



Lydia Busch Simonides

September 13, 1913 - October 3, 2001

Lydia Simonides, 88, formerly of Linden Street, New Britain, died Wednesday October 3, 2001 at The Harborside Healthcare-the Reservoir in West Hartford. Born in New Britain, Lydia was a lifelong resident. Mrs. Simonides was employed at the New Britain Luncheonette, the former Landers, Frary & Clark, and the Central Pharmacy until her retirement after 30 years. Lydia was a member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church, a member of Old Home Sick Benefit Society Schuetzen Park, and a former member of the Ladies Aid Society.

Surviving is a son, Richard Simonides and his wife Eleanor of Newington; a daughter, Suzanne Larson and her husband John of Berlin; a brother Raymond Busch of Niantic; a sister Helen Schubert of New Britain; three grandchildren, Steven Simonides and Lisa Toce of Newington, and Erik Larson of Sandwich, MA; 3 great grandsons; several nieces and nephews. Lydia was predeceased by her husband Michael Simonides who passed away in November of 2000, and 2 sisters, Hildar Stepler and Natalie Keiffer.

Services will be held Saturday October 6, 2001 at 10 AM at St. Matthews Lutheran Church located at 87 Franklin Square in New Britain. Internment will follow at Fairview Cemetery, New Britain. Calling Hours will be held Friday October 5, 2001 from 5-8 PM at the Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. Donations may be made to Hospice of Central CT., 205

West Main St. New Britain, CT. 06050 or to St Matthews Lutheran Church, 87
Franklin Square, New Britain CT. 06051