



Betty M. Pacey

January 30, 1926 - March 22, 2009

Betty May Freer Pacey, age 83, died at Manchester Manor Health Care Center on Sunday, March 22, 2009. She was predeceased by her loving husband Derrick Pacey, her parents Maurice and Marie Freer, and her brother Richard, and she is survived by her brother Kenneth Freer of Burlington, VT. Also surviving her are distant cousins by marriage, Kenneth and Ena Cartwright of Boston, England, as well as a host of good friends all around the country, with whom she kept in faithful touch right up to her last illness. Betty Pacey was born January 30, 1926, in Lockport, NY and moved to the Hartford, CT area in 1962 upon her marriage to Derrick. She worked as a legal secretary for over fifty years, first at the University of Buffalo Law School, then with the Buffalo law firm of Falk, Twelvetrees, Johnston & Siemer, and finally with Robinson & Cole in Hartford, where she was one of the most highly regarded staff members and a recognized guide for young lawyers entering practice. Beyond her devotion to law work, Betty enjoyed travel, particularly visiting with Derrick's family in Boston, England; she also enjoyed reading and playing cards and other games with Derrick and friends, particularly a valued group she recently met at The Arbors at Hop Brook in Manchester. Arrangements are in the hands of Molloy Funeral Home, 906 Farmington Ave. West Hartford. Calling hours will be on Wednesday March 25 from 5-7 pm at the funeral home. Private inurnment will be in Fairview Cemetery. Contributions in memory of Betty may be made to Connecticut Children's Medical Center Foundation 282 Washington St., Hartford, CT 06106, or a

charity of choice.