



Monique Purrington

July 2, 1930 - March 3, 2011

COLEBROOK, NH – Mrs. Monique M. Purrington, 80, of West Stewartstown and formerly of Colebrook, NH, passed away on Thursday afternoon, March 3, 2011, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital in Colebrook, NH, with her loving family at her side.

She was born in Lac Megantic, Quebec, on July 2, 1930, a daughter to the late Onesieme and Bertha (Blais) Roy. She emigrated to the U.S. in 1949 and married Edwin S. Purrington in 1953.

Monique was a devoted wife and mother to her family. She loved time spent with them, and enjoyed traveling to visit her children and grandchildren all over the country. Her travels took her to Hawaii, Washington, Arizona and England. She loved to sew, tend to her garden, and she was an avid reader. Monique was a communicant at St. Brendan's Catholic Church and she was a member of the Daughters of Isabella at the Shrine of Our Lade of Grace. Throughout her life, she remained very close to her sisters and nieces and nephews as well.

Monique is survived by her six children, Anna Riley and husband John of Tuscon, Ariz., Julie Norton of Olympia, Wash., Cynthia Walling of Bloomfield, Vt., Laurie Jaques and husband Christopher of Phoenix, Ariz., Eric Purrington of Colebrook, and Alan Purrington of Olympia, Wash.; a sister, Eva Breton of

Lac Megantic, Que.; 13 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Edwin S. Purrington in 2000; and eleven siblings.

There are no calling hours. A memorial Mass will be held on Ash Wednesday, March 9, 2011, at 1 p.m. at St. Brendan's Catholic Church in Colebrook with The Rev. Craig Cheney as celebrant. A committal service and interment will be at the Colebrook Village Cemetery in the spring.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Monique may be made to the CCNH Resident Activity Fund, P.O. Box 10, West Stewartstown, NH 03597.

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



“ Julie, Anna, Eric and all of your family... I was saddened to hear about your Mom. She was a beautiful lady and I felt so fortunate to be able to care for her last summer and share some smiles with her. Remember that she'll always be with you and loved you very much.##imported-begin##Kathy D'Anjou McIntyre##imported-end##

March 20, 2011 at 12:50 AM



“ Laurie

I'm sorry to hear about your mom. One of my fondest memories as a young kid in Colebrook was going to your house to play. Your mom didn't seem to mind an extra kid in the way!

Aimee##imported-begin##Aimee Bucciarelli Felker##imported-end##

March 14, 2011 at 04:42 PM



“ Your mom was one of the most loving persons have ever known. You were blessed to have her as your mother. I am deeply sorry for your loss

danny##imported-begin##Dan Noyes##imported-end##

March 13, 2011 at 03:56 PM



“ So sorry to hear about the lost of your Mom. I have some good memories of your mom. Losing your mom is very hard and I am sure you will all miss her very much. One thing I am very sure of is that I know the three sisters are glad to be reunited!
Take care all of you & know that you are in our thoughts & prayers.
Carmen###imported-begin##Carmen Craft###imported-end##

March 09, 2011 at 10:24 AM



“ We miss you Mom and cant wait till we see you in heaven , with Jesus!!! You are an inspiration to us all. You will be missed so much, by so many.No more pain, tears suffering where you are now.Life is a vapor, and heaven is forever!Jesus is the way the truth the life no man comes to the Father but by Him...###imported-begin##Laurie T. and Chris Jaques###imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 03:58 PM



“ Grandma Monique was so wonderful and loving towards everyone. She was very talented as well. I was able to meet her once and I am happy that I will always have that memory of her. I miss her so much and can not wait to see her in heaven someday. I love and miss you grandma.###imported-begin##Cosette Schwartz-Purrington###imported-end##

March 08, 2011 at 11:20 AM



“ To Alan and all of Monique's family you are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.###imported-begin##Tim and Linda (Bolton) Haynes/Hope Bolton###imported-end##

March 07, 2011 at 11:20 PM



“ sorry about your mom.##imported-begin##mary##imported-end##

March 07, 2011 at 01:49 PM



“ Our condolences to the entire family.##imported-begin##Haven & Peggy Haynes##imported-end##

March 07, 2011 at 08:20 AM



“ I would like all of you to know how sorry I am with the loss of your mother. I know how close that you were and glad that she got to do some traveling. I have wonderful memories of her in my teenage year. Bless you all with the memories of her.##imported-begin##Cindy Brigham##imported-end##

March 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ To the entire Purrington family,
Please accept our most sincere condolences in the loss of your dear mother.
May you be comforted by all the wonderful memories and the hugs and prayers of your friends and family during this most difficult time.

May the Lord bless you all.

Sincerely,

Lori (Parkhurst) and James MacDonald

(formerly of Columbia and Lemington)##imported-begin##Lori

Parkhurst MacDonald##imported-end##

March 04, 2011 at 03:08 PM