



## Joan E. Cook

January 2, 1934 - March 19, 2012

Joan E. Cook, 78, of Hudson, went to eternal life on Monday, March 19, 2012 at St. Peter's Hospice Inn.

Born in Hudson on January 2, 1934, she was the daughter of the late Charles and Helen (Shumsky) Lawton.

She was a prayerful member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Hudson. She enjoyed quiet summer breezes on the front porch, feeding the backyard birds and squirrels, fellowship with her friends at the Salvation Army Soup Kitchen in Hudson, senior citizen bus trips to Mohegan Sun, and crocheting.

Joan is the beloved wife of Albert "Cookie" Cook for 60 years, and devoted mother of Beverly Cook of Las Vegas, Nevada, Albert C. Cook (Pamela) of Hudson, David Cook (Susan) of Valatie, and Catherine McGlauflin (Tim) of Coeymans Hollow. Also surviving are 6 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren, and her sister, Sandra Fawthrop of Sarasota, Florida.

She was predeceased by two sisters, Marilyn Mosley and Dolores Balazs, and two brothers, Charles "Sonny" Lawton and Gerald Lawton, Sr.

Private cremation will take place at the Gardner Earl Crematory in Troy.

The family would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to the Hospice Angels at the Hospice Inn and the Community Hospice of Columbia Greene for their compassionate care and support. For those who wish, contributions may be made to Community Hospice of Columbia/Greene.

# Tribute Wall

DJ

“ *Mr. Cook and Family. On behalf of all my Brothers and myself we are sorry for you loss. She will be in my prayers as well as all of you. May she rest in peace.*  
*Danny Jablanski*



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**Daniel Jablanski** - March 20, 2012 at 10:12 PM

DB

“ *Our prayers and thoughts are with you all.*  
*Debbie and Pete*

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**Debbie Bruno** - March 20, 2012 at 05:21 PM

WZ

“ *All our sincere condolences to you and your family. We know Joan is in a better place.*  
*Pee Wee & I will stop by when we see you out on the front porch to share a memory or two.*  
*Carol & Wally & Pee Wee*

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**wally zincio** - March 20, 2012 at 09:44 AM

PK

“ *Cathy and Tim, We are so sorry for your loss. We know that you have strong faith in Jesus, and pray that the knowledge that your Mother is safe in God's hands will comfort you. We're praying for you. Duane and Phyllis*



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**Phyllis Keeler** - March 20, 2012 at 06:51 AM

EI

*Cathy, i am sorry for the loos of your (MOTHE) my PRAYER'S are with you& your FAMILY,Im times like these we need & anchor.weeping may indure for & hour but joy comes in the mornig(,And when one of us is gone& one is left alone to carry on Well then remembering will have to do,Our memories alone will get use through Think about the days ofme &use of of use&me against the world) Evelyn*

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**Evelyn Ivery** - March 21, 2012 at 11:36 AM