



Ruth F. Countryman

January 30, 1928 - April 3, 2015

Ruth F. Countryman, age 87, of Greenport, died Friday, April 3, 2015 at Pine Haven Nursing Home in Philmont.

Born January 30, 1928 in Hudson, she is the daughter of the late Harry and Lillian (Howard) Smith. She was also predeceased by her husband, Peter Countryman, her sister, Edith Columbo, and her step-father, Charles Hart.

Ruth graduated from Hudson High School in 1946. She was employed for over 40 years as a bank teller with Key Bank in Hudson. Ruth was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Hudson and a member of the Altar Guild. She loved nature and the outdoors, where her favorite thing to do was deer hunting. Ruth enjoyed spending time with her family and her pets, especially her cat "Ziggy". She was an avid bowler.

Ruth is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Patricia A. and Stanley J. Kilmer, Sr of Greenport, her grandchildren, Richard (Janel) Gohl of Greenport and Ellie Gohl of Moriah, NY, two great-grandchildren, Lucas and Addison Gohl, and her siblings, Kevin, Ronald, Randy, Sally, and Lorraine Smith. Also surviving are four step-grandchildren, two step-great-grandchildren, and many special nieces and nephews.

Calling hours are 4:00 – 7:00 pm Tuesday, April 14, 2015, at the Bates &

Anderson - Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home. Funeral services will be conducted at 11 am Wednesday, April 15, 2015 at the funeral home. Burial will be in Cedar Park Cemetery in Hudson.

The family would like to thank the staff at Pine Haven for their loving care given to "Ruthie".

Donations may be made to the Greenport Fire Department.

Tribute Wall

RS

“ *Pat, Stan and Family;*

We were sorry to hear of your loss and offer our best of thoughts and prayers in sympathy.

Phyllis, Randi & Nancy Shadic

Randi Shadic - April 13, 2015 at 08:19 PM

KA

“ *May fond memories of your mom bring you comfort during this hard time in your life. Look back on all the good memories you were able to have and smile at the fact that you were able to share these before she passed away. Our hearts and prayers go out to you and your family.*

Love Reggie & Katrina Hines (Klevitch)

Katerina - April 09, 2015 at 03:23 PM

CB

Oh so many memories Aunt Ruth all the summers spent down in Hudson at your place. Please tell mom and dad as well as every one else who left before you how much you all are loved and missed. So sorry for your loss.

colleen connolly brown - April 10, 2015 at 07:05 PM

MK

“ Prayers and fond memories are what we have to remember our dearly departed. May the love of family and friends comfort you during these difficult days, my most heartfelt condolences.

She was a great sister-in-law, I will always remember the good times

Love MARGE KLEVITCH

marge klevitch - April 09, 2015 at 03:17 PM



“ *Patty and family.
I am so sorry about the passing of your mom. Please accept our sympathies.*

*Love,
Kate and Larry Weatherwax*

Mary Kate Weatherwax - April 09, 2015 at 02:45 PM

AE

“ *Dear Patty and family,
We were so sorry to hear that your mother passed. Please accept our deepest sympathies.*

*Sincerely,
Alice Engel and Ernie Waldman*

Alice Engel - April 09, 2015 at 02:12 PM

LT

“ *Our condolences on the loss of your mother.
Lloyd and Ginny Tipple*



Lloyd Tipple - April 09, 2015 at 03:02 AM

CW

“ Calvin & Karen Walch lit a candle in memory
of Ruth F. Countryman



Calvin & Karen Walch - April 08, 2015 at 12:06 PM