



## Constance L. Huff

November 18, 1930 - November 2, 2011

Constance L. Huff, 80, of Columbiaville, passed away Wednesday, Nov. 2, 2011 at Kaaterskill Care in Catskill.

Born Nov. 18, 1930 in Hudson, she was the daughter of the late Peter and Elizabeth (Wheeler) Balder.

Mrs. Huff was a homemaker and enjoyed spending time with her family. She was a member of the Hudson Moose Lodge Ladies Auxiliary and the C.H. Evans Hook & Ladder Ladies Auxiliary.

Constance was the beloved mother of Edward Huff, George E. Huff, III, Christopher Huff, and Michael Huff; devoted grandmother of Lisa Marie Huff, and loving sister of Charlie Friss.

She was predeceased by her husband, George E. Huff, Jr., and a son, Robert A. Huff.

Visiting hours are 5-6:30 pm Friday at the Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home.

Services will be held at 9 am Saturday at the funeral home.

Burial will be in Cedar Park Cemetery in Hudson.

# Tribute Wall

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“ My deepest sympathy on the loss of Connie, I remember playing with Mike when we were kids while our mother's and the old goat sat in the kitchen drinking coffee.

Lissa Taylor  
(missy mabb)

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**Melissa Taylor** - November 09, 2011 at 02:25 AM

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“ I remember walking from our house on Washington Street over to Prospect Street and sitting on that long flight of steps out in front of the house and just visiting. Your mom was a special person and I hope you can go forward with warm memories of her in your hearts  
Shirley Bartholomew Bennett

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**Shirley Bartholomew Bennett** - November 08, 2011 at 01:14 PM

PC

“ Sorry to learn of your mother's death. May you always have cherished memories in your thoughts of the special things that your mother meant to you. Penny and Al Slingerland

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**Priscilla Slingerland, a cousin** - November 05, 2011 at 07:53 AM



“ *Mother Death Poem*

*The death of a mother is the hardest to bear for she is the one who is there for us the most. In her life she has shown her daughter a path to follow and now she is resting in the God's embrace. Her daughter looks forward to the day they will be reunited*

*Sleep Mommy*

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*Sweet smile on your face as you sleep the pain away,  
Resting in God's arms now, although in the ground your body lay.  
He needed another angel in the Heavenly choir and that's why you had to go.*

*As you promised, you are still with us watching your children here below.*

*I never would have imagined the end would be like this, me comforting you.*

*Holding your hand, telling you not to worry was not an easy thing for me to do.*

*And even in your weakest hour you tried to comfort me too,  
Caressing my face, and calming my soul as only a mother can soothe.*

*You have always been there through the thick and the thin  
No matter what I've done, unconditionally you love never wavering.  
When I told you of the mistakes I made and all the times people saw me fall*

*You simply nodded and gently replied 'so have we all'.*

*The key to success is learning from the past*

*Ensuring a brighter future is now the present task.*

*A pillar of strength even until the end*

*Fighting all life's battles, knowing it's triumphantly you would win*

*Pushing me to be the best that you know I can be*

*Reminding me to keep the faith and allow God to lead me.*

*Knowing it's through Christ that I can do all things*

*And as He never makes a mistake I will come through victoriously.*

*I miss you more than these words could ever say  
The pain in my heart is from one unimaginable day  
After I cried all that I could; my eyes still shed countless more tears  
And when I try to sleep, I have nightmares of ten-thousand fears  
I walk in footsteps on an unsure path  
My load feels so heavy I am not sure I will last.*

*Silly though I may be I am afraid of life now that you're gone  
Because I've always had a mother.  
And Mommy, what about my sister and baby brother.  
I wish you could have stayed just a little while longer, there's so  
much left to do  
I wonder if I prayed hard enough and if so, did they get through.*

*Finding relief in knowing I will see you again someday soon  
Remembering all you taught me as my soul I continue to groom  
I will walk in footsteps you have walked before me  
Seeing the path you walked lead you, Mommy, straight into victory.*

*So as you sleep Mommy, in the cradle of the Lord,  
I am reassured of God's promises in His Holy Word.  
I dream of the day when Heaven's gates open to receive me  
And with your smiling face and loving eyes, reunited once again I  
will be.*

*Source: Rest In Peace, Sleep Mommy, Mother Death Poem, 19  
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