

# With Love & *Remembrance*

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# Isabelle EvaJane Ashline

October 17, 1933 - May 21, 2022



**MOOERS FORKS** — Isabelle EvaJane Ashline was born Oct. 17, 1933, to Marie Rose Lamial Boulerville and Orland Arther Boulerville. She was the 3rd child of ten children, seven girls and three boys. She graduated from Mooers High School in June 1952 with honors. She was allowed four years of cheerleading; also she had the honor of being selected the queen of the junior prom. After graduation she married Jerry Ashline; they were married 67 years. Jerry passed away June 21, 2019; he was a farmer all his life and loved repairing old tractors making them look new.



Isabelle was a farm secretary all her life, gardener, loved flowers and was know for her best pies and cookies. She worked at Ayest laboratory for 16 years. They were blessed with four children and she raised her granddaughter from 1-1/2 years old; she was like one of her own beautiful children. She had the privilege of teaching religion under guidance of the late Father Dwyer and the late Father McCasland for

20 years for the parish of Mooers Forks.

Left to cherish memories of Isabelle are two daughters, Jana Ashline Garrant and Joseph, Carol Ashline and Scott, Larry Ashline and Marlene; three sisters, Lorretta Lashway, Lorraine Castine, Yvonne Bourdeau and two brothers, Leonard and Real; five grandchildren, Holly Schindler, Shanna Ashline, Neil Ashline, Jessica Garran, Jacob Garran as well as five great-grandchildren.

Calling hours will be Monday, May 30, 2022, at the Ross Funeral Home in Mooers from 1 to 4. A Mass of Christian burial will be Tuesday, May 31, 2022, at 10:30 at St. Ann's Church in St. Ann's Cemetery.

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**BABBIE** - Patricia "Pat" Babbie, 80, of Peru, passed away on Jan. 7th, 2022. A graveside service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 4th, 2022, at St. Patrick's Cemetery, 46 Church Street, Rouses Point, N.Y. A Celebration of Life will be held afterwards starting at 1 p.m. at Livingood's Restaurant at 697 Bear Swamp Road, Peru, N.Y.

**BAER** - Richard Baer, 89, of Gilliland Lane, passed away Tuesday, May 31, 2022, surrounded by his family. Calling hours will be held on Friday, June 3, 2022, from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Church of the Nazarene in Plattsburgh. A funeral will be held at 11 a.m., followed by a reception in the church Fellowship Hall. Burial will be in Port Douglas Cemetery. To share a photo, story or condolence with the family, by visiting [www.rwwalkerfh.com](http://www.rwwalkerfh.com). Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh, N.Y.

# Joanne B. Barcomb

January 07, 1939 - May 20, 2022



**BATAVIA** — Joanne B. Barcomb, age 83, of Batavia, passed away on Friday, May 20, 2022, at LeRoy Village Green Nursing Home.

Mrs. Barcomb was born Saturday, Jan. 7th, 1939, in Churubusco, N.Y., a daughter of the late Armand Decosse and Doria Tremblay Decosse.

A member of St. Padre Pio Parish, she was a charter member of the Mooers Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary and a member of the Sodality of the Ladies of St.

Ann since 1977. She was an assistant Den Mother with Mooers Cub Scout Pack 37 for 10 years and was a member of the Mooers Forks Home Bureau.

Joanne is survived by her loving husband, Reginald Barcomb, whom she married on Sept. 27, 1958; her children, Michael (Karen) Barcomb, Dr. Alan (Catherine) Barcomb and Denise (Dr. Vincent) Frechette; her grandchildren, Ryan (Nicole Whitewood) Barcomb, Alexandra (Stephen Beagan) Barcomb, Marie Barcomb, James Barcomb and his companion Jessie Pierce, Elizabeth Barcomb, Daniel Barcomb, Hanaah (Justin) Bates, Nathan (Victoria) Frechette, Dr. Laena (Grant) Hines, the late Luke Frechette, Isaac Frechette and Natalia Frechette; her great-grandchildren, Amara Bates and Lilah Beagan; sisters, Helen Decoste of Plattsburgh and Shirley Barcomb of Mooers Forks, along with many nieces and nephews.

She is predeceased by her brother, Gerald Decosse; sisters, Annette Trombley, Anita Trombley-McCann and Pauline Barcomb; sister-in-law, Leatrice Decosse; and brothers-in-law, Clarence Trombley, Ross Trombley, Hugh McCann, Roma DeCoste, Lionel Barcomb and Jacques Barcomb.

The family wishes to sincerely thank the wonderful care providers at the LeRoy Village Green for their excellent care given to Joanne over the past six years of her residency.

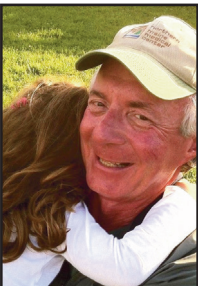
There are no prior visiting hours. Joanne's funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 25th, 2022, at St. Padre Pio Parish - St. Cecilia's Worship Site, 56 Maple Avenue, Oakfield. She will be laid to rest in St. Cecilia's Cemetery, Oakfield.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Sunshine Fund at the LeRoy Village Green Nursing Home, 10 Munson Street, LeRoy, NY 14482 or St. Padre Pio Parish, 56 Maple Avenue, Oakfield, NY 14125. To leave a condolence, share a story or light a candle in Joanne's memory, please visit [www.burdettandsanford.com](http://www.burdettandsanford.com).

**RITA F. BECHARD** of Chazy. Rita (Blondie) passed away on Nov. 19, 2021. Funeral service will be at St. Joseph's Church, Coopersville, on Saturday, May 21, 11 a.m., followed by a Celebration of Life at the American Legion, Rouses Point.

# Martin Benjamin Bernstein

April 12, 1944 - March 10, 2022



**FORT KENT** — Marty Bernstein passed away peacefully, surrounded by family and loved ones, on March 10, 2022. It is fitting that Marty's life ended at Northern Maine Medical Center, the hospital which brought him to his beloved community of Fort Kent, Maine, and to which he dedicated his life's work.

Marty was a loving, attentive father and grandfather, a compassionate and talented leader, and a highly engaged community servant with faith in the power of the people of the St. John Valley to accomplish amazing things together. An eternal optimist, it never occurred to him that he may not sur-

vive the cancer that killed him. Even when confronted with a dire prognosis, he maintained his gentle sense of humor and his easy confidence in both himself and in the institutions that provided him with a long, comfortable, and fulfilling life. Marty died a happy man with no regrets.

Marty, the son of a dentist and an artist, spent most of his childhood in Plattsburgh, N.Y., where he was a star basketball player. After stints at university and in the military, where he first became involved in his lifelong vocation of healthcare administration, he moved around the country with his young family looking for the perfect job. In 1984, he found that job as the CEO of Northern Maine Medical Center. He finally stopped renting and bought a house. He learned to drive a stick shift and operate a snow blower. Always up for a challenge, he even tried to learn conversational French to fit in better with his chosen community. It never worked, but his friends and neighbors and coworkers took it as the sign of respect he meant it to be.

Marty served the community as an avid Rotarian, and as a volunteer for far too many organizations to list. He was a lifelong ham radio operator, speaking and communicating in Morse code to thousands of people all over the world throughout the years. Many friends knew him primarily as KW1C, his call letters. He was a man of simple pleasures, who enjoyed a good meal, listening to live music, and taking care of his yard and radio gear. Marty was someone almost everyone was happy to see when he turned up. He had a gentle charisma, and a gift for making people feel like they had something to contribute, and were part of something important. He will be remembered fondly, and sorely missed.

Marty is survived by his faithful partner, Brenda, his sister, Melinda and her husband, Bob, his brother, Stanley, his son, Aaron and his wife, Susan, his son-in-law Franklin, his niece, Amanda, his nephew, Robbie, and grandchildren Solly, Miriam, Ziggy, Margaret, and Skyler and his partner Cass.

A celebration of life, The Marty Party, will be held outside under the big awning at The Lakeview Restaurant and Camping Resort in St. Agathe, Maine, on Sunday, Aug. 7, 2022, between 2 and 4 p.m. There will be music, food, and fun as we remember Marty.

**BEZIO** - A graveside service for Viola P. Bezio, 94, of Pleasant Street, Keeseville, who passed away Sunday, Dec. 26, 2021, at UVM Health Network, CVPH, in Plattsburgh, will be held Tuesday, May 24, 2022, at 10 a.m. in the Evergreen Cemetery in Keeseville with Rev. Kris Lauzon officiating.

**FLORENCE SHIRLEY SILVER BLOW**, "Sis," passed away on Thursday, May 25, 2022. Sis was surrounded by her loving family and courtesy of Hospice of the North Country. Arrangements with the Chateaugay Funeral Home.

# Eleanor Bouvia

November 19, 1932 - May 03, 2022

**DADE CITY** — Eleanor (June) Bouvia, 89, formerly of Plattsburgh, N.Y., passed away Tuesday, May 3, 2022, in Zephyrhills, Fla. She was the daughter of Phillip and Irene (Tellstone) Doucette.

Eleanor worked for SUNY Marriott Plattsburgh and PAFB as a cook. She also worked in Florida at a local golf course, the Moose Lodge, and Zephyrhills Walmart.

She was a member of Elks Club as well. She loved to cook, crochet, golf, and do crossword puzzles. She attended St. Joseph Catholic Church in Zephyrhills. Eleanor is predeceased by her parents, husband Lawrence (Jim) Bouvia, son Richard, son Lawrence (Larry), sisters Grace Doucette, Catherine Baker, Loretta Smalley, and daughter-in-law Mary Bouvia. She is survived by sons Robert Bouvia of Plattsburgh, N.Y., Steven and (Deborah) Bouvia of Knoxville, Tenn., and James and (Debra) Bouvia of Bonaire, Ga. Also survived by nine grandchildren and their spouses, and 14 great-grandchildren.

There will be no visitation. Graveside services will be held on Friday, May 13, 2022, at Oaks Cemetery in Zephyrhills at 11 a.m.

Arrangements by Whitfield Funeral Home, Zephyrhills, Fla. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Gulfside Hospice, Zephyrhills, Fla.



**DAVID BURGESS**, 62, of Mohican Lane, Plattsburgh, died May 27, 2022, at Albany Medical Center. A Mass of Christian burial will be June 3, 2022, 10:30 a.m., St. James Church in Cadyville, N.Y. Interment will follow in the parish cemetery.

## Gary Richard Burke

February 10, 1952 - May 10, 2022



**PERU** — Gary Richard Burke, 70, of Allen Hill Road, Peru, died May 10, 2022, at his home where he resided for 33 years with his loving family by his side and Hospice of the North Country.

He was born at Chelsea Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass., Feb. 10, 1952, the son of Robert Raymond and Joan Scott (Parker) Burke.

Gary was raised in Gloucester, Mass. He graduated from Gloucester High School and Newman Prep School. He loved the ocean to fish on the back shores where he would deep sea fish and snorkel for lobsters.

He was an avid outdoorsman. He enjoyed hunting in the mountains with his friends and family and gardening, planting flowers and vegetables. Gary enjoyed working the community service group.

Gary was a big fan of the Boston Red Sox, the New England Patriots and Tom Brady.

He retired from the Village of Keeseville where he worked for 17-1/2 years.

He was a kind, loving man with a big heart. "You took the rainbow trail to heaven and painted a beautiful sky that morning."

The family would like to thank Hospice of the North Country for the excellent care and support they provided.

Left to cherish the memory of Gary are, his loving wife of 36 happy years, Robin Burke; daughter, Amanda Burns and husband, Todd from Lady Lake, Fla.; granddaughter, Tegan Burns; mother, Joan Burke of Gloucester, Mass.; brother, Steve Burke and wife, Irene from Gloucester, Mass.; sisters, Sheila MacDowell and companion, Kirk Perry from Exeter, N.H., and Julie Whitaker and husband, Jeff from Gilford, N.H.; and many nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his father, Robert R. Burke.

Relatives and friends are invited to call Sunday, May 15, 2022, from Noon to 2 p.m. at Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru. A Celebration of Life Service will be held at 1:30 p.m. in the Hamilton Funeral Home Chapel.

Donations in his memory may be made to Hospice of the North Country, 358 Tom Miller Road, Plattsburgh, NY 12901.

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 Burke please visit [www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com)

## Joanne M. Bushey

March 02, 1955 - May 20, 2022



**BRAINARDSVILLE** — Joanne M. Harrigan Bushey, 67, of Brainardsville, passed away Friday, May 20, 2022, at UVM Medical Center, Burlington, Vt.

Born on March 2, 1955, in Malone, N.Y., she was the daughter of Thomas and Dorothy (Mansey) Harrigan.

Joanne graduated from Northern Adirondack Central School. In her earlier years, she worked for the Northstar Industries in Chateaugay and aided in the family operation of Harrigan's Ice Cream Stand. In later years, she was employed as a corrections officer at Franklin Correctional Facility, retiring in 2020 after 32 years of service. She was a communi-

cant of St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay. Joanne loved her dogs and enjoyed reading and working in her flower garden. She cherished spending time with her family and her beloved grandchildren.

Joanne is survived by her three children, Heather Magoon and her companion, Scott Guay of Churubusco, Bradley Bushey of Altona and Caitlin Miller of Lexington, Ky.; three grandchildren, Calvin and Kelsey Magoon and Greyson Bushey; eight brothers, Jim and his wife, Lynn, Bill and his wife, Angie, Frank, Dale, Gary and his wife, Jill, Scott and his wife, Shann, Todd and his wife, Diane, Tommy Joe and his wife, Kristy; a sister, Kathy Firlet and her husband, Joe; as well as many nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her parents; two brothers, Stephen and Paul; and a sister, Cynthia.

Calling hours will be held at the Chateaugay Funeral Home on Thursday, May 26, 2022, from 3 to 6 p.m.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay, on Friday, May 27, 2022, at 9:30 a.m.

Burial will take place at the Brainardsville Cemetery.

Donations in Joanne's memory may be made to a no kill animal shelter of your choice. Online condolences may be offered at [www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com](http://www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com).



**GAIL M. CARROW**, 69, of Saranac, passed away May 28, 2022, at Fletcher Allen Hospital in Burlington, Vt. A Mass of Christian burial will be June 7, 2022, at 12 p.m. at the Church of the Assumption, Redford, N.Y.

**MARCEL CHARLAND** left his earthly life May 10, 2022, after a long battle with Alzheimer's. Celebration of Life Memorial Service at Lamb of God Church, Estero, Fla., May 21st, at 11. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funeral in Fort Myers, Fla.

## Laura Beatrice Connor

January 05, 1987 - May 21, 2022



**PLATTSBURGH** — Laura Beatrice Connor (Perras) passed from this life into eternal salvation on Saturday, May 21st, 2022, at her home surrounded by her loving family and devoted husband. She had returned home under the care of Hospice of the North Country after over a decade battling Leukemia.

Laura was born in Plattsburgh on Jan. 5th, 1987, to Claude and Wanda (Ackerman) Perras of Mooers Forks, N.Y.

She attended Northeastern Clinton Central School where she graduated as the cumulative Valedictorian in 2005. She then went on to pursue an individualized degree at SUNY Plattsburgh in Literature and Canadian Studies where she graduated Summa Cum Laude in 2009. This is where she met "The one whom her soul loved," and years later, on June 9, 2019, she married Seth Connor of Plattsburgh.

Laura had many jobs, working for Rue 21, The Strand Center for the Arts, Studley Printing, working for Dr. Zandi at the Mood and Memory Clinic, Stever's Candies in Rochester, N.Y., and most recently, Saranac Central School. However, Laura's true passion was writing. She was a gifted and talented writer and often wrote for Northern Home Garden & Leisure and Lake Champlain Weekly. She was also an assistant editor for the Saranac Review; while also working on multiple novels with the dream of being published. Laura's other passion was being a mom to her fur-babies.

She is survived by her husband and soul mate, Seth Connor of Plattsburgh; parents, Claude and Wanda (Ackerman) Perras of Mooers Forks, N.Y.; brother and best friend, Mathew Perras of

Mooers Forks, N.Y.; maternal grandmother, Ramona Ackerman of West Chazy, N.Y.; paternal grandfather, Romain Perras of Mooers Forks, N.Y.; godchildren, Anne, Elizabeth and Charles Frizzell of Montreal, Quebec; aunt, Sharon (Ackerman) Richards of Rouses Point, N.Y.; aunt, Cynthia (Ackerman) Miner of West Chazy, N.Y.; aunt, Jennifer Ackerman (Larry Stannard) of West Chazy, N.Y.; uncle, Kenneth (Karen) Ackerman of Staatsburg, N.Y.; uncle, Donald (Beverly) Perras of Mooers, N.Y.; aunt, Becky (Michael) Rabideau of Mooers, N.Y.; aunt, Julie Decoste of Mooers Forks, N.Y.; uncle, Emile (Gina) Perras of Cocoa, Fla.; mother and father-in-law, William and Victoria Connor of Alexandria Bay, N.Y.; sister-in-law, Kathryn (Millicent Hopper) Connor of Massena, N.Y.; sister-in-law, Erin Connor of Alexandria Bay, N.Y.; nieces and nephews via her marriage; and several cousins.

She was predeceased by her maternal grandfather, Carroll Ackerman and paternal grandmother, Jennette Perras. She was also predeceased by Wallace and Nissa, but will be unfathomably missed by her dogs Luna Petunia and Berkely Fergus, and her cat Alderaan Birkir.

Relatives and friends are invited to call on Friday, May 27, 2022, from 1 to 3 and 4 to 6 p.m. at Hamilton Funeral Home, 793 Gilbert Road, Mooers. A Memorial Service will be held in the Hamilton Funeral Home Chapel at 6 p.m. with Pastor Trevor Finley, officiating.

Laura left this life too soon, with a spirit full of love, grace, and gratitude. If anyone would like to make donations in remembrance of her please choose either: Hospice of the North Country, 358 Tom Miller Rd., Plattsburgh, NY 12901, or American Cancer Society - Lois McClure Bee Tabakin Hope Lodge, 237 East Ave., Burlington, VT 05401 or CVPH Foundation Re: Jane's Fight Fund, 75 Beekman Street, Plattsburgh, NY 12901.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 793 Gilbert Road, Mooers, 236-4747. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Laura Connor please visit [www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com)



**DEAN** - Graveside services for Gertrude and Albert Dean will be held on Saturday, June 4, 2022, at 11 a.m. in the Dragon Cemetery in Sciota, N.Y. Gertrude passed away on Oct. 23, 2021, and was predeceased by Albert on Jan. 2, 2014. Albert's service to his country in the Marines will be recognized with full military honors. Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh.

**JOSEPH "JERRY" DESGROSEILLIERS** of Spring Hill, Fla., passed away peacefully on Thursday, May 12, 2022. His memorial information can be found through Pinecrest Funeral Chapel and Crematory, 3369 Mariner Boulevard, Spring Hill, FL 34609.

**DORIS M. DESO**, 90, died Saturday, May 16, 2022, in Plattsburgh. A graveside service will be held Friday, May 20th, at 1 p.m. at St. Mary's Cemetery on Prospect Street in Champlain. Arrangements with M.B. Clark Funeral Home.

**CONSTANCE DROLLETTE**, "Connie" 75, of Saranac, died Nov. 17, 2021. Calling hours Friday, May 20, 2022, 11 to 12 p.m. at St. Joseph's Church, Dannemora. Mass of Christian burial will begin at noon; interment to follow in the parish cemetery.







## Christopher M. DuBrey

October 17, 1953 - May 26, 2022



MORRISONVILLE — Christopher M. DuBrey, 68, of Route 22B, Morrisonville, N.Y., passed away on Thursday, May 26, 2022, at his home under the care of Hospice of the North Country. He was born in Malone, N.Y., on Oct. 17, 1953, the son of Ralph and Jeanette (LaPoint) DuBrey.

After graduating high school he joined the United States Navy, serving his country from 1971 to 1973. Christopher later worked for the New York State Department of Corrections as a Corrections Officer at Clinton Correctional in Dannemora, N.Y., until his retirement.

Christopher was predeceased by his father, Ralph DuBrey and brother Terry DuBrey.

He is survived by his mother Jeanette DuBrey of Lyon Mountain, his mother of his children, Jill DuBrey of Black Brook, his daughter Sara Miller and her husband Jason of Morrisonville, a son Brent LaDuke of Elizabethtown, N.Y.; three grandchildren, Matthew LaDuke, Rosalyn and Jackson Miller; his siblings, Sherry (Joe) LeClair, Kim (Mike) Chase; several nieces and nephews also survive him.

At Christopher's request there will be no services.

Donations in his memory may be made to Hospice of the North Country at <https://www.hospicenc.org/donate>.

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](http://www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com).



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## Julie Edwards

May 17, 1938 - February 05, 2022



KEESEVILLE — Julie Edwards, 83, of Keeseville, N.Y., died in Ocala, Fla., with loving family at her side on Feb. 5, 2022, following a car accident. She was born on May 17, 1938, in Washington, DC to Anna Viola Vadnais Jones and Edward Clement Jones.

Having been raised in Hyattsville, Md., she graduated from Northwestern High School before enlisting in the USAF, where she served from 1956-1959 and met her future husband, Lt Col Gerald Brinton Edwards.

They were married March 21, 1961, and had three children, Kenneth George (Virginia Edwards), Tara Nadine (Francis Bolla), and Tawn Sabrina (Dmitri Edwards) in addition to Gerald's five children from a previous marriage, Geraldene Thurneau, Patrice Manget, Eileen Wray, Michaelle Edwards, and Gerald Edwards Jr.

In 1970, Julie completed her Undergraduate and Masters degree in Philosophy from the University of Delaware and she and Gerald bought a farm on 300 acres on the Au Sable River in Keeseville, N.Y., where they raised their children and Julie pursued her lifelong passion for horses.

They built barns and over time, Julie reached preliminary lev-

el in eventing and Prix St George level in Dressage. She was an accomplished horse trainer and breeder. Her horses went to national and international competitions, and were beloved companions to many.

Julie started the Au Sable Valley Pony Club and Willow Hill Farm Riding Camp and introduced countless children to the joys of riding and horse care. Over the years she opened her home to them and helped many get a new start in life. She will be remembered by those she sheltered and taught as having had a significant impact on their lives.

Julie is survived by her children and her grandchildren, Thorne Bola, Eleanor Bola, Capella Edwards, and Solomon Edwards, and by her sister, Ursula (Henry Morlock) Jones and her sister-in-law Alice Jones. Also surviving are Julie's homebred mare WHF Wings whom she was preparing to compete and Wings' sire, Withages, formerly competed by Julie.

She was predeceased by her husband, Gerald, a daughter, Kathleen, and her siblings Elizabeth A. Miranda, Edward C. Jones Jr., William H. Jones, Anthony R. Jones, Ardele C. Jones, Sandra Jones, Steven P. Jones, Thaddeus D. Jones, and Geraldine A. Jones.

A Celebration of Life for Julie will be held May 15th, at 4 p.m., at Harmony Restaurant and Golf Club.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to ENYDCTA.



## Bruce Thomas Favreau

February 25, 1952 - May 18, 2022



CHAMPLAIN — Bruce Thomas Favreau, 70, left his earthly dwelling on May 18, 2022, at the McClure Miller Respite House in Colchester, Vt.

Bruce was born in Plattsburgh, Feb. 25, 1952, the son of the late Edward and Eva (Filion) Favreau. He grew up in Champlain and graduated from St. Mary's Academy in 1969. He later graduated from Wadhams Hall Seminary and Christ the King Seminary and was ordained a priest on May 3, 1980. Bruce served the Diocese of Ogdensburg for 20 years. Throughout that time he met and held many friendships. He resided in the Burlington, Vt., area for the remainder of his years.

Bruce was a genuine and kind person. He cultivated friendships wherever his travels took him. For many, he was more like family than friend.

Left to cherish the memory of Bruce are his sister, Susan Phillips; brothers, Richard Favreau and Lora, James Favreau and Sherry Favro, Jeffrey Favreau, and Mario

Guillemette and their respective families; and his long time friend, Michel St. Germain.

The family will receive guests on Tuesday, May 24, 2022, from 10 to 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Church in Champlain. A Mass of Christian burial will follow at 11. Committal prayers and burial will follow in the parish cemetery.

Donations in his memory may be made to the Catholic Charities in the Diocese of Ogdensburg.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 793 Gilbert Road, Mooers, 236-4747. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Bruce Favreau please visit [www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com)

**FELIO** - Calling hours for Norman Felio will be held Monday, June 6, from 5 to 6 p.m. with a Memorial Service to follow at 6 at Zaumetzer Funeral Home, 3 College St., Au Sable Forks.

## Paula Jennene "Lu" Fillion

January 26, 1948 - May 26, 2022



CHAMPLAIN — Paula Jennene "Lu" Fillion, 74, of Route 276, Champlain, died unexpectedly, Thursday, May 26, 2022, at her home with her loving family by her side.

Lu was born in Plattsburgh, Jan. 26, 1948, the daughter of Paul and Pauline (Bernard) Bombardier. She grew up in Rouses Point and graduated from St. Mary's Academy in Champlain.

Lu worked at Twin Town True Value in Champlain for many years.

She was a member of the Rouses Point Fire Dept. EMS where she served as an EMT for many years, and also a member of the Ladies Auxiliary with both the Champlain Fire Dept. and Rouses Point Fire Dept. Lu was very proud to have been awarded EMS Provider of the year for the Rouses Point Fire Dept.

Lu was an active member of the local breast cancer survivors support group through Northwestern Medical Center in St. Albans, Vt.

In addition to helping people, she also enjoyed bird watching, her pets, Penny, Zeke, Dorothy, and Mildred, however her true love was spending time with her family.

Left to cherish the memory of Lu are, her loving husband of 53 years, John Miller Filion, whom she married Nov. 23, 1968, in St. Patrick's Church in Rouses Point; son, John Paul Filion and his companion, Becky Dumas; daughter, Rebecca Lynn Filion, all of Champlain; one granddaughter, Ashley Filion of Plattsburgh; brother, Paul Bombardier of Altona; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her brother, Patrick.

Calling hours will be held Monday, May 30, 2022, from 10 to Noon at the Hamilton Funeral Home, 793 Gilbert Road, Mooers. A memorial service will follow at Noon in the Hamilton Funeral Home Chapel, lead by Kelly C. Donoghue. Burial will be held at a later date in the Glenwood Cemetery in Champlain.

Donations in her memory may be made to the Champlain Children's Learning Center, or the Champlain Fire Dept.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 793 Gilbert Road, Mooers, 236-4747. To make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Lu Filion please visit [www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com)



## Richard A. Fleury

May 09, 2022



ISLE LA MOTTE — Richard A. Fleury, age 58, passed away on Monday, May 9, 2022, at his home in Isle La Motte.

Friends and family are invited to Richard's Life Celebration to include an open house on Wednesday, May 18th, 2022, from 4 to 7 p.m. at The Goss Life Celebration Home, 89 Grand Avenue, Swanton, Vt.

Goss Life Celebration Homes is the area's exclusive provider of life celebration events. Please visit our website to view a full obituary and share condolences, photos and favorite memories at [www.gossfs.com](http://www.gossfs.com)



**MAURICE "MIKE" FOURNIER** passed away on March 2, 2022. A Mass will be held on Wednesday, June 1, 2022, at 11 a.m. at Church of the Nativity in Swanton, Vt. Arrangements with The Goss Life Celebration Home.

**DENISE HALL FRESN**, 62, of Bashaw Road, Mooers, died May 26, 2022, at CVPH. She was born on Oct. 9, 1959, the daughter of Roland and Madeline (Coupal) Bedard. There will be no services. Arrangements entrusted to Brown Funeral Home.

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## Paul George Gardner

March 19, 1949 - May 17, 2022



**CADYVILLE** — Paul George Gardner, 73, of Cadyville, N.Y., passed away May 17, 2022, at his home surrounded by his loving family.

Born on March 19, 1949, in Schenectady, N.Y., he was the son of Vernon and Greta (Vanderbogart) Gardner.

He was married to Jean Therrian on Oct. 2, 1971, in Holy Angels Church, Altona.

Paul graduated from Mount Pleasant High School in Schenectady. He enlisted in the United States Army in August 1967 and was honorably discharged in August 1970. He served in Vietnam in the Tet offensive 1969 and the Tet Counteroffensive phase IV, V, and VI. He retired from Hannaford in Plattsburgh where he worked as a butcher. Paul loved to fish, play pool, bowl, playing games on his tablet and beating his children at a game of Scrabble. He loved classic rock music, especially Tom Petty and he enjoyed spending time with his family and wife.

Paul is survived by his wife of 50 years, Jean Gardner; five children, Sinda Blea and her husband, Richard of Duncan, S.C., Bryan Gardner and his wife, Courtney of West Chazy, Jesse Lavene and her husband, Bill of Morrisonville, Jason Gardner of West Chazy, Leah Jubert and her husband, Jason of Chazy; six grandchildren, Josey and Toryn Lavene, Taylor, Justin and Audrey Senecal and Alex Jubert; five siblings, Bruce Gardner and his wife, Renee, Ronald Gardner and his wife, Donna, Elric Gardner, Carol Gardner-Allen, Butch Vanderbogart; as well as several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his parents; a granddaughter, Cansas Bushey; a brother, James (Jimmy) Gardner; an uncle, George Vanderbogart; his mother and father-in-law, Howard and Shirley Pecor; a brother-in-law, Howard Pecor Jr.; and his beloved dog, Demi Bones.

A graveside service will be held on Monday, May 23, 2022, at 1 p.m. at Holy Angel's Church Cemetery, Altona.

Donations in Paul's memory may be made to a charity of the family's choice.

Arrangements are with the Chateaugay Funeral Home. Online condolences may be offered at [www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com](http://www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com).

## Norman Thomas Gibbons

May 29, 1946 - November 15, 2021



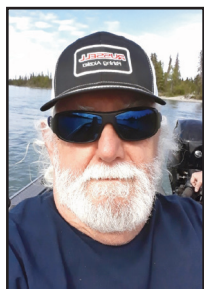
**GOLD CANYON** — Norman Thomas Gibbons, 75, of Gold Canyon, Ariz., and Plattsburgh, N.Y., died Nov. 15, 2021, at the Gardiner Home Hospice in Phoenix, Ariz. Tom was born in Syracuse, N.Y., on May 29, 1946. He was a graduate of Chittenango High School.

He proudly served his country in the U.S. Army as a Military Policeman stationed in Korea. He obtained his Bachelor's degree from SUNY Plattsburgh. Tom served as one of "New York State's finest" starting as a Trooper on June 29, 1970, and retiring as a Senior Investigator (BCI) March 28, 2001. Tom spent the majority of his tenure in Troop B, Plattsburgh. He was known for his quiet demeanor, compassion, humor, love of carpentry, dedication and loyalty.

He was predeceased by his parents, Owen Gibbons, Clifford and Mary Ellen (Sweeney) Boltwood. He is survived by his wife Rita; sons Reed and Neale (Tully) Gibbons; his stepchildren Ryan Ducharme and Erin Brennan; eight grandchildren and several nieces and nephews; his sister Ellen Dudley and brothers Owen Gibbons, Clifford Boltwood III and Keith Boltwood. We miss you "Norm."

## Paul L. Gillam

January 08, 1941 - May 14, 2022



**GREEN ISLAND, NY** — Paul L. "Butts" Gillam passed from this life at his home on May 14, 2022, at the age of 81.

Born in Cohoes on Jan. 8, 1941, Paul was the son of the late Francis E. "Frenchie" Gillam and Flora (McNab) Gillam Rootes. He resided in Green Island for much of his life and had also resided in Daytona, Fla., in the 1960's. He retired to his camp in Willsboro, N.Y., following his career as a plumber-pipefitter at the former Ford Motor Company Plant in Green Island. Paul was a Trustee and Skilled Trade Representative for UAW Local 930. He was also the Assistant Stationary Engineer in the Guilderland Wadsworth Center. He was a member of the Friends of Bill W. Paul enjoyed fishing, traveling and the outdoors. He loved the times spent at the lodge in Alaska and in Cape Canaveral, Fla., in the winter months.

He was the husband of Mary Littlejohn Gillam; father of the late Bruce A. Gillam whose wife Terri survives of Willsboro, Paul Gillam Jr. of Green Island, Mary Bryant of Green Island, Brent (Leigh) Gillam of Queensbury and Cheryl Gillam of Green Island; brother of Glenn (Karen) Gillam of Las Vegas, Nev.; grandfather of Bruce "Bud" (Maryann) Gillam Jr., Bethany (Scott) Thurston, Richard Bryant, Anthony Bryant, Raema Gillam, Autumn Gillam, Caroline Gillam and Alison Gillam. He is also survived by his six great-grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews and many AA friends in Alaska, Florida and New York.

A service will be held for Paul on Friday at 10 a.m. in the Parker Bros. Memorial, 2013 Broadway, Watervliet, following which he will be buried in St. Agnes Cemetery in Cohoes. Friends are invited to attend the service and may also visit with Paul's family on Thursday from 4 until 7 p.m. at the funeral home.

Paul was proud to have been a multiple gallon blood donor and in recognition of this his family suggests monetary donations in his memory be made to the American Red Cross, 33 Everett Road, Albany, NY 12205 or online at [www.redcross.org/donate](http://www.redcross.org/donate)

[www.parkerbrosmemorial.com](http://www.parkerbrosmemorial.com)

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## Nancy Hansen

February 15, 1946 - May 19, 2022

**MOOERS FORKS** — Nancy Hansen, 76, born in Longview, Wash., to Walter and Lillian Hansen. Was beloved sister to Diane (Hansen) Kinkade, Janet Hansen, and Jean (Hansen) Wood. Lived in Mooers Forks with friend of 42 years, Carolyn Jones.

Preceded in death by mother and father and brother-in-law Keith Kinkade; niece Kathy (Kinkade) Gilliland. Lived for many years in Portland, Ore., where she did various jobs. Loved going to the coast and camping with her family and friend and rescue dogs. Really enjoyed geocaching with her sisters; would climb hills looking for the treasure.

Moved to Mooers Forks, N.Y., the year of the big ice storm where they were without power for many days. Enjoyed swimming at Lazy Days camp. Worked for several years at Rite Aid in Champlain, N.Y. Had many friends and we will all miss her dearly.

## Harold Joseph Harvey

September 06, 1974 - May 14, 2022

**PLATTSBURGH** — Harold "Joe" Harvey, 47, passed away in his home. Joe was predeceased by his parents, Rick and Veronica Harvey. He is survived by his siblings, Rick Harvey of Peru and Tina Harvey (Steven) of Plattsburgh, along with many nieces and nephews. Private services will be held.

**ROBERT HAWKSBY**, 85, of Altona, died in Florida. Visitation will be Friday, from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Hamilton Funeral Home, Mooers. A funeral will be Saturday, at 11 at the Mooers Methodist Church. Burial in the Union Cemetery.

**GERARD HOUDE**, 93, died peacefully at his home in Port Kent, May 9, 2022. He was born Sept. 20, 1928, in St. Johnsbury, Vt., to Clement and Lydia (Boutin) Houde.

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** There were no 'I' surnames in this edition.

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**LOUISE JOHNSON** of Port Henry died May 15, 2022. Calling hours will be held May 17, from 4 to 7 at the Harland Funeral Home. Funeral services will be May 18th at 11 at the Presbyterian Church in Port Henry.

**JOHNSON** - James E. Johnson, 79, of Plattsburgh, passed away from natural causes at his residence on May 14, 2022. He was born in Plattsburgh on Sept. 1, 1942, son of Edgar and Louise Johnson. Services will be private and held at the convenience of the family. Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh.







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## Shirley Kahabka

July 03, 1925 - May 18, 2022



CHERRY VALLEY — Shirley Anita Kahabka, who cared for her family, home, farm, and community with strength rooted in a foundation of unusual achievement as a young woman, died of natural causes on May 18th at her home, where she had been cared for lovingly by her daughter Sue for several years. She was 96.

Shirley was born July 3, 1925, in Plattsburgh, N.Y., the daughter of Frank and Etta Mae (Clukey) Beauvais.

In 1946, at age 21, Shirley became the first woman pilot in Plattsburgh, having earned her pilot's license before she learned to drive a car. She flew as a volunteer for the Civil Air Patrol, a non-profit corporation that serves as the civilian auxiliary of the United States Air Force. She took off from, and landed on, the waves of northern Lake Champlain.

Shirley's early professional career took her to Washington, D.C., where she worked for a time for the FBI.

She was married Feb. 12, 1955, to Walter Kahabka. They shared their love and life for 57 years until his passing in 2012. She spent most of her life as a homemaker, tending to her home and family and becoming active in a variety of volunteer service activities with her church, the PTA, and the 20th Century Club.

She and Walter lived in Sharon Springs, N.Y., for more than 30 years, including 15 on the family farm, the scene of many warmly remembered family gatherings and celebrations. She became a talented practitioner of domestic crafts, knitting and crocheting beautiful afghans, sweaters, and baby blankets for many family members and friends. She also volunteered to serve at Mary Imogene Bassett Hospital in Cooperstown and as a poll monitor for local elections.

She was predeceased by her husband, Walter; her son Mark Kahabka; her brothers Maynard and Jack Beauvais; her sister, Helen Beauvais (Gregory); and her grandson, Sean Kahabka. She is survived by her daughter, Susan Gallt (Wayne); her son, Jeffrey Kahabka (Mary Beth); her grandsons, Justin Kahabka and Toby Gallt (Meghan); and her granddaughter, Alexis Kahabka; and many nieces, nephews, and great-grandchildren.

A memorial service has been scheduled for 11 a.m., Saturday, May 28, at the St. Thomas Catholic Church in Cherry Valley, N.Y. Refreshments will be served in Kateri Hall after the service for family and friends. All are welcome.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Mountain Valley Hospice in Gloversville, N.Y.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Robin, Meghan, and Sara of Mountain Valley Hospice for all their care and compassion, and to Carol Blood for her tremendous help caring for Mom in her final years.

To send online condolences visit [www.ottmanfuneralhome.com](http://www.ottmanfuneralhome.com)

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## Timothy K. LaBarge

January 18, 1955 - May 21, 2022



WEST CHAZY — Timothy K. LaBarge passed away unexpectedly on May 21, 2022, at CVPH Medical Center.

He was born on Jan. 18, 1955, in Plattsburgh to Kenneth and Margaret (Nadeau) LaBarge.

Tim graduated from NAC and Clinton Community with a degree in Criminal Justice. No surprise he retired from Lyon Mountain Correctional Facility in 2011 as a Correctional Officer after 35 years of service.

Tim was a motorcycle enthusiast until an accident occurred shortly after retirement. He enjoyed golf, hunting camp and maple-syruping with the Juberts, and playing cards on Friday nights with the guys at Feinberg Park. Thank you to all at Feinberg Folks. He recently added bowling with the guys in Saranac Lake, Dave Fuller, Larry Riley and Larry Branch.

He is survived by his fiancée Susan and his son Jason; his brothers Francis (Sue) and Gary (Debbie); nephews Mike, Lee (Claudine), and Ryan; and great-nieces Caitlin and Claire. On Su's side, her mother Lucille Bushey, Deborah (Kevin) Patnode, Andrew (Deb) Bushey, Angela (James) Koller, and Karen (Robert) Miller and many nieces and nephews and grandnieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his mom, dad, and Malcolm Bushey.

We wish to thank our very dear friends Don (Gisele) Hanson, Mark (Meg) Hanson and their grandson Graham.

To the Altona and Champlain fire and rescue squads and the CVPH ER doctors and staff, thank you so much for your caring and professionalism.

Visitation will be held on Friday, May 27th from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Rabideau Funeral Home in Ellenburg. A funeral service will follow in the funeral home chapel.

Donations can be made to Feral Cats, the Altona Fire and Rescue Department or the Champlain Fire and Rescue Department.

Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting [www.rabideaufuneralhome.com](http://www.rabideaufuneralhome.com).

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

**MAURICE LAFOUNTAIN**, 82, of Plattsburgh, died Sunday, May 22, 2022, at home. Visitation Friday, May 27, 2022, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. Service to follow at 1 p.m. at the funeral home.

## Jean J. Latour

February 21, 1937 - May 08, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Jean J. Latour, 85, of Olivetti Place, passed away Sunday, May 8, 2022, at her home under the care of Hospice of the North Country. She was born in Plattsburgh on Feb. 21, 1937, the daughter of Corral and Anna (Duprey) Johnson.

Jean retired as a nurse from CVPH Medical Center after thirty-seven years.

She was predeceased by her parents, her husband Edward Latour, and her sister Polly Ann Johnson.

Jean is survived by her sister Carol Loner; her nephews, Paul (Kelly) Loner, Michael (Vicki) Loner and a great-niece Alex Loner.

At Jean's request there will be no services. Her wish was to have a glass of wine and celebrate her life.

Interment will be at Riverside Cemetery, Plattsburgh.

In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to Hospice of the North Country or ASPCA.

Jean's family would like to thank Hospice of the North Country, especially to Ashley, Heather and Chris.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh.

Online condolences may be offered at [www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com](http://www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com).

## Kathleen A. Lavoie

September 28, 1949 - May 23, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Kathleen Ann Lavoie, Ph.D., passed away on May 23, 2022, at the age of 72. She was a well-loved and respected member of the community and an amazing Mother and Nana. She is survived by her husband, James E. Lavoie; her son James H. Lavoie, and his children with Damist Lavoie, Aeryn Lavoie and Molly Lavoie; her son Robert Lavoie and his wife Erin Lavoie, their child Seth Lavoie; and her daughter Elizabeth "Betty" Lavoie and her husband Steven Schmidt.

A private interment occurred with immediate family. A memorial will be held to celebrate this phenomenal woman. Brown Funeral Home's website will have information regarding this event.

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](http://www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com).



**LECLAIR** - Stephen LeClair, 69, of Plattsburgh, passed away Monday, May 23, 2022, in Burlington, Vt. He was born in Plattsburgh on Oct. 27, 1952, son of Charles and Helena (Locklin) LeClair. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Saturday, May 28th, at 12 p.m. at St. Peter's Church in Plattsburgh. Family will greet guests attending the service starting at 11 a.m. Burial will follow in Divine Mercy Cemetery on Cumberland Head. Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh, N.Y.

## Mary E. Ledwith

March 05, 1940 - May 08, 2022



FORT WAYNE — Mary E. Ledwith of Fort Wayne, Ind., passed away Sunday, May 8, 2022, at the age of 82.

She was born March 5th, 1940, to Harry and Florence (Tamer) Vaughan of Cadyville, N.Y.

Mary is survived by her loving husband of 62 years, Keron F. Ledwith whom she married Nov. 28th, 1959, at St. James Church in Cadyville, N.Y.

Mary leaves behind her two loving daughters, Lisa M. (Gary) Frentz of Monroeville, Ind., and Lana M. Ledwith of Plattsburgh, N.Y.

She is also survived by her brother Robert E. (Mary Lee) Vaughan of Florida and her sister, Shirley M. Otten of Plattsburgh, N.Y., as well as her two grandchildren, Amanda N. McCarthy (Ben) and Eric R. Frentz and his fiancée Tabitha of Indiana.



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**MACCALLUM** - Graveside services for Timothy MacCallum will be held at Maple Hill Cemetery, Rouses Point, May 22nd, at 11:30 a.m. Gathering at Post 912 from noon to 3 p.m. Fly high lil bro.

## Jeffrey Kenneth Marshall

September 18, 1958 - May 12, 2022



**MOOERS FORKS** — Jeffrey Kenneth Marshall, 63, of the Cannon Corners Road, Mooers Forks, passed away unexpectedly, Thursday, May 12, 2022, at his home.

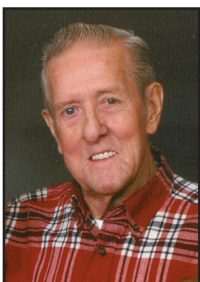
Calling hours will be held Saturday, May 21, 2022, from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Hamilton Funeral Home, 793 Gilbert Road, Mooers. A time to share memories will follow at 4 p.m. in the Hamilton Funeral Home Chapel. Committal prayers and burial will be held Thursday, May 26, 2022, at Noon in the Grand Isle Cemetery on Route 2 in Grand Isle, Vt.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 793 Gilbert Road, Mooers, 236-4747. To view a complete obituary, make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Jeff Marshall please visit [www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com)

**BERNADETTE MERCER**, 74, passed away with family by her side. She was born in Ellenburg on June 17, 1947. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Saturday, May 28, 2022, at 10 a.m. at St. John's Church.

## Walter E. Mooney

October 13, 1935 - May 17, 2022



**WEST CHAZY** — Walter E. Mooney, 86, of West Chazy, passed away on Tuesday, May 17, 2022, at his home, surrounded by his loving family, under the care of Hospice of the North Country. He was born in Beekmantown on Oct. 13, 1935, the son of Harry and Stella (Hayes) Mooney.

Walter was a mason and mechanic by trade. He loved spending time with his family and friends, honky-tonk country music, shooting pool, going to casinos and playing bingo. He also cherished his annual summer vacations with his wife Jane to Montana to visit his sister Betty and family and dig crystals at their Smokey Quartz Crystal Mining Claim.

He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Jane (Hendrix) Mooney; his children, Alan Mooney (Kathleen Rushford), Cathy McCann, Penny Dumas (Andrew "Opie"); grandchildren, Dani Mooney, Morgan Bushey (Dustin), Chelsea Mooney, Michelle Rushford, great-granddaughter (and pride and joy) Bailee Bushey; sister, Dorothy Gorman (Russell Poole); sisters-in-law, Elizabeth Mooney and Sheila O'Banion and many nieces and nephews.

Predeceased by his parents; daughter, Dolores "Dodie" Mooney; siblings, Arnold, Thelma, Wallace, Harold, Lester, Ella, Charlie, Betty, Ross, Alice and Eunice.

Visitation will be Friday, May 20, 2022, at the Plattsburgh United Methodist Church, 127 Beekman Street, from 12 to 1 p.m. A funeral service will follow in the church. Burial will be at West Plattsburgh Union Cemetery.

Memorial donations can be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or the Plattsburgh United Methodist Church.

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](http://www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com).

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**NANTASAENG** - Aphichart Nantasaeng, 52, of Merrill, passed away Tuesday, May 31, 2022, at CVPH Medical Center in Plattsburgh. A private service will be held for the family. Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh, N.Y.

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**O'BRIEN** - Alana O'Brien, 65, formerly of Tiffany Way, Plattsburgh, passed away May 9, 2022. She was born in Germany on Jan. 17, 1957. A private funeral service will be held at the convenience of the family. Burial will take place in St. Alexander's Cemetery in Morrisonville. Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh.

## David E. O'Hearn II

August 14, 1970 - May 14, 2022



**ASHLAND** — David E. O'Hearn II, 50, of Ashland, Va., passed unexpectedly May 14, 2022. He was preceded in death by his mother, Margaret LaMare Minton, father David O'Hearn, uncle Abraham William Lamare and grandparents. Left to cherish his memory are his aunts, Zella Rock, Louise Jones, Renalda Wood, Flossie Bushey, Sylvia Tromblay, uncles Adrian and Leon Lamare and many cousins.

Formerly of upstate New York, David attended Saranac Central School and was employed with the Price Chopper in Plattsburgh, N.Y. David enjoyed his Maine Coon cat and baseball. David moved to Virginia from New York to help care for his mother until her death.

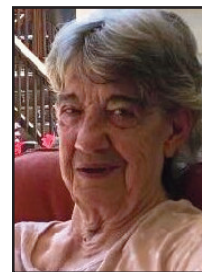
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**ROBIN PATNODE**, 62, West Chazy, passed peacefully Friday, May 6, 2022. Born in Plattsburgh, May 18, 1959. Visitation Thursday, May 12, 2022, 4 to 7 p.m., Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. A funeral service will follow. Burial at St. Bernard's Cemetery.

**PERYEA** - A graveside service will be held Thursday, May 26, 2022, at 10 a.m. at St. Edmund's Cemetery for Lena Peryea. [www.ROSSFUNERALHOMES.com](http://www.ROSSFUNERALHOMES.com)

## Merilda M. "Tilly" Phaneuf

April 04, 1941 - May 29, 2022



**PERU** — Merilda M. "Tilly" (Liberty) Phaneuf, 81, passed away on Sunday, May 29, 2022, with family by her bedside.

She was born in Plattsburgh, on April 4, 1941, the daughter of Philbert and Beverly (Baker) Liberty. Tilly was a long-time resident of Telegraph Road in Peru.

Tilly had been residing with her son and daughter-in-law in North Carolina (Todd and Christine).

Tilly worked for Ames for many years and then retired from CVPH Medical Center.

Left to cherish her memory are, her two sons, Donald Thomas of Malone, and Todd (Christine) Thomas of Sanford, N.C.; one daughter, Terry (Bill) Babbie of Perry Mills; two sisters, Jeanne Sample of Tampa, Fla., and Donna Hemmingway of West Chazy; one brother, Bill (Debbie) Liberty of Turnersville, N.J., brother-in-law, Randy (Shirley) Thomas of Peru; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by two husbands, Donald W. Thomas, Sept. 27, 1986, and Dan Phaneuf, Dec. 26, 2016; son, Scott W. Thomas, Aug. 31, 1984; sister, Shirley Duhaime, Aug. 2, 1972; and brother, Donald Liberty, Jan. 5, 2015.

A graveside service will be held for family and friends at the Peru Cemetery on Wednesday, June 8th, at 2 p.m.

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 Tilly please visit [www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com)

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## Lana Putnam

February 12, 1955 - May 27, 2022



**PLATTSBURGH** — Lana Putnam, 67, of South Platt Street, passed away May 27, 2022, at the Vermont Respite Home in Colchester, Vt.

She was born in Plattsburgh on Feb. 12, 1955, daughter of Gerald and Mollie (Long) Putnam.

Lana enjoyed doing arts and crafts and cooking. She also loved spending time with her loyal canine companions.

Lana was a communicant of the North Country Alliance Church.

Survivors include her children, Aaron David LaFountain and April Davis; sister, Lynn Miller and many other relatives and friends.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, June 2, 2022, from 1 to 2 p.m. at the North Country Alliance Church, New York Road, Plattsburgh. A funeral service will follow at 2 p.m.

To share a photo, story or condolence with the family, by visiting [www.rwwalkerfh.com](http://www.rwwalkerfh.com).

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

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**EDITOR'S NOTE:** There were no 'Q' surnames in this edition.

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## David C. Reed

July 17, 1943 - June 01, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — David C. Reed, 78, went to be with his Lord and Savior on June 1, 2022, after a lengthy battle with dementia and heart failure at his home.

He was born on July 17, 1943, to Clarence and Florence (Prophet) Reed in Plattsburgh, N.Y.

David grew up on the family farm in West Chazy. He attended and graduated from Beekmantown Central School, Class of 1962. After graduation he began his career in construction but was drafted into the Army, serving his country from 1965-1967, and was deployed to Vietnam as a water purification specialist.

On March 3, 1969, David married the former Edith M. Mattoon in Plattsburgh, where they raised their four children.

In 1973 he started David Reed Construction which he owned and operated for over 40 years. During that time, he was a Northern Homes and Woodmaster Dealer. David was gifted in the art of wood working and crafted numerous items for the family home and his friends.

David was also a talented "story teller" to his grandchildren.

He is survived by his loving wife, Edith of 53 years; daughter and son-in-law, Cheryl (Jason) Walker; daughter, Linda Reed; five granddaughters, Kaitlyn, Hope, Paige, Sandra and Abigail; four great-grandchildren, Jordyn, MiraJane, DJ and Mazi; brothers, Jack and Douglas; sister-in-law, Patricia Mattoon; brother-in-law, Clayton Cutter; and numerous nieces and nephews.

David was predeceased by his parents, sons, Tod and Timothy, sister, Rosalind Cutter, sister-in-law, Beverly Reed and brothers-in-law, Royal and Floyd Mattoon.

The family will receive guests on Saturday, June 4th, from 10 to 11 a.m. The visitation will take place at the church that David designed and built, the Turnpike Wesleyan Church in Plattsburgh. A funeral service will follow at 11 a.m.

Burial will take place at a later date in West Plattsburgh Union Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Turnpike Wesleyan Church Family Life Center, Alzheimer's disease Caregiver Support Initiative, SUNY Plattsburgh, #524 Sibley Hall, 101 Broad Street, Plattsburgh, NY 12901 or an organization of your choice.

To share a photo, story or condolence with the family, by visiting [www.rwwalkerfh.com](http://www.rwwalkerfh.com).

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## Randy Albert Reyell

March 10, 1962 - May 30, 2022



PERU — Randy A. Reyell, 60, residing at 79 Pleasant Street, Peru, N.Y., passed away at UVHN CVPH Medical Center in Plattsburgh surrounded by his family.

He was born at C.V.P.H., Plattsburgh, on March 10, 1962. He was the son of Albert and Shirley Reyell.

Randy was loved and cherished by his family members and caregivers. His family, especially his mother, was always involved in his life by many visits at his home, at programming, and attending all

his meetings.

Randy is predeceased by his father, Albert G. Reyell, and a brother-in-law Robert Lobdell.

Randy is survived by his sisters, Donna Lavarney, and her husband Brian of Morrisonville; Cathy Lobdell of Chazy; Gail Reyell LaValley and her husband Dennis of Chazy; Sherry Toohill and her husband Bill of Malone.

Randy is uncle to Matthew Lavarney, Jamie Bierman; Bill and Travis Lobdell; Garrett Mastic, Heather Williams and Jonathan Toohill, several great-niece and great-nephews also survive him.

Funeral services will be private for family members and Randy's caregivers at Brown Funeral Home in Plattsburgh.

Burial will be at St. Alexander's Cemetery in Morrisonville.

In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory may be made to St. Jude.

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](http://www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com).

## Neomi "MaMa" Sotomayor Rivera

February 15, 1934 - January 31, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Noemi "Mama" Sotomayor Rivera, 87, of 8 Bushey Boulevard, Plattsburgh, N.Y., passed away on Monday, Jan. 31, 2022, with her daughter by her side.

She was born on Feb. 15, 1934, in Camuy, Puerto Rico, daughter of Ramon and Serafina Pilar (Rivera) Sotomayor. "Mama" Noemi was predeceased by her parents, and her siblings, Caesar Sotomayor Rivera, Celia S. Green (Sotomayor), Eldermira "Mirin" Cruz (Sotomayor), Elsa Sotomayor Rivera, and Ramon "Junior" Sotomayor Rivera.

Survivors include daughter, Myra I. Colmenero-Macmillan (Doug) of Saranac, N.Y., sons, Rodney Colmenero (Connie) of San Antonio, Texas, and Manfred "Manny" Colmenero (Cathy) of Lawton, Okla.

On June 11, 2022, at 11 a.m., a Celebration of Life Memorial Service for "Mama" Noemi will be held at R.W. Walker Funeral Home. We encourage those attending to wear bright colors, tropical prints and

boldly decorated fedoras/hats in her honor. For those unable to attend in person, a Zoom link will be provided for those who wish to attend virtually, and a link to the recorded service will be posted at a later date.

Donations in memory of "Mama" Noemi can be sent to the attention of her daughter, Myra I. Colmenero-Macmillan.

To share a memory or condolence with the family, please visit [www.rwwalkerfh.com](http://www.rwwalkerfh.com).

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

## Donald D. Rowe

July 10, 1952 - May 12, 2022



CHATEAUGAY — Donald D. Rowe, 69, of Chateaugay, died Thursday, May 12, 2022 at the Adirondack Medical Center, Saranac Lake.

Born on July 10, 1952, in Albany, N.Y., he was the son of Donald and Jeanette (Boulerice) Rowe. His father predeceased him.

He was married to Lori A. Cowan on July 30, 2009, in Chateaugay by Rev. Joy Shaffer.

Donnie graduated from Mooers High School. He owned and operated Don's Car Crushing for over 35 years. He was a communicant of St. Ann's Church, Mooers Forks. He loved riding his side by side and helping his daughter and son-in-law make maple syrup. He cherished spending time with his children and grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife, Lori; his mother, Jeanette Rowe; a daughter and son-in-law, Jodie and Bobby Trombley; two sons and their wives, Adam and Demi Cook, Andrew and Kailei Cook; six grandchildren, Haley, Aubrey, and Braylin Trombley, Hazel, Brier and Lydia Cook; brother and sisters, Sue Brooks, Jane and Donald Manor, Betty and Edward Bushey Jr., Gary and Julie Rowe, Paul Rowe, Debra and Alan Cardin, Barbara and Dennis Phillips, Karen and Terry Delaney, Linda and Alton Parker, Sandy and Francis Duquette, Randy and Heidi Rowe, Keith and Julie Rowe, Donna and Brian Kavannaugh; his mother-in-law, Beverly Cowan; brothers and sisters-in-law, Steve and Arlene Cowan, Penny Cowan, Tammy and Wally Dumont, Gary Cowan, Danny and Jackie Cowan; as well as many nieces and nephews.

Besides his father, he was predeceased by two brothers, Jimmy and Alan Rowe; a nephew, Darcy Manor; and his father-in-law, Wayne Cowan.

Calling hours will be held at the Chateaugay Funeral Home on Sunday, May 15, 2022, from 2 to 6 p.m.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. on Monday, May 16, 2022, at St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay.

Burial will take place at the Earlville Cemetery, Chateaugay.

Donations in his memory may be made to a charity of the family's choice. Online condolences may be offered at [www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com](http://www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com).

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**SALIMANDO** - Michael Salimando was born on March 5, 1950, in the small town of Chazy, N.Y. Mike passed away peacefully on May 10, 2022. A Celebration of Life will be held at the Walker Funeral Home on Friday, May 20th, from 4 to 5 p.m., with a religious prayer service and military tribute to follow at the funeral home. Arrangements have been entrusted into the care of the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court St., Plattsburgh.







## William Santa

1942 - May 24, 2022



ESTERO — William "Bill" Santa, 79 of Estero, Fla., passed peacefully on Tuesday, May 24, 2022.

He was born in the Bronx, N.Y., the son of the late Daniel Santa and Irene Weiss Santa. He spent most of his childhood in Rye, N.Y., before moving to Plattsburgh. In 2000 he retired and moved to Florida.

Surviving are his wife, Carol Geng Santa; sons, Daniel Santa (Gayle Santa) and Glenn Santa (Kelle Santa); two granddaughters; three great grandchildren; brothers, James Santa and Frank Santa; and sister, Donna Santa.

He was a successful Plattsburgh businessman who founded Bill Santa Pontiac and also owned and operated Hometown Radio WIRY. He had been an active member of the New York Auto Dealers Association, the Plattsburgh Chamber of Commerce, and the Kiwanis Club. Bill served his country in the U.S. Army.

Bill was friendly, good natured, and easy to talk to and thus was liked and respected by the Plattsburgh business community, colleagues, and friends. He was an avid golfer, who loved gadgets, playing poker, and driving his Tesla around southwest Florida.

A Celebration of Life service will be held in Plattsburgh, N.Y., at a later date this summer.

A private interment will take place at Sarasota National Cemetery with Military Honors.

Local arrangements entrusted to Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh.

Online condolences can be offered at [www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com](http://www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com).

## Andrew P. Senecal

May 16, 1925 - May 16, 2022



PITTSBURGH — Andrew Parsons Senecal passed away peacefully at Allegheny General Hospital on his 97th birthday, May 16, 2022. He had celebrated his birthday the previous day with many family members and his wonderful friends at The Embassy Independent Living in Mt. Lebanon where he had lived since 2015. Andy, a member of the "Greatest Generation," was born May 16, 1925, in Tupper Lake, N.Y., to the late Andrew Peter Senecal and Hazel Parsons Senecal.

He grew up in Plattsburgh, N.Y., and graduated from St. John's High School. After high school he enlisted in the Army and served in the 222nd Anti Tank Company (Rainbow Division) as a gunner in the 3rd platoon. He received a bronze star for meritorious achievement in action at Wurzburg, Germany. He was currently involved in a project that is documenting the history of the 42nd "Rainbow" Infantry Division. He participated in a live interview and many zoom calls sharing his memories.

After the war he returned home to Plattsburgh where he met and married his wife of 66 years, Joyce Gebro, who preceded him in death in 2014. He attended Syracuse University on the GI bill, graduating in 1951 with a degree in chemical engineering. He had a long and successful career with Koppers Company retiring in the early 1980's.

After retirement he volunteered for over 25 years at Mellon Junior High School in Mt. Lebanon tutoring students. He also enjoyed spending his summers at his cottage on Lake Champlain in Plattsburgh, N.Y., and really looked forward to the week every summer when all his children and their families gathered at the lake and brought much laughter and chaos to the usually peaceful and serene atmosphere.

his three sons-in-law, Steve Martin, Ray Williams, and Tony D'Aurora; his siblings, Robert Senecal, Kathleen Phifer, and Anthony Senecal.

He is survived by his children, Kathleen Williams of Syracuse, N.Y., Ann (Robert Tompkins) Martin of Moriah Center, N.Y., Patricia D'Aurora of Steubenville, Ohio, and his son Andrew Timothy (Mary Ann) Senecal of Virginia Beach, Va. He also leaves behind his eight grandchildren, Sean (Amanda) Martin, Joe (Aly) Martin, Bryan (Erin Freed) D'Aurora, Shana (Chris) Wydra, Jeremy (Maureen) Williams, Cassandra Hall, Staci Senecal and Amber Senecal, 11 great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Also survived by his sisters-in-law, June Rogers and Janet (Kenneth) Lehl.

Family and friends received on Monday, May 23, 2022, from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Warchol Funeral Home Inc., 3060 Washington Pike, Bridgeville (412.221.3333). A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Tuesday at 10 a.m. at St. Thomas More Church of Resurrection Parish. Interment and full military honors will follow at the National Cemetery of the Alleghenies at 12:30 p.m. There will be coffee and donuts between the Mass and burial at St. Thomas More Church. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in his name to Southbridge EMS, 178 Hickory Grade Road, Bridgeville, PA 15017. Andy was currently and for many years on the Board of Directors of Southbridge EMS. View and share condolences at [www.warcholfuneralhome.com](http://www.warcholfuneralhome.com)

## Michael Joseph Serra

March 09, 1943 - May 27, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Michael "Mickey" Serra Jr., 79, of Plattsburgh, passed away with his very good friend Margaret at his side.

Mickey was born March 9, 1943, in West-erly, R.I., to Michael and Rose Serra.

Mickey enjoyed bowling and playing golf. He owned and operated the L&M Liquor store for many years. Most recently he worked for Clinton County Public Transit until he fell ill.

Mickey was predeceased by his parents, his brothers Louis and Frank, as well as his

wife Julie.

He is survived by his daughter, Rosemary and her husband Robert Reeves, Brien and Amanda (Reyell) Barnett, and Jonisa Bombard-Senecal, his grandchildren Robert and Marcus Reeves, Bruce Bombard, Kaitlyn Senecal and Bailey Barnett, and his great-grandchildren, Hayden, Preston and Avery.

At his request there will be no calling hours. He will be laid to rest with his wife Julie in St. Peters cemetery at a later date.

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](http://www.brownfuneralhomeinc.com).

## George T. Sheelar

March 23, 1925 - April 19, 2022

WATERTOWN — George T. Sheelar passed away on April 19, 2022, in Watertown, Conn., with his loving wife Rose at his side.

He was born on March 23, 1925, in South Barre, N.Y., to Joseph C. and Kathleen (McMahon) Sheelar.

He served in the U.S. Navy from February 1943 until March 1946 and was honorably discharged as a Phm 3/C. He served aboard the USS President Jackson (APA-18) in the Pacific Theater of Operations.

He retired from Niagara Mohawk Power Co., April 1987, after serving 29 years.

George was active in the community as a volunteer for the Malone Adult Center and Meals on Wheels. He sang in the church choir and assisted at funeral Masses at Notre Dame Church.

He was predeceased by his father; mother; sisters, Marie Anthony, Anna Jakub, Dorothy Calby, Helen Dobrovolsky and brothers, Joseph, Daniel, Vincent, Gerald, Richard, John and

Leo.

He leaves his wife, Rose M. Sheelar whom he married in 1949. He also leaves daughters, Patricia Beedy of Malone, N.Y., and Rebecca Sciacca (Sam) of Oxford, Conn.; sons, Thomas (Sherri) Clark of Houston, Texas, and David (Denise) of Bridgewater, N.J.; six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at Notre Dame Church on Saturday, June 4, at 10 a.m., followed by burial at Notre Dame Cemetery.

Local arrangements are with St. Mary-Murphy-Wilcox Funeral Home. Online condolences may be offered at [www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com](http://www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com).

**THERESA K. "TERRI" SMITH**, Plattsburgh, N.Y., died Tuesday, May 17, 2022, at UVM Medical Center in Burlington, Vt. She was born in Moriah Center, N.Y., on April 4, 1949. A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

**SOUTHWICK** - A graveside service will be held for Dr. John B. Southwick at Glenwood Cemetery in the village of Champlain on Friday, May 27, 2022, with full military honors. A full obituary is found at [www.mbclarkfuneralhome.com](http://www.mbclarkfuneralhome.com).

**SPIEGEL** - Visiting hours will be held for Margaret "Peg" Spiegel on Thursday, May 12th, from 2 - 4 p.m. at M.B. Clark Funeral Home in Rouses Point. A Funeral Mass will take place Friday, May 13th, at 11 a.m. at St. Patrick's Church in Rouses Point, followed by burial at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Chazy. A full obituary is found at [www.mbclarkfuneralhome.com](http://www.mbclarkfuneralhome.com).

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## Yvonne V. Taylor

February 10, 1923 - June 01, 2022



ELLENBURG — Yvonne V. Seguin Taylor, 99, a resident of the Villas Home, passed away peacefully on June 1, 2022.

Death is not extinguishing the light: It is putting out the light because dawn has come.

Yvonne was born in Fitchburg, Mass., on Feb. 10, 1923. First born of the 14 children to the late Edmond and Albina Seguin.

Residing in Ellenburg for 96 years of her life, she attended Ellenburg Central School. She was a devout Catholic, loved

her family unconditionally, and learned the value of hard work. Leadership was her strong trait. She served the church community, holding numerous offices in the Catholic Daughters and Altar and Rosary Societies, achieving the honor of District Deputy for the region, as her highest achievement. Yvonne also served the parish as Eucharist Minister and Lecturer as she continued her commitment to her faith in our Lord.

Years of accumulation of photos and community involvement, assisted her in serving on a committee documenting the history of Ellenburg and helping to publish the book "Ellenburg Yesterday and Today." She also involved herself by serving on the board of the Ellenburg Housing, becoming an honorary board member after 28 years of service.

Previous employment consisted of working at the Mooers Slipper Factory and Tru-Stitch in Malone, serving as supervisor in both locations.

Yvonne will be remembered for her Magic Bars, her willingness to always help others, being patient, spiritual and her genuine kindness. We were blessed to have her in our lives.

Left to cherish her memory are her son Edward (Judy) Taylor; step grandson Paul Trombley; great-grandchildren, Parker and Payton Trombley; siblings, Bill (Mary Ann) Seguin, Richard (Annette) Seguin, Louie Seguin (Companion Jenny), Ronald (Rose) Seguin, and Gladys Cameron; and numerous nieces and







nephews.

Yvonne was predeceased by husband, George Taylor; grandson, Robert Taylor; brothers, Clayton, Norman, and Morris; sisters, Gertrude Seguin, Valeda Seguin, Veronica (Roland) Noreau, and Naida (Claude) Lamarche; and brother-in-law, Robert Cameron.

The Vilas Home has become home for her over the past few years and the family would like to express their gratitude for the wonderful care that she has received.

As well as extending a heartfelt thank you to CVPH Medical Center for the professional care from the Emergency Room to the 3rd floor staff.

Relatives and friends are invited to the Rabideau Funeral Home in Ellenburg on Monday, June 6th, from 4 to 6 p.m.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Tuesday at 11 a.m. in St. Edmunds Church. Entombment will follow in the Town of Ellenburg Mausoleum.

Donations in her memory may be made to St. Edmund's Parish or the Ellenburg Depot Fire Department.

Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting [www.rabideaufuneralhome.com](http://www.rabideaufuneralhome.com).

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

**TROMBLY** - A Memorial Service will be held 11 a.m. Saturday, May 21st, 2022, at the First Congregational Church in Lewis for Margaret A. "Maggie" Trombly, 64, of the Denton Road, who passed away Wednesday, Jan. 5, 2022, at Westchester Medical Center in Valhalla, N.Y. Arrangements have been entrusted to Heald Funeral Home, 7521 Court Street, Elizabethtown.

**TRUDEAU** - Keith E. Trudeau, 77, of Burke, passed away Wednesday, May 25, 2022, at UVM Medical Center, Burlington, Vt. Visitation will be held at St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay, on Thursday, June 2, from 2 to 3 p.m. A Mass of Christian burial will immediately follow at 3 p.m. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Chateaugay. The full obituary may be viewed at [www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com](http://www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com).

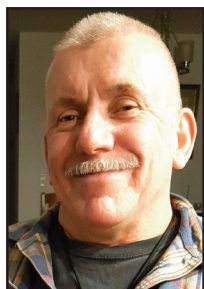
**CHARLES "BUTCH" TRUDO**, 76, of Morrisonville, N.Y., passed away on May 7, 2022. Services will be held at a later date. A full obituary will also be published announcing the services. Arrangements are entrusted to Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh.

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** There were no 'U' or 'V' surnames in this edition.

**WATTIE** - John P. Wattie, 73, of Plattsburgh, passed away Monday, May 16, 2022, at CVPH Medical Center in Plattsburgh. He was born on July 14, 1948, in Plattsburgh, the son of William and Augustine (Norman) Wattie Sr. Services will be private for the family at the R.W. Walker Funeral Home, 69 Court Street, Plattsburgh, N.Y.

## Perry Douglas Walker

July 15, 1959 - May 12, 2022



**KEESEVILLE** — Perry Douglas Walker, 62, of Rt. 9, Keeseville, passed away unexpectedly on Thursday, May 12, 2022, at the UVM Health Network, CVPH, in Plattsburgh.

He was born in Elizabethtown on July 15, 1959. Perry grew up in Upper Jay and attended AuSable Valley High School.

Perry began a career with the NYS Dept. of Corrections in 1988 and was still serving at the time of his passing.

One of Perry's greatest loves was being a grandfather and spending time with his grandchildren. His interests also included metal working and carpentry. If you had a question pertaining to either, he could probably answer it. He also had an extensive interest and knowledge of firearms and motorcycles.



Left to cherish the memory of Perry are, his wife, Heidi Walker; four children, Anthony (Jessica), Nicholas, Alexander (Alexandra), and Vincent (Susan); two stepchildren, Leann (Jake) and Justin; seven grandchildren, Connor, Felix, Raylan, Jack, Beau, Rylee-Anne, and Adalee; siblings, Elaine (Bill), Doug (Sandy), and Sherri (Kurt) Barry; and several nieces and nephews.

Perry was predeceased by his parents, Doug LaFountain and Janice LaFountain; and sister-in-law, Debra Ann Walker.

Calling hours will be held Monday, May 16, 2022, from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru.

In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Perry Douglas Walker 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 Perry Walker please visit [www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com)

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## Jacklyn B. Wnuk

April 03, 1966 - May 30, 2022



**WEST CHAZY** — On May 30, 2022, Jacklyn Beth Wnuk passed peacefully with her family by her side after a 16 year battle with cancer. Born in Ludlow, Mass., to Charles Labossiere and Margaret Chamberlain.

Jacklyn lived a fulfilling and active life. As a wife to her husband Paul of 28 years, and mother to three girls, Rachael, Raelene and Renee, Jackie spent every moment of her days investing into her family, her friends, her community and her career.

Her achievements speak for themselves as she was PTO president, a Girl Scout leader for several decades, highly dedicated to the family run business, and consistently investing her time into the Beekmantown School District. To have been loved by Jacklyn was to experience a loyalty that is unmatched in this world. Jacklyn's death leaves a void the size of her smile in the hearts of those who knew her and the community she served.

Jacklyn is predeceased by her younger sister Julianne Labossiere, her grandmothers, Hattie Labossiere and Ethel Gamache, and her grandfathers, Edward Labossiere and Lawrence Gamache.

She is survived by her husband Paul Wnuk, her daughters Rachael Feibelman, Raelene Wnuk, Renee Wnuk, son-in-law Eric Feibelman, her stepbrother David Chamberlain and her parents, Charles and Cathy Labossiere, and Margaret and Richard Chamberlain.

The Wnuk family seeks to extend a heartfelt thank you to the nurses of the 5th floor, Maria, Tiffany, Jackie and Jessica and the staff of the FitzPatrick Cancer Center.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the FitzPatrick Cancer Center or the American Cancer Society.

Visitation will be Saturday, June 11, 2022, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Brown Funeral Home, Plattsburgh. A funeral service will follow in the funeral home chapel.

The family request to "come as you are" as Jackie would have wanted those to be comfortable.

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

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## Linwood F. "Woody" Worrell Jr.

December 01, 1953 - May 11, 2022



KEESEVILLE — Linwood F. "Woody" Worrell Jr., 68, of Pine Tree Drive, Keeseville, passed away unexpectedly on Wednesday, May 11, 2022, at UVM Health Network- CVPH, Plattsburgh with his loving family by his side.

He was born in Orlando, Fla., on Dec. 1, 1953, the son of Linwood Sr. and Essie May (Coley) Worrell. After graduating from Ahsoskie High School in North Carolina, where he was raised, he had a calling to join the military and chose the U.S. Navy.



Woody proudly served his country with the United States Navy for 24 years becoming a Vietnam Veteran before being honorably discharged as Petty Officer 1st Class in 1995. During his enlistment while stationed in Maryland he met his wife to be, Sandi. They married May 7th, 1989, and have spent the last 33 years by each other's side building the beautiful family they have today. After retiring from the Navy he took great pride in working hard and being a lifelong provider for his family. He was also a member of the Keeseville American Legion Post 1505.



Woody was a loving and devoted husband, father, brother, uncle, and Papa. He had a passion for many things from writing to trains to woodworking. A true selfless artist at heart, Woody found great happiness in sharing his creations with loved ones. Of his many talents, he was a great storyteller. He enjoyed sharing his stories and anecdotes which will undoubtedly live on with his memory. Undeniably though, his greatest passion of all was his family. Not surprising to those that knew him, he could easily be found playing in the yard with his children or grandchildren or watching old westerns on a rainy day. A real patriarch, he fulfilled his greatest aspirations by simply being dad or papa and sometimes putting the "char" in "charcoal grill" but mostly by spending time with those he loved.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Sandra "Sandi" (Denniston) Worrell, his eight children, Robert Worrell of Keeseville, Amanda Worrell and partner Jason Blaise of Plattsburgh, Kristina Worrell and partner Greg Bracey of Morrisville, William (Erin) Worrell of Champlain, Wayne Worrell of Keeseville, Shannon Worrell of Keeseville, Jennifer Worrell of Florida and Christopher Worrell of Plattsburgh; his four loving grandchildren, Jason Worrell, Adrianna (Bird) Worrell, and Brady and Anne-Marie Bracey. Woody is also survived by his mother-in-law, Sharon Denniston of Baldwinsville, his sister, Lola Smith of Winston Salem, N.C., brother James Worrell of Tucson, Ariz., brothers-in-law Daniel (Colleen) Denniston of Baldwinsville and Roger (Susan) Denniston of Richmond, Va., cousins Billy (Rhonda) Worrell and Joanna Worrell and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to Woody's parents, he was predeceased by his father-in-law William Denniston, brother-in-law William Smith and cousin Sara Giroux.

Relatives and family are invited to call on Thursday, May 26, 2022, from 12 to 2 p.m. at Hamilton Funeral Home, 124 Clinton Street, Keeseville. A funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. in the Hamilton Funeral Home Chapel with Father Garvin Demarais celebrating. Military Honors will follow.

In lieu of flowers, we ask that any donations be made to Woody's family in C/O Sandra Worrell.

Arrangements are in care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 124

Clinton Street, Keeseville, (518) 834-7667. To Make a floral purchase, offer an online condolence, share a symbolic gesture, or share a photo in memory of Linwood Worrell Jr. please visit [www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com](http://www.hamiltonfuneralhome.com)

## Margot S. Wyman

March 30, 1934 - May 27, 2022



PLATTSBURGH — Margot Wyman, 88, died peacefully on May 27, 2022. She was born in the small village of Hainzell, Germany, on March 31, 1934, to Josephine and Augustine. She had eight other siblings, Martha, Joseph, Inge, Gisela, and Aberhart who are predeceased. Elizabeth, Maria, and Brigitte have survived her. She moved to Munich, Germany, as a young woman and worked in an office. Soon she became a nanny to a U.S. Air Force family and moved to London, England. She then

emigrated to the United States in 1961. She met her future husband William, and they were married in 1962. Her husband was in the Air Force, and they crisscrossed the United States. She had two sons, Richard and Mark. Not only was she a housewife and mom but became passionate in cake decorating and several other crafts, always keeping busy. Her tireless energy pushed her back into the workforce; first in a retail store then working in an optometrist office.

She and her family completed their final move to Plattsburgh in 1980. She continued to work until retiring in the mid-90's. She took up quilting and made hundreds of beautiful quilts over the years. In those twilight years, Margo and Bill traveled extensively, mainly cruising.

Margo and Bill shared 59 years of marriage until his passing this past January. She is survived by sons Richard and Mark, daughters-in-law Kathy and Janine. She is also survived by her grandchildren, Christopher, Katie, and Michael, as well as several nieces and nephews.

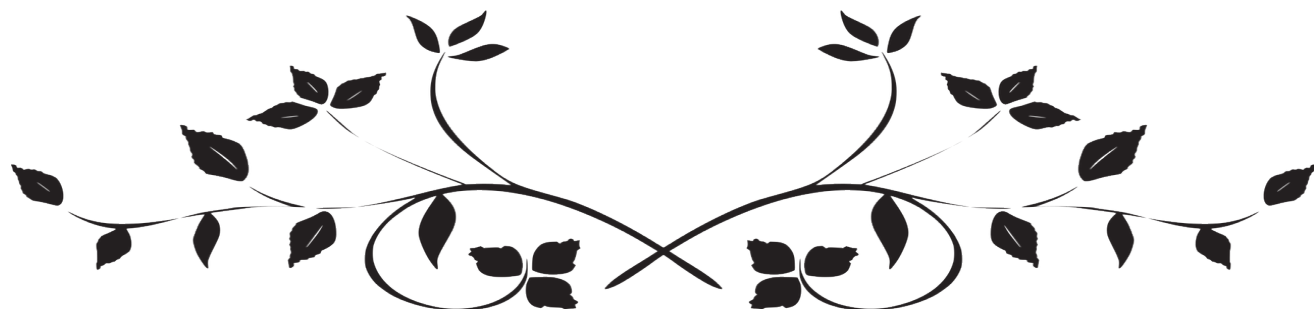
Calling hours will be held on Thursday, June 2, 2022, from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Brown Funeral Home. A funeral service will follow at 2 in the Brown Funeral Home Chapel.

In lieu of flowers please donate to "Foundation of CVPH - ICU Nursing Unit".

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



**EDITOR'S NOTE:** There were no 'X', 'Y' or 'Z' surnames in this edition.







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