



Marie D. Francoeur

October 7, 2008

Marie Dungan Francoeur, 79, of West Hartford, beloved wife of 51 years of Michael Francoeur, died Tuesday Oct. 7, 2008 at her home. Born in Wheeling, WV she lived most of her life in West Hartford and spent her summers at Old Lyme. She attended Mount St. Joseph Academy, St. Joseph College, receiving her masters degree from Columbia University. A long time special education teacher, she started and taught the first class of severely handicapped students in West Hartford. Faith and family were very important to her. Marie was blessed with many wonderful friends, coworkers and family. She was a positive, strong presence in the lives of all she met. In addition to her husband she is survived by her children Michael and his wife Margaret Francoeur of West Hartford, Mary-Anne Baldassarre of West Hartford, Edward and his wife Susan Francoeur of North Andover, MA, 9 grandchildren, Julia, Michael, Daniel, and Brian Francoeur, Andrew, Kathleen and Annemarie Baldassarre, and Sarah and Courtney Francoeur, her sister Delores and her husband Thomas Mulcahy of Bolton. Friends may call on her family on thursday October 10, 2008 from 4:00 to 8:00 PM and again Friday from 5-7 pm at the Molloy Funeral Home, 906 Farmington Ave., West Hartford. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Oct. 11 departing at 9:30 am. from the Molloy Funeral Home. Her mass of Christian burial will be held at 10:00 am at St. Peter Claver Church, 47 Pleasant St, West Hartford. Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery. Donations in her memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice. Online messages of sympathy and condolences may be made

at www.molloyfuneralhome.com

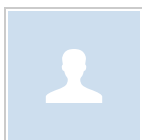
Tribute Wall



“ *Mike and Ed:
We are all very sorry to hear about Marie. We know she was a wonderful person. We hope you are well as can be expected under the circumstances.*

The Hermsens##imported-begin##Mike Hermsen and family##imported-end##

October 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *My deepest sympathies to your entire family. You'll be in my prayers during such a difficult time. May your memories and her legacies always be close to your heart.##imported-begin##Kelli Scanlan##imported-end##*

October 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our girls join us in extending our sympathy to you at the loss of Mike's mother. Sorry we could not be with you to extend our sympathy in person. Our thoughts are with you.
Bob and Harriet Fitzgerald##imported-begin##Bob & Harriet Fitzgerald##imported-end##*

October 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *##imported-begin##Marion Merritt##imported-end##*

October 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ We were sorry to hear about Marie's passing. I worked with her at Wolcott school. She was the special education teacher and I was the music teacher. We planned several social events together for the staff, and had lots of fun doing it. We will miss her greatly, and we extend to you our deepest sympathy.

Kathie and Peter Rovetti##imported-begin##Katharine Rovetti##imported-end##

October 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Mr. Francoeur,

My sister, Donna Jo Foster, was one of Mrs. Francoeur's special ed. students at Duffy School back in the 50s. I still remember how excited Jo was when Miss Dungan became Mrs. Francoeur.

Your wife was a very special lady and we will remember her fondly always.

Jo asked me to tell you that she is sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Lee Foster##imported-end##

October 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Sorry for your loss. Terry and I will keep you in our prayers.

Wray Powell##imported-begin##Wray Powell##imported-end##

October 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Mr. Francoeur
My husband and I send you and your family our deepest sympathy. May the Lord give you peace and comfort during this time of loss. I just wanted you to know that you will always be remembered as a very special teacher in my life. I was in your 9th grade French class at Sedgwick Jr High 51 years ago. 1956 - 1957 I can still recite our daily greeting which ended in "Je dis bonjour au Professor."
In the early 1970's my husband took your Dale Carnegie course which aided him a lot in his career. I did meet you again when I attended my husband's Dale Carnegie class and you remembered me.
We both thank you for the positive influence you had on our lives and will keep you in our prayers
With deepest sympathy.
Doris Klooz Dimond
Lyman Dimond###imported-begin##Doris & Lyman Dimond###imported-end##

October 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Mike,

I was very saddened to read of Marie's death. She was a very special lady. I always enjoyed seeing her when I came to give you a computer lesson. You will always be my favorite computer student.

Please be assured that you and Marie will be in my prayers.

Donna Pratt###imported-begin##Donna Pratt###imported-end##

October 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Mr. Francoeur, Our deepest sympathy from two of your old students.

Tina DeCarli McLaughlin

Muriel Dignam Magauran --Rockville##imported-begin##Muriel
Magauran##imported-end##

October 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM