



## Anthony S. DeBanville

May 16, 1932 - June 12, 2011

BLOOMFIELD, VT – Mr. Anthony S. DeBanville, 79, of Bloomfield, Vt., passed away on Sunday afternoon, June 12, 2011, at the Country Village Healthcare Center in Lancaster, NH, after a long period of declining health.

Anthony, better known as “Junior” or Tony, was born on May 16, 1932, in Bloomfield, Vt., the son of Anthony J. and Blanche (Gagnon) DeBanville.

After graduating from Stratford High School in 1952, Junior enlisted in the U.S. Air Force and was stationed in England as an Air Police officer. After four years in the military, he worked in Hartford, Conn., before returning to Bloomfield in 1960. He worked locally for several years for the Brown Co. as a scaler.

He married Rose Dostie in 1964 and soon after that purchased the DeBanville Store in Bloomfield from his father. In addition to the store, they started DeBanville’s Snack Bar, and the business was their life. Junior and Rose ran the store and snack bar until their retirement in 2000.

Junior leaves behind his beloved wife, Rose (Dostie) DeBanville of West Stewartstown; four nieces, Irene (Mills) Falby and husband Jim of South Hero, Vt., Joanne (Mills) Lamoureux and husband Brent of Huntington, Vt., Sharon (Mills) Graham and husband, Wayne of Brunswick, Vt., and Lorraine

(Debanville) Harding of North Stratford, NH; a stepson, Yvon Gagne of Vancouver, B.C.; three grand-nieces; six grand-nephews, several special cousins; and many close friends.

He is predeceased by his parents; a brother, Freeman DeBanville; and his sister, Doris Mills.

There will be no public calling hours. A memorial service will be at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, June 29, 2011, at the Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook, NH, with The Rev. Craig Cheney officiating. A private interment will be in the St. Stanislaus Cemetery in Bloomfield, Vt., at a later date.

Expressions of sympathy in Mr. DeBanville's memory may be made to the Two Rivers Ride for Cancer, c/o Rosemary Mulliken at The First Colebrook Bank, 132 Main St., Colebrook, NH 03576.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to [www.jenkinsnewman.com](http://www.jenkinsnewman.com).

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home, Colebrook, NH.

# Tribute Wall



“ To the Family: Our sincerest regards for the loss of "Junior". I remember going to the store with my grandfather Flavia Boutin. A donation has been made to the Amercian Cancer Society. May your memories stay clear in your heart during this time.##imported-begin##Laurel (Boutin) Pierpont##imported-end##

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June 21, 2011 at 05:38 PM



“ We are sorry to hear of Juniors passing. Junior and I were classmates at Stratford High School and I have a lot of fond memories of those years.K##imported-begin##Raymond and Margaret Savage##imported-end##

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June 21, 2011 at 01:09 PM



“ My good Friend and Classmate, I am going to miss you and our talks, going out for lunch and the good times we had in school will never be forgotten, great memories I have of us in good old SHS, you have been a great friend and love you for that....RIP.....Norma##imported-begin##Norma Roberts-LancasterNH##imported-end##

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June 19, 2011 at 09:25 AM



“ Our sympathy goes to the family and friends of "Junior".  
We knew Junior and Rose, for well for over 40 years, and we appreciated all that they did for us and other camp owners.  
May he rest in peace.

Mike Goodwin ("Goodie")and Sam Lang  
"Paul Stream Pravilion Camp" on Paul Stream road.##imported-  
begin##Sam Lang##imported-end##

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June 15, 2011 at 06:50 PM



“ So sorry to hear about the passing of Junior he watched most of the  
Boudle's grow up. He always was joking and laughing. Will  
remember all the good times at the Snack Bar. May God Bless You  
All!##imported-begin##Mark & Barb (Boudle) Cloutier##imported-  
end##

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June 15, 2011 at 06:32 PM



“ sorry to hear about junior our  
thoughts and prayers are with you.  
he will be deeply missed in bloomfield##imported-begin##mr mrs  
lawrence boudle##imported-end##

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June 15, 2011 at 11:43 AM



“ *Dear Lorraine,  
Thinking of you with the recent passing of your dear Dad. Please be assured of my prayers for you and all of the family. Sending a warm hug your way...  
With Gentle Sympathy  
In His Love###imported-begin##Shirley Berube##imported-end##*

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June 14, 2011 at 01:05 PM



“ *We are saddened by the loss of Junior, as he was a very special person. Robert speaks often of the many fond memories he holds of working for Junior and Rose when he was in highschool. Years later when I met him, I too found him to be a kind and gentle soul. We hope that Wayne and Sharon and the rest of his family find peace in the many memories of him that they hold dear.###imported-begin##Robert and Linda Hook##imported-end##*

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June 13, 2011 at 07:15 PM