



Mr. George J. Bradshaw

June 22, 1928 - May 31, 2013

George J. Bradshaw, 84, of State Rt. 374, Merrill died Friday, May 31, 2013 at Fletcher Allen Health Care, Burlington, VT.

Born in Chateaugay, NY on June 22, 1928, he was the son of Patrick and Henrietta (Cassidy) Bradshaw.

He was married to Irene Remillard in Sept. 1961 in St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay. She predeceased him in 1974. His second marriage was to Karen Walfield whom he married in April 2003 in St. Patrick's Church. She predeceased him in Sept. 2008.

George graduated from Chateaugay High School with the Class of 1945. He attended North Country Community College. He ran the family farm in Chateaugay until 1975 and then became employed by the Village of Chateaugay until 1985. He was later employed at Lyon Mountain Correctional Facility and retired in 1995.

He was a communicant of St. Patrick's Church, Chateaugay and a Third Degree member of the Knights of Columbus. He delivered Meals on Wheels for the Burke Adult Center and was also a volunteer for Hospice of the North Country.

George loved to read, write, garden, and spend time with his grandchildren. He also enjoyed the companionship of his dogs. His faith was a very important part of his life.

He is survived by four children and their spouses, Patrick and Elizabeth Bradshaw of Brookline, NH, Matthew and Cynthia Bradshaw of Milford, NH,

Angeline and David Petrashune of Merrill, Anne and Stephen Boyea of Chateaugay; seven grandchildren, Martin and Matthew Bradshaw, Bradley and Michael Petrashune, Stephanie, Courtney and Patrick Boyea; many nieces and nephews.

Besides his wives, he was predeceased by his parents; two brothers, John and Gerald Bradshaw; three sisters, Irene Bruns, Marie Green, and Rose Sucato.

Calling hours will be held at the Chateaugay Funeral Home on Monday, June 3 from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, June 4 in St. Patrick's Church with Rev. John Looby officiating.

Burial will take place at St. Patrick's Cemetery, Chateaugay.

Donations in his memory may be made to Hospice of the North Country or the American Cancer Society.

Tribute Wall

JD

“ After moving to Chateaugay in 1977 I became best friends with Pat Bradshaw and as a result spent a lot of time with the entire Bradshaw family. One summer George worked at Peterbarb Farm where we spent long hours in the heat throwing hay bales- twice my age- I had a hard time keeping up to him. I never saw George get upset- always even temperd. Having kids of my own I have a tremendous appreciation for the job he did raising four young children. He did a great job at it too. One of my fondest memories of Geo was at Pat and Beth's wedding. We had a large group of people in a hotel room- there was no room to stand anywhere- George and I ended up standing in the bath tub and talked for hours- catchng up on the latest activities in Chateaugay. I enjoyed his sense of humor and clever wit. An honorable man.

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“ My sister, Kathleen, and I have so many memories to share of our Uncle George we could write a book! He was our father's (John) youngest brother and the handsomest; which is what we thought when we were teeny-boppers. He was 17 when I was born and when we visited the farm we spent most of the time with Grandpa and Uncle George. They were fun, always took us along, never ever got angry with us and made us feel very special. To say he was a gentleman, always loving and kind despite the most difficult life situations would be an understatement.

We are fortunate in that we had the chance to become closer again over the last decade this includes his sons, Pat and Matt who live close by. We are hopeful we will see more of the girls and their families in the not too distant future.

This is only the tip of the iceberg.

Loss is simply dreadful. Age, accomplishments etc. never make up for the missing of a person so deeply loved.

We pray for Uncle George but especially for his family who will stay here and and continue a blessed legacy.

Thanks Uncle George, We love you and will never forget you.

Barbara and Kathleen

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with everyone. George was one of the nicest men and always such a gentleman. He sure loved his family.*

*Thinking of you,
Dicky & Julie*

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“ *Angie, Dave and family,
So sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Jim and I have fond memories of George when we worked with him at Lyon Mountain Correctional Facility. I am sure he will be deeply missed by all of your family. With our deepest sympathy,
Mel and Jim*

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