



## Arnold L. Brooks

February 14, 1953 - February 3, 2018

CLARKSVILLE, NH — Arnold L. Brooks, 64, of Clarksville, passed away at the Weeks Medical Center in Lancaster, NH, on Saturday evening, Feb. 3, 2018, with his family by his side and after a year-long battle with cancer.

He was born on Feb. 14, 1953, in West Stewartstown, the first son of Lester and Theresa (Cote) Brooks. He attended the local schools and later joined the U.S. Army in 1976, where he served honorably in Germany as a diesel generator mechanic.

Upon returning home after his service, Arnold worked as a sawyer at the Beecher Falls Division of Ethan Allen for 30 years. After that he attended culinary school and received his associate's degree in the culinary arts. Arnold loved to be outdoors, hunting or being at camp. He was an avid motorcycle enthusiast and loved to be on his Harley-Davidson. He enjoyed wood carving and was very creative, in addition to a quick wit with a big sense of humor. In the spring, Arnold enjoyed maple sugaring, and he always cherished time with his family and friends.

He leaves behind his wife, Anita Fletcher of Irasburg, Vt.; four sons, Cedric & Jesse Brooks of Colebrook, and Joshua & Arnold Seely of Quebec; two daughters, Zelda Brooks of Lydonville, Vt., and Hannah Brooks of Colebrook; his parents, Lester & Theresa Brooks of Clarksville; two brothers, David

Brooks and fiancée Penny of Clarksville and Dale Brooks of Meredith, NH; a sister, Martha Gadwah and husband Robert of Clarksville; two grandchildren, Treed Brooks and Connor Gallagher; as well as numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He is preceded in death by a son, Terry Brooks in 2007.

There are no public calling hours. A memorial service will be held at the Trinity United Methodist Church in Colebrook on Saturday, Feb. 17, 2018, at 1 p.m., followed by a convivial and light reception for family and friends.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mr. Brooks may be made to the Oncology Dept. at Weeks Medical Center, 173 Middle St., Lancaster, NH 03584.

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

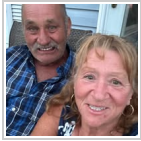
Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home, Colebrook, NH.

# Cemetery Details

## **Stewartstown Hollow Cemetery**

NH Route 145  
Stewartstown, NH

# Tribute Wall



“ *Martha Brooks lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



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**Martha Brooks** - February 20, 2018 at 08:38 AM

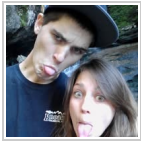
AM

“ *Ann McKinnon lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



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**Ann McKinnon** - February 17, 2018 at 04:26 PM



“ *Dale Brooks lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



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**Dale Brooks** - February 16, 2018 at 08:41 PM

MC

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Mike Chaloux** - February 14, 2018 at 11:52 AM

DN

“ *Deborah Noyes lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



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**Deborah Noyes** - February 13, 2018 at 06:18 PM

RD

“ *David, and Family,  
I was so sorry to hear of your loss, please know that you are all in my prayers.  
Raymond Dobens and Family  
Beaufort S.C.*

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**raymond robert dobens** - February 12, 2018 at 02:14 PM



“ *There are just no words....What a wonderful person and he made his eternal mark in the lives of his friends and family...loving thoughts and prayers for comfort to you all..I will think of him always...He will be deeply missed...*

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**Kimberly Caron** - February 12, 2018 at 01:35 PM

SB

“ *Susan B. Brooks lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



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**Susan B. Brooks** - February 12, 2018 at 10:40 AM

SB

“ *I love you Man.*

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**Susan B. Brooks** - February 12, 2018 at 10:40 AM

EP

“ *Martha and family,  
Our sincere sympathy to you and your family  
at the loss of your brother Arnold. May he rest  
in peace.  
Eileen and Jack*



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**Eileen Pantano** - February 11, 2018 at 11:11 AM

BD

“ *I AM SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS- BUT NOW  
HE IS AT PEACE AND NOT FIGHTING  
ANYMORE. I REMEMBER HIM FROM MY  
SCHOOL DAYS. THIS IS A GREAT PHOTO  
OF HIM.*



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**barbara daley** - February 10, 2018 at 04:22 PM

JM

“ *I worked with Arnold in the yard and sawmill at Beecher Falls for  
quite a few years.  
Very sorry to hear of his passing. My sincere condolences to all of  
his family.  
John Morrissey*

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**John Morrissey** - February 09, 2018 at 08:09 AM

RK

“ *Rosalie King lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



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**Rosalie King** - February 08, 2018 at 09:45 PM

RK

*Aunt Theresa, Uncle Lester, Dale, Martha, and David, I am so sorry for your lost. I am working the day of his funeral, but know that I will be thinking of you all. Love you all*

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**Rosalie King** - February 08, 2018 at 09:47 PM

CC

“ *Calvin Crawford lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



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**Calvin Crawford** - February 08, 2018 at 06:18 PM



Calvin Crawford

*Lots of adventures growing up in Beecher Falls/Clarksville. I think we broke the land-speed-record coming down from your folks house on bicycles. RIP.*

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**Calvin Crawford** - February 08, 2018 at 06:24 PM

JB

“ I am so glad we got to talk and laugh at all of the great times we had at Colebrook Academy. We had a lot of laughs about that one didn't we Arnold!! I will always cherish those times. I hope that picture of us is still hanging in your garage. We laughed that was a good place for it. I will miss you and all of the good times. We had a few good laughs about my Mother and it was really sweet to hear how much you really loved her. It's not the end it is only the beginning. Say hi to all who have gone before us. I will see you again one day. Much love to Uncle Lester, Aunt Theresa, Martha, David and Dale I am so sorry.

As Mom would have said, "love you Smitty".  
Love Judy

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**Judy Brooks** - February 08, 2018 at 12:17 PM

DE

“ Still rememeber the wilderness and telling you i WANT TO RIDE ON YOUR HOG LOL, WE DID GREAT TIMES,GREAT FRIEND I GUESS I'VE BEEN GONE ALONG TIME MARRIED? YOU LOVE YOU FOREVER WE WILL BE RIDING OUIR HOGS AGAIN IN HEAVEN FAREWELL MY DEAR FRIEND FOREVER MISSED SO SORRY FOR YOUR CHILDREN AND YOUR FAMILY,XXXX OOOOOOOO

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**DELLA** - February 08, 2018 at 10:39 AM

LB

“ So sad to hear of Arnold's passing...I am heartbroken for you all. Remember all of the good times and memories that were shared. Our family is a strong family and will get through this together. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.



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**Lana Brooks** - February 07, 2018 at 05:41 PM



*I remember all the good times we had at your house and Grammy and grandpas this is not the end we will all meet again. My love to everyone you are all in my thoughts*

**Marie Roby** - February 16, 2018 at 08:08 AM

AU

“ Rocky & I will miss seeing him on the mountain.



**Augusta** - February 07, 2018 at 10:56 AM

DL

“ Donna Lancaster lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks



**Donna Lancaster** - February 07, 2018 at 09:39 AM

BL

“ Bill Lancaster lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks



**Bill Lancaster** - February 07, 2018 at 09:35 AM



“ *Condolences to the family of Arnold.. He will forever be remebered as my other crazy dad..I will continue to ride, knowing he will be coming with me and keeping me safe on 2 with the rubber always down. I will forever be honored to have known him and honored to have shared some memories very recently.*

Eric Hebert - February 07, 2018 at 08:49 AM



“ *Remember Arnold and my Uncle Calvin riding motorcycles Hell Raisers having a good time. Always a nice guy*

Carey Clark - February 06, 2018 at 11:56 PM

KR

“ *I'll miss seeing and talking with on the side lines at soccer. Give Terry a hug from all of us. May your suffering be done and you're at peace!*



Krista - February 06, 2018 at 08:38 PM

DE

“ *So sorry to hear of Arnold's passing, his suffering is over and his family has gained an Angel to watch over them. Our sympathies and prayers to all his family. Bob & Debby Rancourt*

Debby - February 06, 2018 at 08:18 PM

HH

“ *Our deepest condolences go out to the family on your loss.*

Haven & Peggy Haynes - February 06, 2018 at 06:38 PM

RB

“ *Our deepest sympathy to Arnold's family. He was definitely one of the good ones. Loved his sense of humor.*



Richard & Judy Hunt Budge - February 06, 2018 at 04:54 PM

WN

“ *So sorry to hear about Arnold our deepest condolences to the Brooks family.*

Walter & Suzelle Noyes - February 06, 2018 at 03:13 PM

PM

“ *Penny Mckeage lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



penny mckeage - February 06, 2018 at 02:35 PM

KH

“ *Ken Harlow lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



Ken Harlow - February 06, 2018 at 12:01 PM

PW

“ Remembering all the Thanksgivings and Christmases at grandmie and grandpa's sliding before the meals, you will be missed but now you are with our aunts and uncles watching over everyone. Rest in peace cousin.

Penny Worrell - February 06, 2018 at 11:53 AM

FR

“ Our sympathy to all the family and friends."Francine & Andre Champagne"



Francine - February 06, 2018 at 08:06 AM



“ Cindy Bissonnette lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks



Cindy Bissonnette - February 05, 2018 at 09:21 PM



Sympathy to all of Arnold's family, remember all the memories you made. He was a good friend in high school, may he rest in peace...Prayers for everyone

Cindy Bissonnette - February 05, 2018 at 09:22 PM

CB

“ *Thinking of our childhood memories. Although you will be missed by your family here on earth I truly believe that you have joined the family that has gone before you. There is only happiness and peace there. Rest in the peace of the lord my dear cousin.*



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**Cindy Brigham** - February 05, 2018 at 08:41 PM

 Tricia Ellingwood

“ *Tricia Ellingwood lit a candle in memory of Arnold L. Brooks*



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**Tricia Ellingwood** - February 05, 2018 at 07:56 PM