



## Geneva Y. Parker

August 31, 1924 - January 14, 2007

Mrs. Geneva Y. Parker, 82, of Colby Commons, Colebrook, New Hampshire, passed away Sunday afternoon, January 14, 2007, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital surrounded by her loving family. Mrs. Parker was born August 31, 1924, in Milan, NH, daughter of the late Gerald and Claudice (Hebberd) Young. Mrs. Parker was a lifelong resident of Colebrook, attending grammar school in Colebrook and graduating from Colebrook Academy in 1942. In the fall of 1942, she started work for the OPA rationing office for the duration of World War II. Later in her life she was a homemaker, raising her two sons while working as a teller for Colebrook National Bank for eight years. She married Bertram Parker on March 29, 1951. A self-taught musician, she loved music. She played the piano and the guitar, and she enjoyed playing the organ for Monadnock Village and the American Legion in Canaan, VT. She and her sister, Lorraine, also sang and tap danced in shows together. Her greatest joy was spending time with her children and grandchildren and will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her. Mrs. Parker is survived by her two sons, Ricky Parker and wife, Angela, of Columbia, NH, and Reggie Parker and wife, Jackie, of Pittsburg, NH; a brother, Clare Young of Colebrook, NH; a sister, Lorraine Heath of Bedford, NH; five grandchildren, Michael Parker, Shawn Parker, Christie Parker, Bryan Parker and Sarah Parker; two great-grandchildren, Caden Parker and Michaela Fournier; and two nephews. Mrs. Parker is preceded in death by her loving husband, Bertram W. Parker. Calling hours will be held on Tuesday, January 16, 2007, from 6-9 p.m. at the Jenkins

& Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook. A funeral service will be conducted on Wednesday, January 17th at 11:00 a.m. at the Monadnock Congregational Church with The Reverend Rebecca Larson officiating. Interment will be private at the Colebrook Village Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy in Mrs. Parker's memory may be made to Colebrook School District Music Department, 3 Academy Road, Colebrook, NH 03576.