



Roland M. Jeffers

March 18, 1944 - February 24, 2013

COLEBROOK— Mr. Roland M. Jeffers, 68, of Colebrook, NH, passed away at his home on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 24, 2013, after a long period of declining health and surrounded by his loving family.

He was born in Colebrook on March 18, 1944, a son to the late Miles and Laura (Blodgett) Jeffers. He was raised and educated in Colebrook and later married Louissette Robidas.

Throughout Roland's life, he was an accomplished guitar player. His early years were spent as a musician, playing classic country music with the Lonesome Valley Boys and later with the Harbor Lights in Berlin. He later worked for several local loggers as a truck driver before his health deteriorated.

Roland loved to be outdoors, taking care of his home and yard, of which he was very proud. He cherished time spent with his family, and always loved a family reunion party. He had a renowned, dry sense of humor, and he was a wonderful storyteller. Always a practical joker, Roland was always very convincing, regardless of the amount, or lack thereof, of any truthfulness contained in his stories. He will be missed by all as a loving husband, father, and grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend.

He leaves behind his loving wife of almost 48 years, Louissette (Robidas) Jeffers of Colebrook; his son, Vincent Jeffers and wife Lisa of Colebrook; his daughter Lisa Boudle and husband Steven of Groveton; two grandchildren, Khristina Jeffers of Errol and Claudia Boudle; one great-grandson, Conner Philip Wentworth; a brother, Sherwin Jeffers of Palm Springs, Calif.; and six sisters, Marilyn Hicks of Pepperell, Mass., Barbara Vachon and husband Jules of Berlin, NH, Everdene McIntyre of Londonderry, NH, Louise Lang and husband Reggie of Raymond, NH, Beth Avery and husband Earl of Milford, NH, and Eileen Sampson and husband John of Hillsborough, NH; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Roland is preceded in death by a brother, Burt Jeffers; and five sisters, Marjorie and Maxine Jeffers as children, and Emily Thomas, Eunice Gray, and Beverly Blanchard.

All services will be private for friends and family. An interment service will occur at a later date in the Colebrook Village Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Roland may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105; or online at www.stjude.org/tribute.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home, Colebrook, NH.

Tribute Wall



“ HI,
Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Sally A Jarest, Debbie
and Andre'Roy, and terry Jarest##imported-begin##SallyA.
Jarest##imported-end##

April 09, 2013 at 09:07 PM



“ I was talking with Chip saying I didn't know that Roland played the
guitar. Chip said that he played with hus brother Cacky. Truck
drivers and playing guitars just seems to go together. Sounds like
there are alot of memories to give you comfort and may God bless
all of you.##imported-begin##Becky and Chip Bean##imported-
end##

March 08, 2013 at 03:28 PM



“ Aunt Louisette...So sorry to hear of uncle Roland's passing. He will
be missed by all of us. He is at peace now.

Love, Cathy##imported-begin##Cathy Collins##imported-end##

March 03, 2013 at 06:40 AM



“ Roland, Gene Caron and I made wonderful memories in those days
of the early 60's when we were making music. Roland, you and
Gene are gone, but you will always be in my heart and mind.
Pat Chaloux##imported-begin##patrick chaloux##imported-end##

March 01, 2013 at 06:34 PM



“ *Louisette, I am saddened to here of the passing of your husband. I remember the last time we talked you told me he was not well. Please know that I am thinking of you and praying for comfort for you and your family.
Love and care,
Priscilla* *Priscilla Barnes* ”

March 01, 2013 at 11:11 AM



“ *All our Condolences to you Louisette, Vince & Lisa and all your family.* *Francine & Andre
Champagne* ”

February 28, 2013 at 07:01 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss, He was a wonderful man, our prayers and thoughts go out to your whole family* *Sandra
McBey & Lawrence Boudle* ”

February 27, 2013 at 08:21 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss!
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.* *Gilles
and Priscilla Lambert* ”

February 27, 2013 at 06:50 PM



“ *Rest in peace dad. We love you. You will be greatly missed.* *Vince and Lisa Jeffers* ”

February 27, 2013 at 02:29 PM



“ Vince, our deepest condolences on your loss and our prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Haven & Peggy Haynes##imported-end##

February 27, 2013 at 01:13 AM



“ Madame Jeffers,
Vincent
and Lisa, my condolences.##imported-begin##Elaine
Champagne##imported-end##

February 26, 2013 at 08:05 PM



“ Vincent and Lisa My sympathies on the loss of your Dad. God bless! Patty Hart##imported-begin##Patty Hart##imported-end##

February 26, 2013 at 03:55 PM



“ My deepest sympathy goes out to the family.##imported-begin##Judy Grimes##imported-end##

February 26, 2013 at 02:10 PM



“ Dear Roland,
I am so happy I got to see you one last time back in early December. I will always cherish the times we got to visit together and the deep personal conversations only shared between us. If any good thing came of your illness it's the fact that it gave me the opportunity to really know you as a person of deep faith and courage. You loved your family dearly and you will be greatly missed. Rest in peace uncle. You are now in the glorious presence of our mighty Lord Jesus Christ.##imported-begin##Lee Jeffers##imported-end##

February 25, 2013 at 10:31 PM



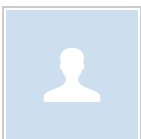
“ I love you Pepe I will miss you.##imported-begin##Claudia Boudle##imported-end##

February 25, 2013 at 09:15 PM



“ Vinnie and family, My heartfelt condolences on the loss of your Dad.##imported-begin##Deborah Dimmitt##imported-end##

February 25, 2013 at 07:33 PM



“ Louise, we are sorry to read of Roland's passing. We enjoyed some good times with him in years past. Enjoyed listening to him play and sing too. Your memories will help you through. Brad & Barbara##imported-begin##Brad & Barbara Hann ##imported-end##

February 25, 2013 at 05:54 PM



“ *Lisa and family-*

We are so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. Please find some comfort in knowing you are in the thoughts and prayers of others.##imported-begin##David and Beverlee Richter##imported-end##

February 25, 2013 at 02:14 PM