# **OBITUARIES**



**CONSTANCE "CONNIE" EYE** 

EDDINGTON - Constance Jessica Eye "Connie," age 58, died at her home in Eddington, Maine on September 7, 2015. She was born on September 6, 1957 in Bangor, Maine, daughter of Ralph Farnham Winslow Eye and Patricia (Micue) Eye.

She is survived by her mother Pat Eye of Eddington, her sister, Patience Winslow Eye of Brewer, her brother, John Winslow Eye of Eddington and three treasured nieces, Jennie Eye Burnett Fischer of Burbank, California, Hope Elizabeth Eye of Brewer and Grace Jessica Eye of Orono. Connie is predeceased by her brother Lance Farnham Eye and her father, Ralph FW Eve.

Connie attended schools in Salem, NH, Rangoon Burma, Saigon Viet Nam, Geneva, Switzerland and graduated high school from Joint Embassy School in Jakarta, Indonesia. She attended the University of Maine in Orono and graduated in 1981 Magna Cum Laude with a BA in Anthropology. She was invited for lifetime membership into the Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society as well as the Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society. She attended graduated school at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville, VA for the next 3 years studying Anthropology and Sociology. On her return to Bangor, she worked for a time at Northeast Reprographics where her work included archival preservation of documents from libraries in the State of Maine. She loved this work. In 1994, Connie was very much a part of the founding of New Hope Hospice with her mother, Pat Eve and friend Nancy Burgess. She devoted the next 22 years of her life to the work of hospice. Connie was a very private individual who spent her life tending to the wellbeing of others, be they her adored animals, her

family and friends, hospice volunteers (who she directed) and the patients and families of New Hope Hospice. She graced all with her quiet presence, quick wit, hearty laugh and loyal affection. Hers was a generous spirit. In recent months when Connie confronted the sudden intrusion of cancer into her life, this spirit showed itself to also be an extraordinary brave one. She will be sorely missed by all who knew and loved her including her spunky little canine mascot Buffy. She will be lovingly remembered by special aunts and uncles and cousins and dear friends Jill and Bert Lambert. The family wishes to thank New Hope Hospice, nurse Debbie Demaso and the love, care and devotion she received under the directorship of Christii Maquillan, R.N. for whom there is undying gratitude. Also sincere thanks to Theresa Hainer, N.P. at St. Joseph Internal Medicine.

Relatives and friends are welcome to call 5 to 7pm Friday, September 11, 2015 at Brookings-Smith, 133 Center Street, Bangor where a funeral service will be held 11am Saturday, September 12, 2015 with the Rev. Susan Davenport officiating. The family invites everyone to share conversation and refreshments at the Family Reception Center of Brookings-Smith, 163 Center Street, Bangor, immediately following the service Saturday. Friends who wish to honor her memory may do so with donations to New Hope Hospice, P.O. Box 70, Eddington, ME 04428. It was Connie's wish to do whatever she could in life and in death to promote the work of New Hope Hospice so that others could receive the loving, compassionate care that New Hope offers. Condolences to the family may be expressed www.BrookingsSmith.com.



KIM D. MCPHEE

McPhee, 67, son of Percy and Eleanor (Cor-McPhee bett) left this world on September 7, 2015 the same way that he entered it,

KISSIMMEE, FLA. - Kim D.

toothless.

Vanceboro High class of 1966 Valedictorian was an honor he reminded us of frequently, however he neglected to mention that there were only 11 in his class. Kim served in the U.S. Army in Vietnam. Attending Ricker College, he earned his Business Administration Degree in 1978. From that point on he used that degree wisely by knowing everyone's business, therefore earning himself the nickname "Columbo." In July of 2003 one of the nations most outstanding and finest US Customs inspectors retired and his supervisors were grateful as their opinions differed. Kim was a lifetime member of the Houlton Lodge of Elks, where he enjoyed many nights at the card table.

He leaves behind his greatest joy and legacy, his family; Beloved wife Peggy McPhee of Kissimmee, Fl.; daughters Michele and Randy Weeks of Kissimmee, FI and Jennifer and Matthew Leslie of Lynchburg, Va.; step -children Dianne and Wayne Hawes of Carmel, Me and James and Kathy Dolan of Tn. 13 beautiful grandchildren, McKenzie, Riley and lan Coleman, Chris Weeks, Joshua and Jordan Leslie, Cortney and Cameron

Hawes, Danyette Oldenburg and Brad Dolan, Deshara Killian, Dakota and Correy Dolan. 2 great-grandchilden Zoey Oldenburg and Alyssa Killian. His siblings Charles and Martha McPhee of Alexander, Me; Lorrie and Doug Growe of Hampden, Me and Tara and Scott Austin of Linneus, Me. Sisters-in-law Jayne Abbott of New Limerick, Kathy and Robert of Oregon and Bobbi and Rick of Virginia. Several nephews, one special niece, aunts, uncles, cousins, numerous friends and former wife and mother to his daughters, Bev Ivey.

He also leaves behind his precious Caty girl and big brother Lucas who brought much love, joy and wet kisses to his life.

Preceded in death by his parents and brother Kevin McPhee. Kim felt that six months was enough time and that he must join them as not to lose his title of being "Momma's Boy" and "the favorite.

A private celebration of Kim's life will be held at a late date.

Those who wish to remember him in a special way may make gifts in his memory to a charity of ones choice.

Services entrusted to the care of Osceola Memory Gardens, 1717 Old Boggy Creek Road, Kissimmee, FL. 34744

Online condolences can be given at www.osceolamemgds.com.

#### **Death Notices**

**ANDERSON, Terry,** Cary Plantation. Service 3 p.m., Saturday, September 12, 2015 at the Linneus Snosports

**ARSENAULT, Theresa M.,** 88, Van Buren; at Van Buren, September 8, 2015. Service 10 a.m., Saturday, September 12, 2015, at St. Bruno-St. Remi Catholic Church, Van Buren. Lajoie Funeral Home, Van Buren.

BECK, Carson Daniel, 11 months, Hermon, September 5, 2015. Brookings-Smith.

BUTLER, Ada Louise, 80, Otter Creek and Bar Harbor; at Bar Harbor, September 8, 2015. Service 10 a.m., Thursday, September 17, 2015 at Seal Harbor Cemetery. Jordan-Fernald, 1139 Main St., Mt. Desert.

CHADBOURNE, Wilma G., 98, Belfast and Bangor; at Belfast, September 8, 2015. Service 2 p.m., Saturday, September 12, 2015 at Brookings-Smith, 133 Center St., Bangor.

**EYE, Constance "Connie,**" 58, Eddington; at Eddington, September 8, 2015. Service 11 a.m., Saturday, September 12, 2015 at Brookings-Smith, 133 Center St., Bangor.

FOSTER, Lester, 88, Cherryfield, September 8, 2015. Direct Cremation of Maine.

**GAUDETT, William,** Bangor; at Bangor, September 3, 2015. Brookings-Smith, 133 Center St., Bangor.

GRINDLE, Harry Albert, 71, Wilmington, NC, September 7, 2015. Service 11 a.m., Friday, September 11, 2015, at Andrews Market Street Chapel, Wilmington, NC

**HARTMANN, Kimberly Valvo**, Glenburn. Service 4 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 12, 2015 at the Elks Lodge, 108 Odlin Rd., Bangor. **HUGHES, Virginia (Hewins),** 90, Watertown, Conn. and Hartland; Sept. 6, 2015. Service 4 p.m. Saturday,

Sept. 12, at St. Albans Union Church. Crosby & Neal, Newport. **KEYSER, Pauline T.,** 88, Dover-Foxcroft, September 7, 2015. Service 2 P.M. Friday, September 11, 2015 at

Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Dexter. Crosby & Neal, Corinna. MARTEL, Normand H., 76, Bangor, September 8,

2015. Brookings-Smith, 133 Center St., Bangor. MCPHEE, Kim D., 67, Kissimmee, Fla., September 7,

2015.

**MERCHANT, Thomas A.,** 19, Sullivan; at Winter Harbor, September 7, 2015. Acadia Burial & Cremation Direct, 248 State St., Ellsworth.

NELSON, Julia E., 66, Corinna, September 9, 2015. Service 2 p.m., Monday, September 14, 2015 at Morse's Corner Cemetery, Corinna. Crosby & Neal, Corinna.

**SMITH, Preston E.,** 89, Cherryfield; at Milbridge, August 27, 2015. US Air Force Military Honor Service at 2 p.m., September 26, 2015 at the American Legion Hall, Post #8, Cherryfield. Direct Cremation of Maine, 182 Waldo Ave., Belfast.

SPENCER-LAURIE, Robin, 56, Hampden, September 6, 2015. Service 2 p.m., Saturday, September 12, 2015 at Deer Isle Congregational Church, 57 Church St.,

WARD, Norma R., 88, Perth, New Brunswick and Fort Fairfield, September 7, 2015. Service 1 p.m., Friday, September 11, 2015 at the Giberson-Dorsey Funeral Home, 144 Main St., Fort Fairfield

#### **PAULINE T. KEYSER**

DOVER-FOXCROFT Pauline T. Keyser, 88, died September 7, 2015 at a Haverhill, MA nursing home. She was born September 22, 1926 in Manchester, NH, a daughter of Narcisse and Therese (Benoit) Phaneuf. from St She graduated George High School, Class of 1945, and on June 7, 1947 married Robert E. Keyser.

Over the next 25 years, they moved throughout Maine and New Hampshire as Bob was a construction superintendent, finally settling in Dexter in 1970. Pauline was employed for 20 years at the Dexter Shoe

Company in Dexter. She is survived by 4 children, JoAnn Keyser and significant other, Robert Hanson of Scarborough, Scott and wife Diana Keyser of Brewer, Carol and husband George Bouley of Payson, AZ; Toby and wife Janice Keyser of Haverhill, MA; grandchildren Amy Beckwith of NH, Christian and wife Angela Beckwith, Colin and wife Dawn Beckwith, Jarrett Keyser all of ME, Nichole and husband Tom Poirier of NH, Joshua Hall and significant other Betsey Maguire of Nathan Bouley ME. Payson, AZ, Shannon and husband Mike Allen of NH, Shelby and husband Romie Mundy of MA, Samantha and husband Jeff Messick of ME, Abby and husband Adam Cunningham of MA; great grandchildren, Sydney and Simon Beckwith, Courtney Beckwith, Toby and Madison Poirier, Maguire, Harper, Sullivan and Cooper Mundy, Jude and Levi Allen, Mathilde Messick and Ivy Cunningham; a cousin, Gilbert and wife Cy Bineau of Gorham; brother in law, Richard Keyser of Scarborough and his children, Richard, Gary and Karl; and a long time friend, Betty Palmer

Corinna. Graveside funeral services will be held at 2 P.M. Friday, September 11th at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Dexter. Friends may call from noon until the time of services at Crosby & Neal Chapel, 68 Exeter Road, Corinna. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 51 US Route 1, Scarborough, ME 04074. Those who wish may leave

written tributes at www.CrosbyNeal.com



**TERRY ANDERSON** 

CARY PLANTATION - A celebration of life memorial service for Terry Anderson will be held at the Linneus Snosports Club on Saturday, September 12 at 3 p.m.

#### **VIRGINIA (HEWINS) HUGHES**

WATERTOWN, CONN. AND HARTLAND - Virginia Hughes, 90, died September 6, 2015. She was born March 27, 1925, in Merrill a daughter of Coral and Helen

(Slater) Hewins. Virginia graduated from Hartland Academy and Beals Business College in Bangor. She worked as a secretary at Baxter's Canning Factory. After marrying Harold Hughes they moved to CT, where she became an executive secretary and department head with Sherwood Medical in Waterbury, CT. She was a member of the First Congregational Church of Watertown, CT.

She is survived by her son, Michael and his wife, Diane of Harvard, MA; 2 daughters, Cheryl Humiston of Southington, CT, Patricia and husband, Craig Humiston of Morris, CT; a brother, Rodney and wife, Beverly Chute of Bowdoin; a sister, Camilla Nutter of St. Albans; grandchildren, Daniel, Justin and wife, Missy, Travis and wife, Shannon, Jessica Humiston and her fiancé, John Younker; 4 greatgrandchildren, Lyrical, An-

dre, Ostin and Johnny. Funeral services will be held at 4 P. M. Saturday, September 12th, at the St. Albans Union Church with Pastor Leonard Reiss officiating. Burial will be in Pine Grove Cemetery, Hartland. Arrangements are by Crosby & Neal, Newport. Memorial donations may be made to the Wolcott View Manor Child Care Center, 50 Beach Road, Wolcott, CT 06716. Those who wish may leave

written condolences at www.CrosbyNeal.com



**NORMA RUTH (BURTCHELL) WARD** 

PERTH, NEW BRUNSWICK AND FORT FAIRFIELD - Norma Ruth (Burtchell) Ward, 88, wife of the late Jarrard R. Ward, passed away peacefully, surrounded by her family and friends at a Perth-Andover healthcare facility, Monday morning September 7, 2015, following a brief illness. She was born May 20, 1927 in Fort Fairfield, the daughter of James H. and Annie A. (Woodard) Burtchell.

Norma attended Fort Fairfield schools, was married to Jarrard R. Ward on December 24, 1945 and was a member of the Starlight Rebekah Lodge # 82, Fort Fairfield. Norma and Jarrard moved to Connecticut in 1966, where she worked for Connecticut Printers in Bloomfield, returning to Perth, NB in 1976. Norma was deeply committed to her family and friends and it gave her great joy caring for them. Norma enjoyed summers on the coast of Maine. She had a wonderful sense of humor, and although she never had children of her own, she was a motherly figure to her nieces and nephews. Norma was also an animal lover and especially cherished her companion in later years, her dog Cuddles.

Norma was predeceased by her husband Jarrard on January 14, 2000; one brother, Max Woodard Burtchell; one sister, Betty McCue Walker; a half-sister, Audrey McCarthy; two nephews, A. Scott Walker and Gregory Walker.

She is survived by one sister, Patricia Walker of Melbourne FI; one nephew, James McCue and his wife Joan of Woodstock, NB; three nieces, Tamera Pompea and her husband Charles "Skip"of Jupiter, FL and Scarborough, Maine, Stephanie Walker of Hartford, CT, A. Sue Walker of Melbourne, FL; six great

## **JULIA E. NELSON**

CORINNA - Beloved wife, Julia E. Nelson, 66, died September 9, 2015 after a long illness. She was born April 19, 1949 in Greenville, the daughter of Charles and Zelma (Ryder) Stevens. She attended Monson schools and graduated from Nokomis Regional High.

Julie had been employed at the Dexter Shoe Company and was a lunch lady at Nokomis Regional High in Newport. She volunteered at Sebasticook Valley Hospital and was a member of the Red Hat Society, Newport Chapter.

She is survived by her husband of 45 years, Dennis Nelson of Corinna; 2 brothers, Charles and wife Gail Stevens of Newport and Kent Stevens of Monson; 3 sisters-in-law, Rebecca Pitcher of Corinna, Roberta and husband Rodney Scott of Garland, and Sue Stevens of New Jersey; several nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. In 2001, she was predeceased by her daughter, Heidi Nelson and brother, Robert Stevens.

Graveside and committal services will be held 2 P.M. Monday, September 14th at Morse's Corner Cemetery, Corinna, with the Rev. Terry McKinley officiating. Memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, P. O. Box 11454, Alexandria, VA 22312. Arrangements are by Crosby & Neal Chapel, Corinna. Those who wish may leave written tributes at

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nieces and nephews, Amy Pompea of New York City, Sarah Pompea of West Hartford, CT, Elizabeth Pompea of Hong Kong, Jamie Clowes and her husband Scott, Nickolaj McCue and his wife Jennifer, all of Woodstock, NB, Jamie Walker of Tampa, FL; special cousins, Bettina Oviatt of Woodstock, NB, Carol Ann Rediker and Brenda Rediker, both of Fredericton, NB, Joyce Grobelewski of Beechwood, NB, Ted Woodard and his wife Barbara of Calgary, Alberta; sev-

Norma's family wishes to express their sincere gratitude to Dr. David Bell and the staff of the Hotel Dieu Hospital for the exceptional care given to Norma during her illness.

eral great great nieces, nephews and extended fami-

ly members. She is also survived by her lifelong friend,

Cecil Estey of Fort Fairfield,

Friends may call Friday, September 11, 2015 from 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time) at the Giberson-Dorsey Funeral Home, 144 Main Street, Fort Fairfield, where the funeral service will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. with the Rev. Michael Fredericks officiating. Interment will follow at the Riverside Cemetery, Fort Fairfield. A time of continued fellowship with refreshments will be held after the interment at the Perth-Andover Baptist Church, 194 Barrett Street, Perth-Andover, NB. Those who wish may contribute in memory of Mrs. Norma Ward to the S.P.C.A., 2238, Route 109, Arthurette, NB, Canada E7H 4C2 or to the Perth-Andover Baptist Church, 194 Barrett Street. Perth-Andover, NB, Canada E7H 1C8. Envelopes will be available at the funeral home and church. Online condolences may be expressed at www.gibersondorseyfuneral

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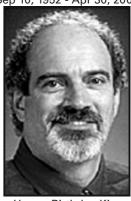
Darling Daughter,

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I love you,

Mom & Skip

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