



Richard E. Ramsay

September 26, 1929 - March 25, 2007

Mr. Richard E. Ramsay, 77, of Bloomfield, Vermont, passed away suddenly Sunday evening, March 25, 2007, at his home. Mr. Ramsay was born September 26, 1929, in Bloomfield, son of the late Howard and Doris (Eugley) Ramsay. Mr. Ramsay graduated from Stratford High School and worked for several years as a self-employed carpenter building homes, including his current residence. His passion was working with horses, where as a young man, he worked with teams of horses in the woods. He also enjoyed buying and selling horses and ponies and spending time outdoors. His greatest joy was spending time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren and he will be dearly missed by his family and many friends. Mr. Ramsay is survived by his long-time companion, Joyce Whittier of Bloomfield, VT; three children, Gayle LeClair of North Stratford, NH, Lynne Messier and husband, Don, of Hyde Park, VT, and Dale Ramsay and wife, Lori, of Louisville, KY; a sister, Martha LeHoux of Stuart, FL; seven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces, nephews and cousins. Mr. Ramsay is preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Hazen Ramsay; and a sister, Mary Lizzie. At Mr. Ramsay's request, there will be no calling hours. A graveside service will be held at the Bloomfield Cemetery on Sunday, May 27, 2007, at 11:00 a.m. Expressions of sympathy in Mr. Ramsay's memory may be made to the Two Rivers Ride for Cancer Fund, c/o Rosemary Mulliken, First Colebrook Bank, 132 Main Street, Colebrook, NH 03576.