



Helen "Lovey" O'Brien

August 1, 1927 - October 13, 2013

Helen "Lovey" O'Brien, 86, of Hudson, passed away Sunday, October 13, 2014 at Whittier Rehab and Skilled Nursing Center in Ghent.

Born August 1, 1927 in Hudson, she was the daughter of the late Waclaw and Kamelia (Sokol) Nartowicz.

Mrs. O'Brien was a homemaker. She was employed at Marsh's Department Store, Krug's Jewelry, and the Claverack Country Store. She was a member of St. Mary's Church and the Catholic Daughters of America.

Helen is survived by three daughters, Susan (Thomas) Nicholson of Kinderhook, Helen (Gus) Kozel of Ghent, and Patrice (Robert) Perry of Hudson; her son, Peter O'Brien of Palm Beach, Florida; her brother, Joseph Nartowicz of Stony Point, NY; and five grandchildren, Nikolas "Spike" Kozel of Philadelphia, Kathleen O'Brien of Florida, Michael and Natalie Nicholson of Kinderhook, and Gillian Perry of Hudson.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her husband of 59 years, George B. "Sonny" O'Brien, Jr, her brother, Adam Nartowicz, and four sisters, Jane Balcerzewski, Honora "Honey" Flanagan, Anja Pryschlak, and Dorothy Hester.

Visiting hours are 4-7 pm Thursday at the Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home.

Prayers will be held at 9:30 am Friday at the funeral home, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at St. Mary's Church, 429 East Allen St., Hudson.

Interment will be in Cedar Park Cemetery.

Donations may be made to Community Hospice of Columbia Greene, 47 Liberty St., Catskill, NY 12414.

Tribute Wall

DM

“ *To Helen, Patrice and families, so sorry for your loss. My sincere sympathy, Debbie Moses*

Debbie Moses - October 18, 2013 at 11:04 PM

CT

“ *Helen, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We are so sorry for your loss. Tom and Claudia Troy*

Claudia Troy - October 18, 2013 at 09:17 AM

MM

“ *Helen and family,
Patrice and family,*

We are so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. She was a kind and loving woman who took time to converse with my mother over morning coffee at Whittier. You are all in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

*With Sympathy,
Michele and Bill Mickle*

Michele and Bill Mickle - October 17, 2013 at 08:42 PM

ML

“ Helen - It is never easy to lose anyone but a Mother is really tough. Somehow that makes us next - never an easy thought. I am sure there are many people who will be thinking and praying for you and your family during this difficult time.

God Bless you.

Marge Laurie

Margie Laurie - October 17, 2013 at 02:12 PM

ML

“ Hi My name is Margaret Lippman I took care of your mother at Whitter. She was a very special lady one of my favorites. I will miss her very much..... My Thoughts and prayers go out to you all. It was a pleasure to have known her..so sorry for your loss

Margaret Lippman - October 16, 2013 at 11:14 AM

BW

“ Our thoughts are with you and your family--sorry for you loss
BJ and Ray Coons

bj wilson - October 16, 2013 at 09:43 AM

RL

“ Helen, Patrice and families ~ we will be out of town and just wanted to let you know how very sorry we are for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. Sending our love and deepest sympathy. Rita and Bob LaCasse ?

Rita LaCasse - October 16, 2013 at 08:16 AM



“ *Our most sincere condolences.*
Donna & Steven Himmel

Steven Himmel - October 16, 2013 at 04:54 AM