



## Roger L. Boutin

November 9, 1928 - August 11, 2023

BEECHER FALLS – Roger L. Boutin, 94, of Beecher Falls, Vt., died at the Coös County Nursing Hospital in W. Stewartstown early on Friday, Aug. 11, 2023, after a period of failing health, with his family by his side.

He was born in La Patrie, Quebec, on Nov. 9, 1928, a son to the late Joseph and Estelle (LaRoche) Boutin. Roger began working in the woods at a young age and later emigrated to work at the Beecher Falls Division of Ethan Allen. He had planned to only work there a couple of weeks and then return to logging in the woods, but the novelty of regular paycheck kept him at Ethan Allen for almost 40 years.

He was also a former member of the Beecher Falls Volunteer Fire Department and a member of the Knights of Columbus. He enjoyed woodworking and making maple syrup at the family sugar shack. He was a gentle soul and always greeted everyone with a warm smile. To his grandchildren, he was the “fix it” guy who could repair anything. Roger also loved to go dancing with his wife. He and H elene were often seen on Saturday nights at the Northland dancing the night away.

Roger’s wife of 66 years survives him, H elene (Vaillancourt) Boutin of Beecher Falls, along with his children, Levis Boutin and wife Judy of Beecher Falls, Francis and Connie Boutin of Corinth, Vt., and Judith Cole and her husband

Brian of Cotuit, Mass.; his son-in-law, Jason Laughton and his wife Donna of Clarksville; 12 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

He is predeceased by a daughter, Chantal Laughton in 1993, and nine siblings, Thomas Boutin, Roland Boutin, Clement Boutin, Alyre Boutin, Emile Boutin, Hilaire Boutin, Gerard Boutin, Rene Boutin, and Aurore Brochu.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, Aug. 18, 2023, at 11 a.m. at the Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook. The family will receive visitors from 9:30-11 a.m. prior to the service. A graveside committal will immediately follow at St. Albert's Cemetery in W. Stewartstown.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mr. Boutin may be made the CCNH Resident Activity Fund, c/o P.O. Box 10, W. Stewartstown, NH 03597.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to [www.jenkinsnewman.com](http://www.jenkinsnewman.com).

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

# Cemetery Details

## St. Albert's Catholic Cemetery

US Route 3  
West Stewartstown, NH

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

AUG 18. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home  
103 Main Street  
Colebrook, NH 03576  
(603) 237-4311  
[info@jenkinsnewman.com](mailto:info@jenkinsnewman.com)

## Graveside Committal

AUG 18. 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Albert's Catholic Cemetery  
US Route 3  
West Stewartstown, NH

# Tribute Wall



Bernard  
Jalbert

“ I remember Roger as a kind and patient man. A childhood memory I have of him is while he was remodeling/repurposing the old church in Beecher Falls. He would let me hang around to observe construction through most stages of the process. I still have in my possession, some small stained glass details that he gave me for trying to be useful cleaning up after some projects. This early experience certainly had some influence on my choice of career.

*My condolences to the family.*

*Bernard Jalbert, Architect*

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**Bernard Jalbert** - August 30, 2023 at 06:30 PM

HL

*Awesome !*

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**Huguette Laperle** - May 01, 2025 at 11:57 PM

DB

“ Salutations à l'un des + proche "cousin" de nos parents, vrais gentleman et sympathique. Mes plus sincères condoléances aux familles et de sa descendance. Bye "Mon'onc"...



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**Denis Boutin** - August 27, 2023 at 07:36 AM

BB

“ Toute mes sympathies Hélène et à toute la famille. Je garde un très bon souvenir de notre voyage chez oncle Jules avec papa .

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**Berthe Boutin** - August 25, 2023 at 09:05 AM

DF

“ Remember him in the sugar house boiling and he gave our grandsons a jar of fresh syrup.  
Our sympathy in the loss of your father. Dan and Arlene Fortin

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**Dan &Arlene Fortin** - August 24, 2023 at 04:02 PM

BB

“ Judy and family... our thoughts are with you and your family as you grieve. God bless.

*Ben Burns & family.*

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**Benjamin S Burns** - August 21, 2023 at 08:22 PM

 Luc Pariseau

“ Sorry for your loss. My condolences to the family.

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**Luc Pariseau** - August 18, 2023 at 05:22 PM

AN

“ To the Boutin family, very sorry for your loss.

*Ann &Larry Blaney*

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**Ann** - August 17, 2023 at 07:52 PM

DP

“ My sincere condolences to the family. We are so very sorry for your loss

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**dan philie** - August 17, 2023 at 03:10 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roger L. Boutin.*



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August 16, 2023 at 09:31 PM



“ *to helen levi francis and judy and families so sorry for your loss ... to roger to a life well lived and a rest so well deserved ... may he rest and peace he will be missed ginette turgeon*

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**GINETTE D TURGEON** - August 16, 2023 at 06:21 PM



“ *We are so very sorry for your loss, sending thoughts and prayers your way!*

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**Gilles and Priscilla Lambert** - August 16, 2023 at 09:18 AM



“ *Suzanne Harvey (ME & FL) lit a candle in memory of Roger L. Boutin*



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**Suzanne Harvey (ME & FL)** - August 15, 2023 at 07:36 PM



“ *Hey Levis and Judy, so hard to lose a parent . . . I am so glad I got to see you and your Dad at CDL a few years ago. He was just adorable! And you were so devoted. My condolences to you all.*

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**Emilie Langford** - August 13, 2023 at 09:12 PM

PF

“ *My sympathies to Helene and family. He was always in my town, as I grew up, always joking, always pleasant, and talked with us whenever we met* ❤️ *RIP Roger....* ”

Patsy Fontaine - August 13, 2023 at 07:16 PM

FC

“ *All our sympathy to Helene, children and all the family may Roger RIP* ”



Francine and Andre Champagne - August 13, 2023 at 01:11 PM

DT

“ *my sincere condolences to the family. Mr. Boutin was such a nice man. I grew up just a few doors down from him. Always was very pleasant to me. He will be missed.* ”

Donna Tibbetts Tonkin - August 13, 2023 at 08:32 AM

 Marie Noyes

“ *My deepest sympathies to the family. I have fond memories of him and his family. I won't ever forget growing up around them!* ”

Marie Noyes - August 12, 2023 at 06:55 PM

HH

“ *Our deepest condolences go out to the family on your loss.* ”

Haven Haynes - August 12, 2023 at 06:40 PM

JM

“ *Our condolences to Roger's family, May he Rest In Peace*

John Morrissey - August 12, 2023 at 06:02 PM

GT

“ *Rest in peace " Papa Boots"!*

Guy B Turgeon - August 12, 2023 at 03:49 PM

RD

“ *So sorry for your loss*

Richard A Dagesse - August 12, 2023 at 01:25 PM

TF

“ *Theresa Ferren-Avery lit a candle in memory of Roger L. Boutin*



Theresa Ferren-Avery - August 12, 2023 at 12:07 PM

RD

“ *Rita Donnell lit a candle in memory of Roger L. Boutin*



Rita Donnell - August 12, 2023 at 11:38 AM

JM

“ *My sympathies to the family . Roger was such a nice man, He will be missed.. RIP Roger*

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**Joanne Mathieu** - August 11, 2023 at 08:33 PM