



Patricia Buzzell Ashford

April 20, 2011

Patricia Buzzell Ashford, 78, of New Britain, wife of Oscar Ashford, passed away Wednesday April 20, 2011 at the Hospital of Central CT in New Britain surrounded by her loving family. Born in Bangor, Maine, she lived in New Britain the past 60 years. Pat received her Bachelors in Child Development and her Master Degree in Psychology, and was the Head Teacher for the New Britain Headstart Program, where she worked for 35 years, retiring in 1995. She was a member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church in New Britain, and was also active in the OIC Program in New Britain.

Besides her husband Oscar, she leaves three sons, Carroll Fahey of Old Town, Maine; William Blackburn of 29 Palms, CA; and James Blackburn in Ten Sleep, WY; three daughters, Jeanne Bryant of Torrington; Karen Blackburn of Altus, OK; and Elaine Blackburn of New Britain; a brother, Dana Buzzell of Orono, Maine; three sisters, Marilyn Shubert of Pittsburgh, PA; Marcia Cook and Marie Walton, both of Bangor, Maine; 19 grandchildren; 9 great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. Pat was predeceased by a daughter, Joann Ashford.

Funeral services are Monday evening 8 PM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. Calling hours are Monday from 5 to 8 PM. Please share a memory or note of sympathy by clicking on "Add Condolences" at the bottom of this page.

Tribute Wall

KB

“ So sorry for your loss... My condolences to all family and friends who have had the pleasure to know her. I know she's in a better place watching over us.... May she RIP.. Much Love Always...

Kimberly Bonvie - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ Rest in peace Aunt Pat. You will be missed.

Dana Davis - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to the whole family. May you be comforted by the many warm thoughts of those who care. I know Aunt Pat will be missed.

Love,
The Spahr Family

Rose Schubert Spahr - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Pat is my beautiful sister and I am so proud of her. She was a very loving caring sister and even though I will miss her everyday I am happy she is in peace at last.

Marie Walton - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Pat was a very friendly, loving person. She always had a smile and took time to say hello when ever you saw her. She'll be missed by many.

Sharon Marquis - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ Pat was a wonderful, strong, dynamic woman. I've known her since the early 1960's when her and children moved in next to my family on Lasalle St. in Ledgecrest project in New Britain. She and my mom Lucille DeLoy instantly bonded and became friends for life. All her children also bonded with me and my siblings and were instant friends. It was a good friendship and love of families we would experience for life. She and mom were there for life thru thick and thin. Friends forever. Pat you will be forever missed, but now you and my mom are friends again in heaven.

Rita DeLoy Williams - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM