



Theresa Merrill

November 27, 1927 - January 22, 2020

WEST STEWARTSTOWN – Theresa Merrill, 92, of West Stewartstown, passed away on Wednesday, Jan. 22, 2020, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital in Colebrook after a long period of declining health.

She was born in Canaan, Vt., on Nov. 27, 1927, the daughter of the late Arthur and Rose (Benoit) Lanctot. She was raised in Beecher Falls and attended St. Albert School.

After her marriage to Kedric Merrill of Pittsburg in 1946, Theresa and her husband lived for over 30 years in California. While he was in the aviation industry, Theresa was a baker in the culinary department at a San Diego hospital. They retired to Florida in 1993, and enjoyed touring the entire continental U.S. in their motorhome.

Theresa enjoyed visiting different American Legion halls with her husband wherever they were, and she enjoyed playing Bingo.

She is survived by many nieces and nephews who will all miss her and remember her fondly.

Theresa is preceded in death by her husband of 69 years, Kedric Merrill in 2015, by a son, David, as an infant, 10 brothers and 4 sisters.

Family and friends are invited to visit at the Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook on Sunday, Feb. 2, 2020, from 1 to 2 p.m., with a memorial service to follow at 2 p.m. A graveside committal service will be later in the spring at St. Albert's Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mrs. Merrill may be made to the North American Martyrs' Parish for the benefit of St. Albert Church, c/o 55 Pleasant St., Colebrook, NH 03576.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to www.jenkinsnewman.com.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to the care of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home, Colebrook, NH.

Cemetery Details

St. Albert's Catholic Cemetery

US Route 3
West Stewartstown, NH

Previous Events

Service

FEB 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home
103 Main Street
Colebrook, NH

Tribute Wall

RS

“ To the Lanctot and Merrill families:

I was very sad to hear about aunt Theresa's passing. She suffered a long time and God finally called her home. The entire Lanctot family (parents and siblings) are finally reunited once again. When the clan had an outing, it was quite something - like an entire village getting together and then some. I hadn't seen her for a long time but never forgot her infectious smile and laughter. A wonderful lady. May you rest in peace, "ma tante".

Rita (Lanctot) Starbard

Rita Starbard - January 31, 2020 at 09:36 AM

RP

“ To the Merrill, Lanctot Family:

So sorry for your loss. I didn't know Theresa all that well met her about 12 years ago when I moved to Fl. She was so kind to me and my family. I wish we had more time with her. My thoughts and Prayers are with you all. May Theresa RIP.

Love, Rosemarie L. Prince and the Alphonse Lanctot Family!

Rosemarie Lanctot Prince - January 30, 2020 at 03:30 AM

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“ So sad to here of Theresa's passing. She was such a wonderful lady. We had lots of great visits together, sometimes we laughed and cried RIP💕💕

Sheila Fissette - January 23, 2020 at 01:18 PM

RJ

“ To the family of Theresa. I am so sorry for your loss. When I think of this beautiful lady whom I called my little Me'Mere three words come to mind. Kind, gentle, and loving. Will miss our wonderful talks and chuckles she would provide. Will always hold a place in my heart. Me'Mere you will be one of the most beautiful angels with that smile and caring soul. RIP

Rita Johnson - January 23, 2020 at 11:11 AM