



Lawrence Ned Kelsea

March 18, 1930 - October 13, 2006

Lawrence Ned Kelsea, 76, of Titus Hill Road, Colebrook, New Hampshire, passed away early Friday morning, October 13, 2006, at his home. Lawrence was born March 18, 1930, on the family farm in Colebrook, the son of the late Ned and Alta (Bailey) Kelsea. Lawrence attended Colebrook Academy and later worked for Charlie Jackson as a farmer and woodsman. He was also employed with Audley Construction and later purchased the family farm in 1962 following his father's death. In 1963, he established Mountain View Dairy and pasteurization plant, delivering milk and potatoes to area customers until 1972. He farmed until 1987 and later raised beef cattle until 2004 with his nephew, Dan Wells. He also worked part-time harvesting Christmas trees and operating an excavator. His hobbies included hunting and fishing, and his many friends would see him driving the back roads of East Colebrook on a daily basis. Lawrence is survived by his daughter, Heather Baillargeon and husband, Peter, of Intervale, NH; two sisters, Leone Brooks of Stonington, CT, and Barbara Wells of Antrim, NH; a brother, Donald Kelsea of Colebrook, NH; two grandchildren, Ethan and Gracie Baillargeon of Intervale, NH; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. Lawrence is preceded in death by his parents, Ned Kelsea in 1961, and Alta (Bailey) Kelsea in 1972. Calling hours will be held on Sunday, October 15, 2006, from 4-6 p.m. at the Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook. A funeral service will be conducted on Monday, October 16th at 1:00 p.m. at the Trinity United Methodist Church with The Reverend Larry Clough officiating. An interment service will

immediately follow at the Colebrook Village Cemetery. Pallbearers are Danny Lyons, Nelson Boire, Jimmy Jeffers, Scott Nash, Bruce Lyons and Raymond Paquette. Honorary Pallbearers are Albion Lyons, Robert Hodge, Fred Rainville, Bobby Keazer, Tabor Gray and Josh Boire. Expressions of sympathy in Lawrence's memory may be made to the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital, c/o Kim Daley, Corliss Lane, Colebrook, NH 03576.