



Lucille G. Lalande

June 22, 1926 - November 17, 2012

WHITEFIELD, NH—Mrs. Lucille G. Lalande, 86, of Whitefield, NH, and formerly of Columbia, died peacefully at the Weeks Medical Center in Lancaster, NH, on Saturday morning, Nov. 17, 2012, after a sudden illness.

She was born on June 22, 1926, in East Hereford, Québec, daughter of the late George and Ariana (Gagner) Riendeau. Most of her education was in Canada, but after the family moved to the U.S., Lucille also attended the local school to learn English.

For many years, Lucille and her husband, Roland, owned and operated a small grocery store on Bridge Street in Colebrook. After they closed the store, she worked for 18 years at the Beecher Falls Division of Ethan Allen from which she retired. After her husband's death in 2004, Lucille moved to Littleton, NH.

She was a talented artist who loved to draw. She was also very good with small projects around her home, and she knew how to use all the things in her toolbox. Lucille was a long-time communicant of St. Brendan's Catholic Church.

Lucille leaves behind two sisters, Evelyn Bohan and husband Ernest of West Stewartstown, and Isabelle Parkhurst and husband Kenneth of Columbia; as

well as numerous nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her husband Roland; two brothers, Marcel and Gilles Riendeau; and a sister, Huguette Thibeault.

Calling hours will be on Saturday morning, Nov. 24, 2012, from 9-11 a.m. at the Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook. A Mass of Christian Burial will immediately follow at 11 a.m. at St. Brendan's Catholic Church in Colebrook with The Rev. Craig Cheney as celebrant. Burial will follow at St. Brendan's Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mrs. Lalande may be made to the North American Martyrs' Parish for the benefit of St. Brendan's Church, 55 Pleasant St., 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



“ I am a small cousin. Her mother was my father cousin. I am writing for myself and Claire Beloin-Robert's family also. We offre our deepest sympathy to the family. She will be in our prayers and remember her in your hearts always. You had good memories with her in the past. She was a wonderful woman during her lifetime.##imported-begin##Richard Corbeil##imported-end##

November 26, 2012 at 05:19 PM



“ All our condolences to all the family.##imported-begin##Francine & Andre Champagne##imported-end##

November 19, 2012 at 01:23 PM



“ Sincere condolences to all of Lucille's family and friends. I took over after her as Columbia Tax Collector back in the 80's. She served her Town very well! She was a very nice, friendly lady. Praying for her sisters, Evelyn and my aunt Isabelle whom I know will miss her very much, as well as the rest of the Riendeau family. May God comfort you.##imported-begin##Lori (Parkhurst) MacDonald##imported-end##

November 19, 2012 at 09:35 AM



“ So sorry to hear of Lucille's passing. My mother, Simonne (Fournier) Cotter and Lucille were 1st. cousins. They enjoyed lunch together on a frequent basis. May the Choirs of the Angels lead Lucille into Paradise and have rest everlasting. Paul Cotter, Poinciana FL##imported-begin##Paul Cotter##imported-end##

November 18, 2012 at 11:01 PM



“ Sincere condolences to my cousins Isabelle, Evelyn and family.##imported-begin##Therese Lemieux Tetreault##imported-end##

November 18, 2012 at 03:49 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear about Lucille. We were both in the eighth grade in West Stewartstown grammar school. I was impressed with her drawing. Knowing that I liked to ice skate, she drew me a picture of a girl on ice skates. I kept that picture for years. When she lived in Columbia, we had a chance to visit once in awhile. She will be missed. Leatrice##imported-begin##Leatrice Bacon##imported-end##

November 18, 2012 at 03:17 PM