



Cecelia Grzesczyk Hadfield

September 22, 1919 - November 14, 2008

Cecelia "Ceil" Grzesczyk Hadfield, 89, of Berlin, widow of Royal W. Hadfield Sr., passed away Friday November 14, 2008 at the Hospital of Central Connecticut in New Britain. A native and former New Britain resident, Ceil has lived in Berlin since 1957. A graduate of New Britain High School, she worked in the family business "Hadfield Sports Shops" from 1963 to 1973. Ceil was an avid home gardener and baker, and was formerly a longtime volunteer at the Berlin Fair.

Surviving are two sons, Royal "Rod" Hadfield Jr. and his wife Nicole in France; and Robert Hadfield and his wife Elizabeth of New Britain; five grandchildren, Tyrone Hadfield and his wife Kimberly; Christian Hadfield; Angelica Trenholm; Kristina Cord; and Sarah Freel and her husband Stephen; two step-grandchildren, Ryan and Kaitlyn Love; several nieces and nephews. Besides her husband Royal, she was predeceased by a granddaughter, Amy Hadfield; a brother, Edward Grzesczyk and two sisters, Florence Schindler and Lillian LaFontaine.

Funeral services are Wednesday 10 AM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. Burial will be in Maple Cemetery. Calling hours are Tuesday 5 to 7 PM at Carlson Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 5 Brookside Drive, Wallingford, CT 06492. Please share a memory or note of sympathy by

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“ Dear Rod and Bobby;
Tim and I would like to let you know how very special your parents were to us. When we moved next door to them, twenty years ago, they came over to welcome us when we were moving in. Your father said it was so nice to see lights on in our house again because it was so empty and dark until we came. Your mom raced through the house and told me how awful the rug in the kitchen was, and there was nothing like a shinny floor. Nicki always announced when we were anywhere in the area of the house. Your mom loved our apples in order to make her pies, and we loved the vegetables she always shared with us from her great garden. They always had a big smile, and wave when we saw them. We send our deepest sympathy to you, and your family. Now we look over at their house, empty, and dark, and it HURTS!!!

Madeline and Tim Sullivan - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Ceil's son Bob and I became best friends in the 1950's. I have years of fond memories of coming into the Hadfield's home, especially the kitchen, and how friendly and inviting "Mrs. Hadfield" was. No matter how messy we were, she'd ask us to sit down at the table for an energetic, warm hearted conversation and if something was fresh from the oven, a tasty snack. My condolences and love to Bob, Liz and the family.

James Baker - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM