

Obituary

Katherine A. Clairmont

1922 - 2011

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GILMANTON - Katherine A. Clairmont, 89, a longtime resident of Gilmanton died at her home, Sunday, December 11, 2011 .following a short illness.

She was born in Belmont, November 28, 1922, daughter of Ernest and Eliza (Geddes) Bouchard. Katherine spent her youth and schooled in Belmont, graduating from Belmont High School. Following high school she continued her education at Concord Business School. She and her husband lived in New York for a period of time before moving back to Belmont. She had been a resident of Gilmanton for over 58 years. She and her late husband wintered in Sarasota, Fla. since 1988.

During WW II Katherine worked in the hangers at Pope Field in North Carolina as a stock tracer. After the war she was employed at Scott and Williams in Laconia as a punch operator in the payroll department. She was co-owner, with her husband and owned and operated the former Clairmont and Sons Lumber Company in Gilmanton. An active resident of Gilmanton, Katherine served on the School Board for many years and was a past chairman, served several terms on the Board of Selectmen and was involved with the Old Home Day as dinner planner and organizer for over six years. For many years she enjoyed bowling and was a member of the Laconia Bowling League. Katherine was a parishioner of St. Joseph Parish in Belmont and was a former member of the Altar Society.

She was predeceased by her husband, Joseph L. Clairmont who died in 1999; and her son, David P. Clairmont who died in 2007.

Her family includes, her children: Lynn R. Clairmont and his wife Barbara of Gilmanton, Kerry J. Clairmont and his wife Linda of Belmont, Richard E. Clairmont of Durham, Rebecca Clairmont Walsh and her husband Jay of Foster, R.I., Omar L. Clairmont and his wife Mary of Gilmanton, David's widow Caroline Clairmont of Gilmanton; 12 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; brother: Alfred D. Bouchard of Clearwater, Fla. Nieces, nephews and cousins.

Calling hours will be Thursday, December 15, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the William F. Smart Sr. Memorial Home, Franklin-Tilton Road in Tilton.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Friday, December 16, at 11a.m. at St. Joseph Parish, 96 Main St. in Belmont.

Spring burial will be in St. John Cemetery in Tilton.

In lieu of flowers, it is suggested that contributions in Katherine's name

be made to either Community Health and Hospice, 780 North Main St., Laconia, NH 03246 or to the Food Pantry, St. Joseph Parish, P. O Box 285, Belmont, NH 03220.

For more information go to www.smartfuneralhome.com.

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Funeral services provided by
William F. Smart Sr. Memorial Home

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