



Jeannette J. Roy

August 18, 1921 - April 5, 2006

Mrs. Jeannette J. (Plourde) Roy, 84, of Averill, Vermont, passed away Wednesday evening, April 5, 2006, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital in Colebrook. Mrs. Roy was born August 18, 1921, in Berlin, NH, daughter of the late Wilbrod and Marie Ann (Boisvert) Plourde. She attended school at St. Regis Academy in Berlin, NH. In 1949, she purchased the Lakeview Store in Averill where she diligently operated the store for a number of years until her daughter, Priscilla, took over the family business. She was very involved as a parishioner of St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Norton and enjoyed serving as the church organist. She also worked as the local correspondent for the Averill/Norton area for The News & Sentinel, retiring after 26 years of faithful service. Her passion for people led her to be widely known as the "Avon Lady", selling Avon products for over 50 years. She loved to travel and made friends wherever she went. Her other interests included photography, eating chocolate, and her involvement in the Rosary Society and the Daughters of Isabelle. She will be remembered as a loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend and will be greatly missed. Mrs. Roy is survived by her four children, Priscilla Roy of Averill, VT, Ronald Roy and his wife, Anne, of Massena, NY, Robert Roy and his companion, Connie Jackson, of Colebrook, NH, and Collette Cook and her husband, Fulton, of Elizabethton, TN; three grandchildren, Daniel Roy, Kristine Roy and Gabrielle Roy and her husband, Justin Eldred; and a great-granddaughter, Crystal Roy. She is preceded in death by her parents; her loving husband, Victor Roy; and

her brother, Normand Plourde. There will be no calling hours. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, April 8, 2006, at 11:00 a.m. at St. Bernard's Parish in Norton, VT. An interment service will be held in the summer at St. Bernard's Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy in Mrs. Roy's memory may be made to St. Bernard's Parish in Norton, VT.