



## Theresa Perry

October 26, 1929 - April 28, 2011

WEST STEWARTSTOWN, NH-- Mrs. Mary Theresa Perry, 81, passed away late Thursday evening, April 28, 2011, at the Coös County Nursing Hospital in West Stewartstown, NH, after a long period of failing health.

She was born in Montréal, Québec, on October 26, 1929, a daughter to the late David and Mary Katherine "Kate" (Hearn) Cavanaugh.

In addition to being a loving mother, wife and homemaker on the family farm, Theresa also worked for a time at Howard's Restaurant in Colebrook, she drove a local school bus, and she was a ballot clerk for the Town of Columbia for a period of time. Theresa was known as a wonderful cook, and she loved to do jigsaw puzzles. She was also an avid Red Sox fan who would sit in the car and listen to the games on the radio before the local area could get the games on TV.

Theresa is survived by her two sons, Dennis Perry and wife Linda of Columbia, NH, and Daniel Perry of Maderia Beach, Fl.; one who she considered as a daughter, Sheila Beauchemin and husband Keith of Colebrook, NH; three grandchildren, Wade Perry, Wendy Riendeau and Nicole Perry; three great-grandchildren, Matthew Riendeau, Ayla Perry and Lila Perry; as well as numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

She is preceded in death by her husband Harold in February, and two brothers, Patrick and Michael Cavanaugh.

Calling hours will be on Sunday, May 1, 2011, from 3-7 p.m. at the Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook. A funeral service will be held on Monday morning, May 2, at 11 a.m. at the Trinity United Methodist Church in Colebrook with The Rev. Rick Boyden officiating. A committal service and interment for both Theresa and her husband Harold will be at 1 p.m. on Friday, May 20, 2011, at the Colebrook Village Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mrs. Perry may be made to the Coös County Nursing Hospital, P.O. Box 10, West Stewartstown, NH 03597.

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

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 1. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home  
103 Main Street  
Colebrook, NH

# Tribute Wall



“ Sheila, Danny, Dennis, we are so sorry for your loss. Many happy memories were made at the Perry Homestead. Your mom was a very special lady and loved by everyone who knew her. Please know that we share in your grief and extend our deepest sympathy to you and your family.##imported-begin##Harry Hunt & Judy Hunt Budge##imported-end##

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May 11, 2011 at 12:15 PM



“ Well with the passing of Theresa the Harold & Theresa Perry family is again having to bear another sad time and so close to when they lost Harold. I know Dennis, Danny their children and families are devastated once again and let's not forget Theresa's sister Sheila and Theresa's other immediate family members.  
I know that it is quite a lost to me having spent a few summer vacations and school weeks off helping on the farm and knowing Theresa was always there with a warm smile, encouraging word and always something to eat and drink. I can't say enough about her as she was a second mother to me as Harold was a dad. I could count on Theresa even when I got to go out on my own and make my way in the world, when I visited she always has a caring smile and friendly word for me. This pain I am now feeling again  
SUCKS!##imported-begin##Peter D. Clark##imported-end##

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May 02, 2011 at 09:51 PM



“ We were aggie and English teachers at Colebrook Academy in the 60's and enjoyed many visits with Harold and Teresa at their home in Bungy. Last August while vacationing in the area, we spent an afternoon visiting with them both at the County Home. We shared many memories, laughs, and a wonderful visit. Our condolences to their family and friends.

Webb and Marge Palmer##imported-begin##Webb and Marge Palmer##imported-end##

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May 01, 2011 at 07:34 PM



“ sorry about the loss of your mom.##imported-begin##mary.cote##imported-end##

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May 01, 2011 at 06:04 PM



“ Our heart & prayers are with the whole family. May you join your husband and rest in peace together. Our love to you all. Love Judy##imported-begin##Judy Boutin##imported-end##

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May 01, 2011 at 11:16 AM



“ my thoughts are with you all. now your parents are together and a place in heaven is the way it should be.  
i have precious memories of bungy and your family is a wonderful part of them.  
prayers and thoughts for all.##imported-begin##dianne grapes kinder##imported-end##

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April 29, 2011 at 07:29 PM



“ *May the road rise to meet you. May the wind be always at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face. May the rains fall soft upon your fields and until we meet again, May the Lord hold you in the palm of His hand.*

*rest in peace aunt theresa, our irish angel.....##imported-begin##lisa cavanaugh cheney##imported-end##*

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April 29, 2011 at 05:49 PM



“ *Dear Dan, Den & Sheila (& family),  
So sorry about your mom's death. She was a wonderful lady. Made great hot cocoa after ski-dooing. Oh those days up in Bungy!##imported-begin##Anne Marie (Caouette) Crawford##imported-end##*

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April 29, 2011 at 02:51 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all now during this difficult time. We were all privileged to have had her in our lives; mum and dad, all the Laramie kids, my husband and our children all so loved Theresa. We find peace that she is with her Harold again and everyone else that loved her so.##imported-begin##Becky (Laramie) and Arthur Borry##imported-end##*

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April 29, 2011 at 02:47 PM