



Maurice P. Bunker Jr.

December 10, 1944 - January 27, 2025

COLEBROOK – Maurice P. Bunker, Jr., 80, of Colebrook passed away at his home on Monday, January 27, 2025.

He was born in Concord, N.H., on Dec. 10, 1944, a son to the late Maurice P. and Elsie (Kenerson) Bunker, Sr. When he was a teenager, Maurice took his head of cattle and his first tractor and went to live with his grandparents in Amesbury, Mass., to be of help to them. He was a 1963 graduate of Amesbury High School.

Maurice worked for a time at a ball bearing factory in Laconia where he met the love of his life, Sally Clough. After their marriage, he later worked in the construction and concrete industry. In 1977, they moved to Colebrook where they made a life on their small farm. Maurice went to work for the Colebrook Elementary School where he was a long-time custodian and from where he retired.

Maurice loved to be outdoors and was very proud of his large sugar orchard. He loved to tend to his garden and his beloved Irish Dexter cows, to be busy cutting wood or working with his bulldozer. He and Sally were also known to love to go out dancing and would often be seen at the Colebrook Country Club or the Northland, and other venues featuring the music they loved.

He is survived by his daughter, Paula Walling of Brunswick, Vt.; a step-son, Peter Amatuzzo of St. Petersburg, Fla.; two grandsons, Kyle (Jessica) and Patrick (Marcy) Walling; a sister, Cynthia Bunker of Peterborough, N.H.; and a sister-in-law, Bonnie Bunker of New York.

He is preceded by his beloved wife of 54 years, Sally (Clough) Bunker in 2022, and a brother, Hollis.

There are no public calling hours. A graveside interment service for both Mr. & Mrs. Bunker will be held at a later date in the Colebrook Village Cemetery, of which notice will be given.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mr. Bunker may be made to the Coös Animal Sanctuary, P.O. Box 345, Colebrook, NH 03576.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to www.jenkinsnewman.com.

Arrangements are entrusted to the care of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook.

Cemetery Details

Colebrook Village Cemetery

North Main Street, U.S. Route 3
Colebrook, NH

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

EK

“ Dear Paula, As neighbors we enjoyed both your parents and will miss them both. Please accept our deepest sympathies. Bruce and Emmy Katz

Emily Katz - February 23, 2025 at 12:41 PM

PA

“ He was a very stern man; but also very caring. His family will miss him the most.

Paula - February 03, 2025 at 05:06 PM

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“ David U. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maurice P. Bunker Jr..

David U. - February 02, 2025 at 03:09 PM

EG

“ He was a great person who loved life and family to the fullest. Will always remember the dancing we did together. RIP, forever missed



Eva Guy - February 02, 2025 at 10:41 AM