



## Maurice J. Grondin

June 1, 1925 - March 18, 2006

Mr. Maurice J. Grondin, 80, of Canaan, Vermont, passed away suddenly Saturday morning, March 18, 2006, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital. Mr. Grondin was born June 1, 1925, in Paquetteville, P.Q., Canada, son of the late Albert and Alberta (Dodier) Grondin. Mr. Grondin married Laurette Robillard on October 26, 1949, and moved to the United States that same year. He and his wife worked on their farm in South Canaan, selling the farm in 1974. He then worked as a logger for Brown Company until his retirement at the age of 65. He enjoyed working with wood and even built his own fiddle as a young man. He loved playing cards and pruning, cutting and selling Christmas trees. Mr. Grondin is survived by three sons, Michael Grondin of Upton, ME, André Grondin and companion, Susan Nash, of Colebrook, NH, and Alain Grondin and companion, Brenda Maurais, of Columbia, NH; two sisters, Olivette Grondin of Coaticook, P.Q., Canada, and Therese Fauteux of Coaticook, P.Q., Canada; six grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. Mr. Grondin is preceded in death by his parents; his loving wife of 53 years, Laurette Grondin on June 6, 2003; a son, Yvon Grondin in 1998; five brothers, Charles Grondin, Rudolph Grondin, Paul Grondin, Claude Grondin and Jules Grondin; and two sisters, Fernande Beloin and Pauline Pariseau. There will be no calling hours. A private family service will be held at a later date. Expressions of sympathy in Mr. Grondin's memory may be made to the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital, c/o Kim Daley, Corliss Lane, Colebrook, NH 03576.