



## Dwaine Curtis

June 23, 1930 - June 8, 2015

COLUMBIA – Dwaine Curtis, 84, of Columbia, and formerly of Canaan, Vt., passed away peacefully at his home early Monday morning, June 8, 2015, after a long period of declining health and with his wife by his side.

He was born in North Stratford on June 23, 1930, a son to the late Clyde and Madeline (Buck) Curtis. He was raised and educated there and graduated from Stratford High School in 1948.

Dwaine worked for a couple of years in Groveton after high school, then he relocated to Boston to attend electronics school. His career as an electronics technician saw him living and working in Concord and Manchester for several years for companies such as Sanders Associates, Raytheon, and 12 years for Lockheed Martin, from which he retired. Following retirement, he and his wife moved back north, where they enjoyed traveling and camping with their RV and wintering in Florida. Dwaine loved to play golf, and he was an avid reader. He enjoyed discussing politics, and he was also a devout New York Yankees fan.

He leaves behind his loving wife, Joy (Silver) Curtis of Columbia; two daughters, Heidi Saari and husband Randy of Canaan, Nancy Divoll and husband Kenneth of Barrington, NH; two sons, John Curtis and wife Sue of Manchester, NH, and Keith Curtis and wife Rona of Litchfield, NH; eight

grandchildren and four great-grandchildren; as well as many nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by a daughter, Katherine Hemingstam; a brother, Ermand Curtis; and two sisters, Geraldine Parker and Eleanor Jewell.

There are no public services scheduled at this time.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mr. Curtis may be made to the Two Rivers Ride for Cancer, c/o R. Mulliken, 53 Spring 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 in NH are under the direction of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest condolences to the Curtis Family. (Heidi I sent you a message on your e-mail that your brother Keith gave me and you didn't respond. I am still waiting to hear from you.)*

*Your friend Nicole Dube Morissette*

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**Nicole Dube Morissette** - August 12, 2015 at 05:44 PM

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“ *I was very sorry to read of the loss of your loved one. Please accept our condolences. May God bless you with happy memories. Ann Gray*

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**Ann Gray** - June 24, 2015 at 12:08 PM

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“ *DEAR JOY; I AM GRIEVED BY THE NEWS OF YOUR LOSS. DWAIN AND I WERE CLOSE FRIENDS IN OUR YOUTH. HE WAS BEST MAN AT MY WEDDING. MAY GOD BLESS AND COMFORT YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. LOVE TO ALL, ARTHUR L. PARKS*

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**ARTHUR PARKS** - June 12, 2015 at 06:51 PM

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“ We remember Dwaine as a good friend and gentleman. We are greatly saddened by his passing. Our thought and prayers are with his family.

We have many memories of playing golf together, family camping with Dwaine Joy, Kathy, John, Nancy, Heidi, and Keith. You will be remembered always in our hearts. Rest in peace my friend !!!

Howie, Cathy, Pat, Glenn, & Mike

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Howard & Cathy Tilton - June 09, 2015 at 11:45 AM

PF

“ I remember Mr. Curtis as our bus driver many years ago, driving us bunch of yahoos to PHS.... he had more patience with us than we deserved! Our thoughts will be with Heidi, Joy and their families as they begin a journey without him by their side.

Pam & Wayne

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Pam Frizzell - June 09, 2015 at 07:53 AM

PC

“ Please accept our sincere condolences. In the past few months we got to know Mr. & Mrs. Curtis as we were going to their home every other week. My sister and I not only looked forward to seeing them but Mr. Curtis was a great conversationalist and such an intelligent man with a great sense of humor. We will miss seeing him and his kind smile.

Pauline Couture and Carole Horton

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Pauline Couture - June 09, 2015 at 07:19 AM