



Marianne V. Salonia

September 13, 1934 - August 26, 2006

COLEBROOK, NEW HAMPSHIRE -- Mrs. Marianne V. (Borack) Salonia, 71, of Piper Hill Road, Colebrook, New Hampshire, formerly of Portland, Connecticut, passed away Saturday evening, August 26, 2006, at her home surrounded by her loving family following a courageous battle with cancer. Mrs. Salonia was born September 13, 1934, in Long Island, NY, daughter of the late Andrew John Borack and Mary Ann (Sinkiewicz) Borack. As a young girl, Mrs. Salonia waitressed and worked several odd jobs. She loved her role as a homemaker and enjoyed caring for her children and her late husband, James Philip Salonia, Sr. Her desire to help her family extended to caring for her husband's mother, sister and two aunts. Her commitment to children led to her involvement in the Portland School System by helping handicapped students. She loved attending her grandchildren's sporting events, and her many interests included shopping, cooking, and eating-out. She will be most remembered for her love of her husband, children and grandchildren. Mrs. Salonia is survived by her eight children, Henry Solek and wife, Sharon, of Portland, CT, William Martindale and wife, Wendy, of Hamden, CT, Michael Martindale and wife, Debbie, of Meriden, CT, Debra Wildermuth, of Meriden, CT, Marianne Rossitto and husband, T.J., of Colebrook, NH, James Salonia and wife, Vicki, of Colebrook, NH, Philip Salonia and companion, Leighann Bartlett, of Errol, NH, and Lynnora Beaulier and husband, Darrell, of Colebrook, NH; ten grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren. Mrs. Salonia is preceded in death by her loving husband, James P. Salonia, Sr. on

March 21, 2006. At Mrs. Salonia's request, there will be no calling hours. A prayer service for family and friends will be held on Tuesday, September 5, 2006, at 1:00 p.m. at Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook, NH, with The Reverend Craig Cheney officiating. Expressions of sympathy in Mrs. Salonia's memory may be made to the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital, c/o Kim Daley, Corliss Lane, Colebrook, NH 03576.