey he would say he was going to the window at the Casino to see if he could get more chips (time). He endured so much pain and suffering for the sake of others who needed him just a little longer. A special thanks to Rachael Hite, NP who Mike was so grateful for her loving care and honesty right to the end.

Calling hours will be on Monday, Aug. 22, 2022, from 3 to 6 p.m. at Heald Funeral Home located at 48 Court Street, Plattsburgh, N.Y. Donations may be made to the family of Michael McCorry or Margaret McCorry. There will be a Celebration of Life to be held Sept. 11th, 2022, further details to follow.

To light a memorial candle or leave an online condolence please visit www.healdfuneralhomeinc.com

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Carol R. Mitchell

December 12, 1946 - August 12, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Carol Rennell Mitchell, 75, of Plattsburgh, passed away Friday, Aug. 12, 2022, at her home in the loving care of her daughter, Tina, and Nurse Heather from Hospice of the North Country. She passed on privately, as she wanted, but had many special family members and friends, sending her love and prayers. She was born in Plattsburgh on Dec. 12, 1946, the daughter of David Dewey and Adelaide (Parrotte) Rennell.

Carol was the oldest of five siblings and had many stories of growing up in a big family in Plattsburgh on "The Hill." Stories of snow storms, evening picnics at the City beach, Sunday drives to Port Kent, and walks around the block. She graduated from Our Lady of Victory Academy in 1964. She then went on to school at Champlain Valley School of Nursing in Plattsburgh, where she graduated in 1967.

Her career as a nurse was more than a career. It was truly her calling. If you were a patient of hers, you had one of the most skilled, knowledgeable, caring, honest, and hard-working nurses. She was a fierce advocate for her patients and she had the ability to connect with people that made all the difference. She told you the truth and then told it again, although, she always made you laugh at the same time. Her calling took her to Champlain Valley Hospital (N.Y.), Ellenville Community Hospital (N.Y.), Springfield Hospital (Vt.), Central Vermont Hospital (Vt.), Copley Hospital (Vt.), Central Vermont Home Health and Hospice (Vt.), Evergreen Nursing Home (N.Y.), Clinton County Home Care (N.Y.), and finally to Clinton County Mental Health Clinic (N.Y.). She took a break from nursing for a few years, in order to be available to her children as they went through school. During those years she worked for The State of Vermont in various departments.

Being a Mother was her second calling. She worked so very hard, as a single Mother, to make sure her children were taken

care of and loved. She never missed a school concert, art show, parent/teacher conference, sporting event, or awards banquet. She was the Mom that was there, always. She was also the Sister, the Aunt, the Grammy, and the Friend that could be counted on. Her grandchildren held a very special place in her heart. She was so proud of each and every one of them. Her sense of humor was ever present, her smile was unforgettable, her intelligence allowed her to speak on many different topics, and her ability to accept life's ups and downs with grace was amazing. Her strength was unmatched.

She is survived and cherished by her daughters, Renee Bates (William), Tina Mitchell (Troy Cirillo); her son-in-law, Donald Fair (Veronica Eldred); her siblings, Thomas Rennell (Carol), Donna Belanger (William), Kathy O'Connor (Michael), a brother-in-law, Bruce Stevens; her grandchildren, Taylor A. Fair, Maxwell C. Fair, Hannah C. Fair, Shelby J. Midgett, and Marcus A. Midgett; eleven nieces and nephews; and numerous grand-nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her parents, David Dewey Rennell and Adelaide (Parrotte) Rennell and her sister, Susan (Rennell) Stevens.

A very special thank you goes out to Dr. Elise Everett and all of her amazing team members (especially the ever-sassy Jordan).

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of the North Country.

Calling hours will be on Thursday, Aug. 18, 2022, from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated Friday, Aug. 19, 2022, at 11 a.m. at Our Lady of Victory Church.

Arrangements entrusted to Brown Funeral Home in Plattsburgh. Online condolences may be offered at www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com.

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Ruth Carolyn Murphy

January 29, 1928 - August 11, 2022

PHOENIX — Ruth Carolyn Murphy, 94, of Phoenix, A.Z. passed away peacefully, on Aug. 11, 2022 under the care of Hospice of the Valley. Ruth was born on Jan. 29, 1928 in Stony Point, N.Y. to Robert and Marion Baisley.

She graduated from SUNY at Plattsburgh and taught at several area schools, but retired from Assumption of Mary School in Redford, N.Y. after 20 years. She met the love of her life, Leonard V. Murphy Sr. in Plattsburgh and they were married for 68 years. Ruth is survived by her seven children: Leonard Jr. (Debbie), Robert (Jean), Thomas (Eileen), Carol Kircher (Blaine Robinson), Susan Passino (Scott), James (Joan), Janice Howard (Davi), 14 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren. Ruth is predeceased by her parents and sister, Betty Pohl and brother, Robert Baisley. She will be greatly missed, but is at peace with the Lord.

Per Ruth's wishes, a private family celebration will be scheduled. Donations in the memory of Ruth Murphy can be made to Hospice of the Valley. Leonard and Ruth both received exceptional care from them. (<https://www.hov.org/donate/>) Hospice of the Valley 1510 E. Flower St. Phoenix, A.Z. 85014





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RICHARD NARO, 84, of Altona, died Aug. 22, 2022, at CVPH. Visitation Monday, Aug. 29, 2022, from 1 to 2 p.m. at Brown Funeral Home in Altona. Services 2 p.m. Burial with honors in Holy Angels Cemetery.

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John David Pelkey

December 09, 1942 - August 30, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — John David Pelkey, 79, of Cumberland Head, succumbed to cancer and renal failure on Aug. 30, 2022. He was born the youngest child of Marshall and Florence (Beauharnois) Pelkey on Dec. 9, 1942, in Plattsburgh.

John graduated from Our Lady of Victory Academy where he was active in athletics. He went on to earn both BS and MS degrees in Education from SUNY Plattsburgh. John began his teaching career downstate, where he also coached basketball. He returned home to teach elementary school and then math, in Plattsburgh. He was dedicated to his students, including the many student teachers he mentored. John became actively involved in establishing and supporting the local chapter of NY-SUT. He was also instrumental in developing a mentoring program in cooperation with the SUNY Education Department. He was proud to have been invited to present this program to the national Association of Mathematics Teacher Educators.

John is predeceased by his parents, brothers Arthur and Joseph, and sister Patricia Hanlon. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Jennie (Sam), his adored daughter Johnna Beth, his sister Mary Mihal, and many cherished nieces and nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to call on Wednesday, September 7th, from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Heald Funeral Home, 48 Court St., Plattsburgh, N.Y. A memorial Mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of Victory on Thursday, September 8th, at noon.

In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of John D. Pelkey may be made to the American Cancer Society, or the charity of one's choice.

To light a memorial candle or leave an online condolence please visit www.healdfuneralhomeinc.com

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James Edward Pepper

October 21, 1948 - August 18, 2022



LAKE PLACID — James E. Pepper, 73, formerly of Moriah, N.Y., passed away after a lengthy illness at Elderwood of Uihlein in Lake Placid, N.Y., on Aug. 18, 2022. He was born in Cheever, N.Y., on Oct. 21, 1948, the son of the late James C. Pepper and Janet (Blowers) Pepper.

James, also known as Jim or Pepper, worked for many years driving cement truck and hauling milk for local farmers. He loved watching the railroad, socializing, and spending time with family and friends. The last 8 years

he had spent time making friends and developing relationships with his nursing home caregivers and friends. His biggest enjoyment was telling stories and giving a big warm hug. Before entering the nursing home, you could see him riding around on his scooter visiting with old friends, new friends, and strangers. He would never give up an opportunity to visit no matter who you were, or where he was. Jim enjoyed listening to music from local artists. During his younger years he spent time going to blue grass festivals with his dad. There were not many people that you could bring up in discussion that Jim didn't know.

He was predeceased by parents, James and Janet Pepper and one brother-in-law, Elmer Ashe. He is survived by 3 daughters, Darcie Goff (Kevin Jr), Tara Ploof (Wyatt), and Alicia Odell (Josh), 10 grandchildren, Emily Estus, Mark Estus, Kevin Goff III, Kadien Goff, Ian Ploof, Ethan Ploof, Brayden O'Dell, Kobie O'Dell, Sophia Ellsworth and Alivia Ellsworth, a sister, Barbara Ashe and many other friends and family.

The family wants to extend their gratitude and thanks to the many caregivers he has had over the last 8 years. Most recently to those that have grown to love him at Elderwood in Lake Placid.

There will be no calling hours; a celebration of life will be scheduled at a later date. Donations can be made in his memory to any activities department at local nursing homes to help others enjoy music and entertainment.

GEORGE POTTS, 76, West Chazy, N.Y., passed away Monday, Aug. 22, 2022. He was born in Maryland, Jan. 14, 1946, the son of George and Bartolia Potts. There will be no services. Arrangements are entrusted to Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh.

RICHARD PRESTON died Aug. 19, 2022. Visitation will be the 22nd from 6 to 8 p.m. at Clark Funeral Home in Lake Placid. Funeral will be August 23rd at 11 a.m. at funeral home followed by North Elba Cemetery.

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Betty J. Rivers

April 09, 1937 - August 17, 2022



WEST CHAZY — Betty J. Rivers, 85, of LaPlante Road in West Chazy, passed away Wednesday, Aug. 17, 2022, at the UVM Health Network-CVPH with family by her side. She was born in Champlain on April 9, 1937, the daughter of the late Ernest and Mary (Garrow) Boulterice.

Betty worked at CVPH for over 30 years as a Nurses Aide and then moving to Physical Therapy and retiring in 1996. After retirement, she and her husband Howard enjoyed camping and spending time with

their grandchildren.

She is survived by a daughter, Cheryl LaValley of Beekmantown, a daughter-in-law, Tammy Rivers of West Virginia; her sisters, Sandra Noonan of West Chazy, Barbara Rawson of Saratoga Springs; her grandchildren, Vickie Tabor, Carrie Girard, Crystal Smith, Brandy Rivers; her great-grandchildren, Andrew LaBarge and Abigail Lindeman, Michael and Elizabeth Smith, a great-great-granddaughter, Magnolia Rayne LaBarge, and several nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her husband Howard Rivers, a son Howard "Joe" Rivers, and her brothers, Bucky Garrow, Roland Boulterice and Larry Boulterice.

Calling hours will be held on Monday, Aug. 22, 2022, from 12 to 2 p.m. at the Brown Funeral Home, 29 Broad St. in Plattsburgh. Funeral services will follow at 2 p.m. in the Brown Funeral Home Chapel. Entombment will be in the Plattsburgh Community Mausoleum.

Memorial donations may be offered to the FitzPatrick Cancer

Center. Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home, 29 Broad St., Plattsburgh, NY 12901 (518) 561-3980.

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Helen M. Santori

December 26, 1928 - August 23, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Helen M. Santori, 93, of Plattsburgh, passed away Tuesday, Aug. 23, 2022, at Meadowbrook Healthcare Facility. She was born in Brooklyn, N.Y., on Dec. 26, 1928, the daughter of Michael and Nettie (LaValley) Santori.

She worked for over 16 years in the Plattsburgh City Chamberlain Office. She later worked for many businesses until her retirement in 1993. She was a member of the Sweet Adeline's and the Altar Rosary

Society.

She is survived by her caregivers, Chris and Rocky Giroux, and many cousins. She was predeceased by her parents, and her sister Carmella Defayette and her husband Ephraim.

Visitation will be on Friday, Aug. 26, 2022, from 10:30 to 11 a.m. at the Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. A funeral service will follow in the funeral home chapel. Burial will follow in Mt. Carmel Cemetery.

Arrangements entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home, 29 Broad St., Plattsburgh, NY 12901 (518) 561-3980.

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Ingeborg Beyer Sapp

October 16, 1932 - August 23, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Plattsburgh resident Ingeborg Beyer Sapp, 89, died Tuesday night, Aug. 23, 2022.

Ingeborg (Inge) Beyer was born on Oct. 16, 1932, in Leipzig, Germany. At a young age she was exposed to the harsh reality of World War II and lived under the dreary conditions of East Germany after the war. As a young girl she joined the local rowing club and quickly distinguished herself as an exceptional rower. Rowing races exposed her to life in West Germany and she

yearned for the better life it offered. On Feb. 28, 1951, at the age of 18, she packed two pieces of luggage, kissed her parents goodbye and headed toward the border between East and West Germany. That night, between the changing of guards, she and a friend dashed across the border towards what they hoped would be a better life. Many years later, at an outdoor Shakespeare play in West Germany, a chance encounter led to her meeting and eventually marrying her husband of forty years, Dr. Robert Wall Sapp. They had two children, Randolph (Andree) and William (Allison Burdette).

Inge traveled extensively throughout the United States and the World. Some of her trips included Hawaii, Alaska, China,

Europe and Africa. Despite these travels, her favorite region was the North Country - especially the family camp on Eagle Crag Lake. She was passionate about the Adirondacks and instilled a love of nature and the outdoors in her children and grandchildren. She shared her knowledge and experiences through her art, story telling, and books. She also authored wilderness poems known as Inge's Notebook which were published weekly in the Tupper Lake Free Press for several years. Inge raised her family in Tupper Lake, N.Y., before moving to Plattsburgh in 2001.

Inge was an avid dog lover and always had a dog beside her. Her most recent dog, Molly, was a rescue dog who she loved dearly. In addition, Inge was a keen observer of nature's creatures and it was not uncommon for her to help mend a wild bird or animal that was injured.

Inge strongly believed in giving back to the community and actively volunteered in numerous organizations during her lifetime. Some of these include: Friends of Mount Arab, Coordination of the Transport of Cancer Patients from Tupper Lake to Plattsburgh, Adirondack Mountain Club, Planned Parenthood of the North Country, Plattsburgh Public Library, and the League of Women Voters of the North Country.

She leaves five grandchildren: Maile Sapp, Everett Sapp, Hillary Burdette-Sapp (Taylor Warren), Hayes Burdette-Sapp and Harper Burdette-Sapp. Inge was predeceased by her husband Robert in 2001.

A celebration of life will be scheduled during the summer of 2023 in Tupper Lake, N.Y.

The family suggests donations to the League of Women Voters of the North Country or Friends of Mount Arab.

George Sherwin

May 08, 1941 - June 08, 2022

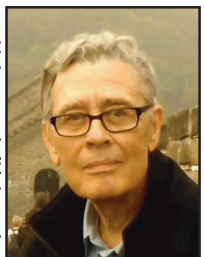


MURRELLS INLET — George Rhodes "Gerry" Sherwin, 81, died on June 8, 2022, in Murrells Inlet, S.C., at home with family, friends, and hospice care. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, August 27th, at 1 P.M., Goldfinch Funeral Home Beach Chapel, 11528 Frontage Rd. (US 17 Bypass) Murrells Inlet, S.C. Reverend Margaret Allen Hiller from Unity MB will officiate. The service will be live streamed.

Visit www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/sherwin. Mr. Sherwin's obituary will have the live stream link posted 15 minutes before service time. Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is handling arrangements.

Noel Wilson Smith

November 02, 1933 - August 14, 2022



SARASOTA — Noel Wilson Smith, 88, of Sarasota, Fla., died on Aug. 14, 2022. He was born Nov. 2, 1933, in Marion, Ind., to Anthony Smith and Mary (Wilson) Smith. He graduated from Indiana University in 1955, and completed graduate studies at the University of Colorado (M.A. 1958) and Indiana University (Ph.D. 1962). Noel was Professor of Psychology at the State University of New York (SUNY) Plattsburgh, where he retired from teaching in 1995 after 32 years. He continued his academic research in retirement, holding positions as Professor Emeritus at SUNY Plattsburgh, Courtesy Professor at The University of Florida, and Fellow in the American Psychological Association. Noel also held offices in the American Association of University Professors (AAUP) where he was active in advocating for academic freedom. He authored multiple books including "Current Systems in Psychology: Theory, Research, and Applications" (with edition in Russian) and "An Analysis of Ice Age Art: Its Psychology and Belief System," he co-authored with J.R. Kantor "The Science of Psychology: An Interbehavioral Survey" (with edition in Spanish); and he published numerous journal articles on prehistorical, historical, and interbehavioral psychology. He published his last book, "The Myth of Mind: A Challenge to Mainstream

Psychology and its Imposed Constraints," in 2016 at the age of 82.

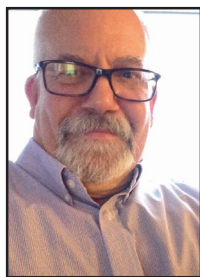
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Noel was interested in almost everything about the world and its people, with particular interests in anthropology, pre-history, ancient Greece, and the architecture of Frank Lloyd Wright. He loved to travel and explore the world, with particular fondness for vineyard regions where a fine red wine could be found. He shared his adventures and enthusiasm with his family during many travels together, visiting ancient sites throughout Greece and Europe, roaming Scotland and Norway by camper-van during a year as visiting professor at Hull College in England, and in many camping trips across the U.S. and Canada. In retirement Noel traveled to South America, Africa, and Asia, and twice visited Lithuania, the 'old country' his grandparents emigrated from, to research and document the family history. Noel enjoyed skiing and hiking in the Rockies and Adirondack Mountains in his younger days, and kayaking, wildlife viewing, and bicycling after moving to Florida in retirement. He had a lifelong interest in photography, with a vast collection of photographs from black-and-white to Kodachrome to digital. In 1999 Noel founded the Humanists of Sarasota Bay (Husbay) where he made many friends, serving as its president until 2008.

Noel was predeceased by his parents and brother Paul Smith, and is survived by his wife Ursula Levy of Sarasota, Fla., sons Thor Smith of Concord, N.H., and Lance Smith (Connie Heye) of W. Hartford, Conn., grandchildren Karina Heye-Smith of Ann Arbor, Mich., and Seth Heye-Smith of Providence, R.I., nephews Kevin Smith of Chicago, Ill., and Rodney Smith of Dallas, Texas, and first wife Marilyn (Coleman) Smith of Plattsburgh, N.Y. A memorial service is planned for a future date. Memorial donations may be made to the Humanists of Sarasota Bay, Inc. (husbay.org).

Shawn Thomas Thompson-Snow

February 19, 1953 - July 31, 2022



LINCOLN — Beloved, beloved husband to Barbara, father to Carissa and Sam (and in-law to Josie), grandfather to Max and Theo, godparent and uncle to Justine, brother to Bill and brother-in-law to Jim, Dave, Scott and their families, uncle to Chad, son-in-law to Rev. James. So many memories and so much love shared with family, with the family of the United Church of Lincoln, the Lincoln community.

Giver and lover of laughter and music and family, Shawn touched so many lives with his care and joy both as a family man, community member, and in his work as a counselor.

Shawn's life was celebrated Saturday evening, August 6th, at the United Church of Lincoln, as he had wished, with joyful noises, bright colors, and a wonderful assembly of people whose lives he had touched.

His hope throughout life, verbalized often... to be remembered as a caring and devoted father, husband, family man and as one who helped people.

If you are moved to honor Shawn's memory, he believed in helping the living. Please consider a contribution to the Multiple Myeloma Research Foundation or a charity you feel reflects your relationship with Shawn.

TERRA STERLING entered the gates of heaven Aug. 17, 2022, in the presence of her Lord and savior. Funeral services will be Aug. 27, 2022, Bible Baptist Church, 4635 US-9, Plattsburgh, N.Y., at 3 p.m. Arrangements with Brown Funeral Home.

THOMAS STEWART died Aug. 26, 2022, in Plattsburgh. Calling hours will be Aug. 31, 2022, from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at Brown Funeral Home. Funeral service will follow at 11 a.m.; burial will be at Mount Carmel Cemetery.

STRACK - Ida Strack, 81, of Route 22B, passed away Aug. 31, 2022. She was born in Plattsburgh on Dec. 17, 1940, daughter of Samuel and Matilda (LaValley) Racette. Visitation will be held on Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022, from 12 to 1 p.m. at the R.W. Walker Funeral Home in Plattsburgh. A funeral service will follow at 1 p.m. in the funeral home chapel. Burial will take place at a later date in Assumption Cemetery in Redford. Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh.

Diane J. Szczypien

October 02, 1943 - August 11, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Diane J. Szczypien, 78, of 92 Boynton Ave., Plattsburgh, passed away peacefully at her home on Aug. 11, 2022.

She was born in Southbridge, Mass., on Oct. 2, 1943, the daughter of Wilfred and Florence Fafard. Diane was married to her loving husband, John, on Sept. 18, 1965. Left to cherish her memory are her husband of 56 years, John; 3 children (spouses), John (Roberta), Stacey (Todd) Sterling, Scott; grandchildren Brittany (Chris) Trombley, Alyssa, Sara and Sean Szczypien; great-grandchildren Aria and Dayne Reinman; and several cousins, nieces and nephews, and one sister, Beverly, of Southbridge, Mass.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her sister, Patricia.

There will be no calling hours.

Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. Online condolences may be offered at www.brownsfuneralhomeinc.com



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Sandra Jean Tavernia

June 21, 1947 - September 01, 2022



MORRISONVILLE — Sandra Jean Tavernia, 75, of Route 22 B, Morrisonville, died Thursday, Sept. 1, 2022, at CVPH Medical Center in Plattsburgh, surrounded by family and joining the love of her life a decade after he left this earth.

She was born in Plattsburgh on June 21, 1947, the daughter of Raymond and Margaret (LaDue) Sherman, and graduated from Saranac High School in 1965.

That year, she met Bernard Tavernia, with whom she would spend her life. Both worked at the Neisner Brothers department store in Plattsburgh — he in the stockroom, she in the shoe department. On their first date, Bernie, as he was known, drove her to his hometown of Constable, N.Y., for his family's traditional Sunday baseball game. A cousin told her she must be special because he had never let a girl sit on the bench.

She graduated from Our Lady of Victory Secretarial School in Plattsburgh in 1966. She and Bernie were married Sept. 9, 1967, at St. Alexander's Church in Morrisonville, where they would become regular parishioners.

The night he proposed, they stopped at a payphone to give their parents the news, full of excitement.

For years she and Bernie lived with little, moving between seven states as he took jobs managing retail stores. Along the

way they had two children, James and Lynn.

The family moved to Morrisonville in 1976, where Sandy, as she was called, lived the rest of her life.

She spent the bulk of her career at the Plattsburgh Press-Republican newspaper, working in advertising from 1985 until her retirement in 2010.

Sandy enjoyed vacationing to the Dominican Republic and Florida, supporting her grandchildren and visiting her son's deli for special olive and cream cheese sandwiches.

She was an avid fan of her grandchildren's gymnastics, football, baseball, hockey and soccer teams. She and Bernie made a ritual of Sunday breakfast with friends after Mass.

The couple liked occasional visits to casinos, too. As a retiree, she loved spending extra time with family and friends, volunteering at her church and relaxing at home with books and coffee.

After Bernie's death Dec. 29, 2012, she kept a note from him in her nightstand to read on hard days. "If something ever happens to me you keep going for those kids and grandkids and believe that someday you'll see my love again," he wrote in that letter. Now she has.

Survivors include son James R. (Jim) Tavernia of Peru; daughter-in-law Polly Tavernia of Peru; daughter Lynn M. and son-in-law David Trombly of Chazy; grandsons Justin and Nathan Trombly of Burlington, Vt., and Chazy, respectively; granddaughter Sarah Tavernia and companion Seth Schaefer of Peru; grandson Michael Tavernia of Peru; great-granddaughter Jacklyn of Peru; brother-in-law Kenneth Tavernia and wife Joanne of Naples, Fla.; sister-in-law Deborah Foote and husband James Seeber of Massena; sisters-in-law Brenda Fleury of Constable and Susan Tavernia of Albany; adopted sister Jane "Josie" Way; and several nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

She was predeceased by her parents, husband and brothers-in-law Daniel Fleury and R. Palmer Foote.

Calling hours will be held Wednesday, September 7th, from 4 to 7 p.m. at R.W. Walker Funeral Home in Plattsburgh.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. the next day, Thursday, at St. Alexander's Church in Morrisonville. Burial will follow in the parish cemetery.

Memorial donations can be sent to St. Alexander's Church in Morrisonville. To share a photo, story or condolence with the family, please visit rwwalkerfh.com

Arrangements are in the care of the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court St., Plattsburgh, N.Y.

R. W. Walker Funeral Home
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TETREAU - Michael Tetreault, 97, of Champlain, passed away Friday, Aug. 12, 2022, at the CVPH Medical Center surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Champlain on Sept. 29, 1924, the son of Eldege and Maria (Poulin) Tetreault. A private service will be held for the family. To share a photo, story or condolence with the family, visit www.rwwalkerfh.com. Arrangements are with the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh, N.Y.

Pearl L. Tourville

November 16, 1931 - August 30, 2022



ELLENBURG CENTER — Pearl Lorraine Tourville, 90, of Steam Mill Road, was gently lead home by Jesus on Aug. 30, 2022.

She was born on Nov. 16, 1931, daughter of George and Margaret (Coon) Senecal.

Pearl married Gordon W. Tourville on Nov. 25, 1949, at St. Edmund's Church in Ellenburg. He predeceased her on July 11, 1988.

She then spent the next 35 years in her little home on West Hill, where she spent her days tending to her gardens and pets.

She enjoyed her life.

Mom was tough as nails, feisty, and witty, but most of all, loving and a fighter to the end. She really did do it her way.

She spent her last years with her daughter Laurie where she was adoringly cared for every day.

Before coming ill she was a proud member of the Catholic Daughters and the Altar and Rosary Society.

She was a guiding mom to Gordon (Juanita), William, Thomas (Theresa), Catherine (John), Laurie, and David (Cindy). She was also a wonderful grandmother to Aaron, Scott, Bryan, Brad, Dawn, Amanda, Jessica, and Jauni. She loved being a great-grandmother and a great-great-grandmother.

Pearl was also predeceased by her son Bill; infant son, Francis; brother, Eddie; and sisters, Helen and Evelyn.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Friday, Sept. 2, 2022, at 12 p.m. in St. Edmund's Church. Entombment will follow in the Town of Ellenburg Mausoleum.

Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting www.rabideaufuneralhome.com.

Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the Rabideau Funeral Home, 5614 Route 11, Ellenburg, N.Y.

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Janet M. Trombley

May 15, 1949 - August 26, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Janet M. Trombley, 73, of Plattsburgh, passed away peacefully on Friday, Aug. 26, 2022, at her home under the loving care of her family and Hospice of the North Country.

She was born in Mooers on May 15, 1949, the daughter of Frederick and June (Ormsbee) Lawrence.

Janet loved painting, gardening and camping; and she was an amazing cook. When it came to scrabble she couldn't be

beat. She adored her family and especially all of her grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

She is survived by her four children, Tabitha Trombley, Tina Ellis, Tony Trombley, and Denise Sill.

There will be no public calling hours or services. The family will have a private celebration in memory of Janet.

In addition to her parents, Janet was predeceased by her husband of 54 years, Ronnie L. Trombley (2021).

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru, 643-9055. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Janet Trombley please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com

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Walter J. Trombley

October 13, 1936 - August 31, 2022



ELLENBURG CENTER — Walter J. Trombley, 85, of West Hill Road, passed away Aug. 31, 2022, surrounded by his loving family.

He was born Oct. 13, 1936, son of Charles and Laura (Bushey) Trombley.

Walter married the former Anne Moore on April 7, 1956. Anne predeceased him on May 14, 2021. He and Anne worked alongside each other on the family farm for many years.

Walter had also worked at various other places including the St. Lawrence Seaway, the Plattsburgh Air Force Base, the Clinton County Government Center and Northern Adirondack Central School.

Walter was also very involved in his community, serving as a

councilman for the Town of Ellenburg, a volunteer fire fighter in Ellenburg Center, past president of the Clinton Essex Holstein Club, and was also a 4th degree Knight with the Knights of Columbus.

Survivors include his children, Walter R. (Darlene) Trombley, Michael (Kim) Trombley, Laurie Bulriss Ano and Lisa (Tony) Nephew; grandchildren, Jennifer (James) Vanvalkenburg, Michelle (Matthew) Lawrence, Haley (Matt) Arnold, Cody (Courtney) Trombley, Casey (Jess) Bulriss, Cordell Ano, Tyler Nephew (Karen LaBombard), Rebecca Nephew, and Matthew Nephew; great-grandchildren, Zachary and Teegan Vanvalkenburg, Yazmine, Madilyn and Ethan Lawrence, Sophie and Ryker Trombley, Arianna and Tanner Nephew, and Brantley and Colton Bulriss; and many step grandchildren whom he was very fond of along with numerous nieces, nephews and friends.

Walter was predeceased by his parents; daughter-in-law, Patti Trombley; sons-in-law, Glen Bulriss and Roy Ano; grandson, Corey Bulriss; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Floyd Moore and Frances Boyea; siblings, Richard, Laverne and Marjorie; brothers-in-law, Ken Powers, Bernard Whalen, and Roger Barcomb; and sisters-in-law, Theolus Trombley and Martha Trombley.

Visitation will be held on Monday, September 5th, from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Rabideau Funeral Home in Ellenburg. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Tuesday at 11 a.m. in St. Edmund's Church. Entombment will follow in the Town of Ellenburg Mausoleum.

Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting www.rabideaufuneralhome.com.

Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the Rabideau Funeral Home, 5614 Route 11, Ellenburg.

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Raymond J. Varin

April 24, 1937 - August 14, 2022



ELLENBURG DEPOT — Raymond J. "Joe" Varin Sr., 85, of Chazy Lake, N.Y., passed away on Sunday, Aug. 14, 2022, at CVPH with his wife of 66 years close by. He was born in Chazy Lake on April 24, 1937, the son of Raymond and Catherine (Dubrey) Varin.

Joe was raised on the family farm in Chazy Lake where he spent much of his time working with his father. Joe met his wife, Carolyn (Benware) as teenagers and they were married on June 9, 1956, in St.

Bernard's Church, Lyon Mt., N.Y. They had two sons, Raymond "Joey" and Kenny. He worked on the farm, and drove plow truck for the Town of Dannemora. He started as a night watchman at Clinton Correctional Facility, moving up as a painter, Maintenance Supervisor and retired as Plant Superintendent with 37 years of service. After retirement, he continued to work on the farm with his sons, spent time at his hunting camp "The Big Horn Hunting Club" with his close friends, and loved to golf every week when he was able. He was a real outdoorsman and was always on the move in his blue Dickies. Joe was a man of routine, faith, blunt honesty and a great storyteller.

He is predeceased by his parents, his sisters, Barbara, Genevieve, and daughter-in-law, Debbie. He is survived by his beloved wife, Carolyn, his sons, Joey and Kenny (Margaret) Varin, four grandchildren: Stephanie Varin, Kenny Varin, Alyssa (Mark) King, and Brittany Varin, four great-grandchildren: Mason, Brooklyn, Emma and one more on the way, and

many nieces and nephews.

Calling hours will be held on Thursday, Aug. 18, 2022, from 3 to 6 p.m. at the Brown Funeral Home, 29 Broad St. in Plattsburgh. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Friday, Aug. 19, 2022, at 11 a.m. at St. Bernard's Church in Lyon Mountain. Interment will follow in the parish cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association.

Arrangements are entrusted to the Brown Funeral Home in Plattsburgh. Online condolences may be offered at www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com



PATRICIA VERKEY, 69, passed Aug. 23, 2022, in Lake Placid. She was born at Camp Lejeune, N.C., July 31, 1953. A Mass will be celebrated Tuesday, Aug. 30, 2022, at 10 a.m., St. John's Church. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery.

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William Wells

August 05, 1957 - August 25, 2022



GLENS FALLS — William (Billy) Wells, 65, of Glens Falls, N.Y., and formerly of Plattsburgh, N.Y., passed away Thursday, Aug. 25, 2022, at home following a long illness.

Born on Aug. 5, 1957, in Altus, Okla., he was the son of Lawrence and Sandra (Helm) Wells of Queensbury, N.Y.

Billy graduated from Peru Central School in 1975. He went on to work as an Electronic Technician in the U.S. Navy for six years on various ships, and later at the Missile Training Center in White Sands, N.M. Billy had the distinction of being one of the first employees of Coinstar and aided this company in its successful venture. Billy lived in Chicago for many years and eventually moved back to the Glens Falls, and later Plattsburgh area to be near family.

Billy's passion was music and would often be playing his guitar at various family gatherings. His collection of albums was something he was so proud of.

Survivors include his parents, Lawrence and Sandra; his best friend and sister who was his advocate/caregiver and with whom he shared an inseparable bond throughout the years, Jodi Sheridan and her husband Thomas of Bolton Landing, N.Y., as well as his two sisters, Theresa Ruoff and her husband Mark of Hillsdale, N.J., and Paradox, N.Y., and Regina Wells of Queensbury, N.Y.; four brothers, Joseph Wells of Queensbury, Michael Wells and his wife Lisa of Corinth, N.Y., Todd Wells and his wife Stacy of Gansevoort, N.Y., and Scott Wells and his wife Emily of Scotia, N.Y. He is also survived by 18 nieces and nephews, Joseph Sheridan (Amanda), Kasey Ferguson, Jennifer Wells, Daniel Sheridan (Kristen) including his great-nephew Declan and great-niece Ava Sheridan, Phoebe Wells, Katrina Briggs Lyons (Sean), Gregory Wells, Matthew Wells, Miles Malik, Noah Malik, Colden Wells, Nolan Wells, Megan Wells, Kaitlyn Wells, Andrew Wells, Briar Wells, Mark Ruoff (Julia) and LeAnn Ruoff. He is also survived by his ex-wife Lisa Ganch Carroll of Chicago, Ill., with whom he shared many great years in Chicago; and his uncle, Jim Wells, who was his best friend and someone he considered a brother.

Billy was predeceased by his grandmothers, Hildred Helm and Francis Wells; many cherished aunts and uncles; and his beloved cousin Derrick Wells who died in 2021 at the age of 65.

Calling hours will take place Monday, Aug. 29, 2022, from 2 to 4 p.m. at Maynard Baker Funeral Home, 11 Lafayette St., Queensbury, NY 12804. Burial will be private at Gerald B.H.

Solomon Saratoga National Cemetery, 200 Duell Road, Schuylerville, NY 12871.

Condolences and floral arrangements may be sent directly to Baker Funeral Home, 11 Lafayette St., Queensbury, NY 12804, or through www.bakerfuneralhome.com.

Ann S. Wilke

May 09, 1933 - August 26, 2022



PERU, N.Y. — Ann Sears Robbins Wilke of Peru, N.Y., passed away peacefully on Thursday, Aug. 26, 2022, at Meadowbrook Healthcare with her loving family by her side. She was born in Boston, Mass., on May 9, 1933, the daughter of Harold B. and Olga (Osterhout) Sears. While attending UVM, Ann met and married Travers Robbins MD in 1953. Together they raised four children in Peru, N.Y. Ann's love of horses continued through her children and their horses, and other menagerie, on Silver Stream Farm. Ann was involved with Whispering Pines 4H, East Kiln's Pony Club, Peru Band Booster, Peru Community Church and Peru Zoning Board. She was a co-creator of Peru Dog Park.

In her forties, Ann graduated from Binghamton University with a Master's Hydrogeology degree. She taught at St. Peter's school then became the BOCES traveling StarLab educator.

Ann married Lynn Wilke in 1998. Together they created many happy musical and traveling memories.

Left to cherish her memory is her sister Olga (Sandy) Sears Karplus, daughters Lynn Robbins Manning (Howard), Diane Robbins Neyenhouse (James), Suzanne Robbins Frechette (Myles) and son David Robbins. She delighted in her eleven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Ann is predeceased by her husbands, Travers Robbins, MD and Lynn H. Wilke, her brother Harold H. (Kim) Sears and niece Wendy Sears Child.

A Celebration of Life service will be held on Thursday, Sept. 1, 2022, at 10:30 a.m. at the Peru Community Church with the Rev. Peggi J. Eller, presiding. Burial in St. Augustine's Cemetery will be private.

Donations in memory of Ann S. Wilke may be made to Peru Community Church or Elmore SPCA, Inc.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru, 643-9055. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Ann Wilke please visit www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com



WILSON - Gail Wilson, 84, of Lyon Mountain, passed away July 19, 2022. She was born in Lyon Mountain on June 14, 1938. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022, at 11 a.m. in St. Bernard's Church in Lyon Mountain. Burial will follow in the parish cemetery. Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the Rabideau Funeral Home, 5614 Route 11, Ellenburg, N.Y.



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