



Kathryn Marie Ressler

December 22, 1916 - August 26, 2011

Kathryn "Kay" Marie Ressler, 94, of Hudson, passed away Friday, August 26, 2011 at the Firemen's Home surrounded by her devoted family.

Mrs. Ressler was born on December 22, 1916 in Hudson to the late Laroy and Eva Mae (Jones) Spateholts. In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her beloved husband of 74 years, John "Red" P. Ressler, Sr., her son, John "Jack", Jr., one brother, two sisters, and her grandson, Anthony Allen.

She is survived by her devoted daughters, Linda Ressler of Alameda, CA, and Sharon Ressler and Marita Delaney, both of Hudson. Also surviving are her brother, Larry Spateholts of Cuba, NY, eight grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

Kay enjoyed being a homemaker and spending time with her family. She was a self-employed home health aide, made wedding dresses, worked in textiles, and taught at the Training School for Girls in Hudson. Kay also found time to do catering with her late husband. When she was younger, she loved being a vaudeville entertainer.

Visiting hours are 5-7 pm Tuesday at the Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home.

Services will be held at 10 am Wednesday at the funeral home. Burial will be in Cedar Park Cemetery.

Donations may be made to the Firemen's Home, 125 Harry Howard Avenue, Hudson, 12534, or to Community Hospice of Columbia Greene, 47 Liberty St., Catskill, NY, 12414.

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“ Kay was the mother of my husband, John P. Ressler, Jr. (1938 - 1970) and grandmother of my sons, Raymond J. Ressler and John P. Ressler III. She was the great-grandmother of my grandchildren, Rachel J. Ressler, Jacob R. Ressler, John P. Ressler IV and Brooke L. Ressler. I will always be grateful for that. Rest in Peace.

Carolyn L. Ressler
daughter-in-law

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