



Paula F. Corliss

December 21, 1939 - December 22, 2010

NORTH HAVERHILL, NH -- Paula Fannon Corliss, 71, passed away Wednesday, December 22, 2010, at the Grafton County Nursing Home in North Haverhill, NH, after a valiant fight against cancer.

A native of Hopkinton, Mass., Paula was born on St. Lucy's Day, December 21, 1939, the eldest daughter of E. Leo and A. Elizabeth (Brown) Fannon. Paula graduated from New Canaan, Conn., High School and moved to Colebrook in 1967. She was a member of St. Brendan's Parish, taught CCD, enjoyed gardening, wrote poetry and was active in family business. Following the death of her husband, H. Charles Corliss, she returned to Massachusetts, and then spent her later years in Littleton and Grafton, NH.

She is survived by sisters Peggy McKearney and Patricia (Leslie) Klinefelter; children Renee (Athomas Goldberg) Bucciarelli of New Westminster, British Columbia, Peter (Linda) Bucciarelli of Bethlehem, NH, Aimee (Christopher) Felker of Santa Monica, CA and Charles (Jessica) Corliss of Kapolei, HI; step-sons H. Charles "Chuck", Bruce and Kevin Corliss; foster-sons Richard, Steven, Marc and Daniel Bissonnette; grand-children PJ and Sara Bucciarelli, Will Felker, Juliet Meccia and Fiona Goldberg; nieces and nephews Diane Martinell, Darla Bebrin, Molly and Tom McKearney, Stephanie Hughes-Cross and EJ Hughes, Reggie, John and David Corliss and Brenda Corliss Simon.

Paula joins her husband, parents and brother, Peter Fannon, who preceded her in death.

A memorial Mass will be held at St. Brendan's Catholic Church followed by a committal service at the Colebrook Village Cemetery in May, 2011.

Expressions of sympathy in Paula's memory may be made to the Shrine of Our Lady of Grace, c/o The Rev. Robert Levesque, OMI, P.O. Box 5, 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



“ *Paula was a good neighbor of ours on Pleasant St. She was a person who had an optimistic and uplifting attitude. Pretty much always cheerful.*

She will be in our prayers.##imported-begin##Joeng & Mike Divney##imported-end##

January 07, 2011 at 05:57 PM



“ *Prayers and condolences to cousin Paula's family from all the Burkes. She is also reunited now with my parents, her Uncle Pete and Aunt Margey, two people for whom she always had the kindest words.##imported-begin##Tom Burke##imported-end##*

January 05, 2011 at 07:51 PM



“ *To all of Paula's family,
Although I did not know Paula for very long (I'm a Dietary Aid at GCNH) She was a special lady in the Granite neighborhood. She always took time to visit with me and was always very nice to me....I enjoyed my visits with her and will always remember her.
My deepest sympathy on the loss of a grand lady, she will be missed and always remembered.##imported-begin##Penny Parker##imported-end##*

January 01, 2011 at 09:43 PM



“ We will always remember Paula's sense of humor, which lives on in her children. We shared many good times together and she will always be in our hearts and memories. Her faith and love of beauty ensures she is where she wanted to be, heaven.##imported-begin##Patty and Les Klinefelter##imported-end##

December 31, 2010 at 10:44 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. Paula was one of my favorite people when I worked on Granite at GCNursing Home. After I retired, we e-mailed on a regular basis. She liked to forward things to me, Politics was one of her favorites and some jokes that were quite racy! I shall miss her. Paula, I hope you meet up with my little Erin, she would love you.##imported-begin##Anna Page##imported-end##

December 30, 2010 at 06:31 PM



“ Paula, who was in my Composition II class at New Canaan High School in 1957, continued writing to me over the decades. If, as she wrote, I was a continuing inspiration for her to read and to write, she even in the last two months of her life was an inspiration to me. She hoped for an eternity in Heaven and smiled that, at the age of 89, I just wrote biographies to insure that no one dies so long as someone remembers. She will live on in my autobiography, for I will describe her in detail. Warren Allen Smith, New York City##imported-begin##Warren Allen Smith##imported-end##

December 28, 2010 at 05:44 PM



“ Renee, Peter and Aimee: My deepest condolences in the loss of your mother. You and your families are all in my thoughts and prayers. Julie##imported-begin##Julie Daley##imported-end##

December 27, 2010 at 06:47 PM



“ Our deepest condolences on your loss.##imported-begin##Haven & Peggy Haynes##imported-end##

December 25, 2010 at 04:13 PM



“ To Patty, Peggy and all of Paula's family and friends: We'll always remember Paula as the woman who could do everything. I especially remember an impromptu supper for a gang of us that she whipped up out of thin air-a true miracle. Love to you all.##imported-begin##Barbara & Paul MacDonald##imported-end##

December 25, 2010 at 09:28 AM



“ Renee, Peter, Aimee, Charlie....I love you...and, I'm here for you always...
My sister Polly was a multi-talented person who had a very kind heart...to the Bissonette kids whom she and Charlie guided, you must be proud to have been a part of our family, as we are of you...
My sister Patty? I love you, too...!

Be happy , my family, and, God bless us (as Polly would say) one and all! amen.##imported-begin##C. Margaret (Peggy Fannon) McKearney##imported-end##

December 24, 2010 at 05:52 PM



“ My deepest sympathy to Paula's family and friends. She is an inspiration in the way she handled her illness, with dignity, courage, and, of course, humor.
God bless you all.##imported-begin##Dorothea Brown##imported-end##

December 24, 2010 at 01:54 PM



“ Peter, Renee, Amy, Charlie and families,

Sorry for your loss, our thoughts and prayers are with you in this difficult time.

Wayne & Pam Frizzell##imported-begin##Wayne Frizzell##imported-end##

December 24, 2010 at 11:59 AM



“ Our sincere condolence for the loss of your loved one. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Lucille and Albert##imported-begin##Lucille and Albert Maurais##imported-end##

December 24, 2010 at 11:57 AM



“ Deepest condolences to our old friends and neighbors. Our hearts go out to the whole family.
Clay & Michelle (Cote) Hinds##imported-begin##Michelle & Clayton Hinds##imported-end##

December 24, 2010 at 09:55 AM



“ *Patty, Peggy and families,
I was sorry to see the passing of Paula. I have many memories of good times we shared. Though it's been a long time I think of you often. Please accept my condolences on your loss. Barbara once Gray)###imported-begin##Barbara McKinnon (Tombstone, AZ)###imported-end##*

December 24, 2010 at 08:57 AM



“ *I am so very sorry to hear of Paula's passing. She will be quite missed and I would like to extend my deepest sympathies to her children and sisters.*

Christina Whelton (Margie Brown's daughter)###imported-begin##Christina Whelton###imported-end##

December 23, 2010 at 08:21 PM



“ *Renee, Peter, Amy, Charlie and families,*

I am sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you in this sad time.

Debbie###imported-begin##Debbie Carrigan McGuire###imported-end##

December 23, 2010 at 01:46 PM



“ Aunt Paula was an independant thinker and a woman of tremendous courage and grace. I will miss her dearly, and I thank her for all she did for her family and the community she loved. She is now with her beloved Uncle Charlie and my prayer is that they are dancing to their song in heaven.##imported-begin##Stephanie J. Hughes-Cross##imported-end##

December 23, 2010 at 12:52 AM



“ Sending my condolences to Paula's family. I had the honor of taking care of Paula the past few months and also back in 2005. She had taken to emailing me and she allows made me laugh. Please know that her friends from Grafton County will miss her##imported-begin##Nancy Contoupe##imported-end##

December 23, 2010 at 12:27 AM



“ To all of Paula's family,
Please accept our most heartfelt condolences in the loss of your mother. May you feel comforted by your memories and feel strength through the prayers of others. She was a wonderful lady and will be greatly missed.
Hugs and prayers,
James (Jim) and Lori##imported-begin##Lori (Parkhurst)
MacDonald and James MacDonald##imported-end##

December 22, 2010 at 09:10 PM