



Elmerline A. Vancore

December 5, 1922 - September 10, 2010

NORTH HAVERHILL, NH – Mrs. Elmerline A. Vancore, 87, of North Haverhill, NH, and formerly of Colebrook, NH, passed away on Friday, September 10, 2010, at the Grafton County Nursing Home in North Haverhill, NH.

Elmerline was born in Canaan, Vt., on December 5, 1922, a daughter of the late Edwin and Ruth (Tillotson) Dwinell. She attended school in Canaan and was a graduate of Canaan's Class of 1940. She was the wife of Robert Vancore.

During World War II, Elmerline worked in the office of Sikorsky Aircraft in Stratford, Conn., and later for Ethan Allen in Beecher Falls. She was a Librarian for the Colebrook Public Library for many years before joining her husband at Vancore's Jewelry Store. Since 1893, the Vancore family had operated the jeweler business on Main Street in Colebrook until Robert and Elmerline retired and closed the store in 2000.

Elmerline was a member of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church where she taught Sunday School, she was the treasurer of the Wonder Workers for many years, and was a 50-year member of both the American Legion Auxiliary and the Order of the Eastern Star.

Family members include two daughters, Doris Kristen Riley of North Haverhill,

NH, and Ruth Anne Kelsea of Pembroke, NH; a sister, Betty Raymond of West Stewartstown, NH; four grandchildren, Amy Baker of Franconia, NH, Allen Riley of Haverhill, NH, Jennifer Verville of Loudon, NH, and Kimberley Kelsea of Newton, Mass.; and five great-grandchildren.

Elmerline is predeceased by her husband of 56 years, Robert Vancore, in 2002, and a sister, Katherine Gadwah.

There are no calling hours. A graveside service will be held on Monday, September 27, 2010, at 11 a.m. at the Colebrook Village Cemetery. The Reverend Marlyn Neary will officiate.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mrs. Vancore may be made to the 45th Parallel EMS, c/o Deputy Chief Michelle Hyde, 46 Ramsey Road, Colebrook, NH 03576.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to www.jenkinsnewman.com.

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

Tribute Wall



“ Your thoughts are so appreciated, My mother, Kristen, and Aunt (Ruth Anne), really have been enjoying your thoughts and condolences, as have I. Elmerline taught me that the most wonderful feeling in life is to give to others, just as you have. Thank you. Amy##imported-begin##Amy J. Riley-Baker, Granddaughter of Elmerline##imported-end##

September 20, 2010 at 11:55 AM



“ Dear Ruth & Family,
I am sorry for the loss of your Mom. You and your family have been in my thoughts and prayers during this past year with the ups and downs with your Mom's health. If you need anything, I am here for you.

Love,

~Gina##imported-begin##Gina##imported-end##

September 17, 2010 at 08:37 AM



“ Ruth,
I am so sorry for your loss. My deepest condolences to you and your family. I will keep you in my prayers.
With love and respect,
Anne Taylor##imported-begin##Anne Taylor##imported-end##

September 16, 2010 at 09:50 PM



“ I read Elmerline's obituary in the paper and want you to know that I am sorry for your loss. I worked at the Nursing Home and visited often with her. She often said that she and I had a lot of the same likes and dislikes. I tried her favorite dish {cottage cheese with mandarin oranges} and I do like that. I think that I'm one of the few people who didn't call her Lee. She will be missed.
Anna##imported-begin##Anna Page##imported-end##

September 16, 2010 at 05:39 PM



“ Ruth, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Your Mom is at peace now, but you'll always have the memories and her love in your heart. Just remember the good times. We all love you down here.##imported-begin##Nancy Tasker##imported-end##

September 16, 2010 at 09:03 AM



“ So sorry to read of Mrs. Vancore's death. I hope she was able to enjoy the family photos I sent recently.

Bev Esson, distant cousin
Wells, ME##imported-begin##Beverly Esson##imported-end##

September 15, 2010 at 12:08 PM



“ Dear Kristen, Ruth Anne and families,
I was so sorry to read of your Mom's passing. Thinking of her brings back many good memories of growing up on Colby Street, especially her visits to our house during the holidays for my Mom's homemade eggnog! My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.

Helene (Lavigne) Phillips##imported-begin##Helene Phillips##imported-end##

September 14, 2010 at 07:44 AM



“ Kristen, Ruth Ann and families our thoughts and prayers are with you family during this difficult time.

Cindy and Robert##imported-begin##Cindy Noyes Bissonnette##imported-end##

September 13, 2010 at 08:28 AM



“ I have such wonderful memories of Emerline She certainly enriched my childhood. She was a great person and I am so glad she was a part of my life.##imported-begin##Marie Parker##imported-end##

September 13, 2010 at 08:13 AM



“ Dear Kristen and family,
We were so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. Our sincere condolences are with you and you will be in our thoughts and prayers.

Joy & Chip##imported-begin##Joy Frizzell##imported-end##

September 13, 2010 at 07:36 AM



“ *Dear Vancore Family: I am sorry to hear of dear Elmerline's, passing. What a great lady. Please take comfort that the Golden Girls are again together, and Robert will again have her guidance.*

With sincere sympathy,

Donny##imported-begin##Donald Vashaw##imported-end##

September 12, 2010 at 06:09 PM