



Catherine Higgins Laing

Dec. 31, 1941 - Dec. 08, 2010

Visitations:	Sunday Dec. 12, 2010	Details
Funeral Service:	Sunday Dec. 12, 2010	Details
Cemetery Service:	Pending	

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SOUTHBRIDGE: Catherine M. (Higgins) Laing, 68, of Roger St. died Wednesday, Dec. 8, at Harrington Hospital after being stricken ill at home. Her first husband Clifford Bolduc died in 1998. She leaves her husband Max Laing, a daughter Marie and her husband Paul Tremblay of Southbridge, a brother Daniel Higgins of No. Brookfield, 3 sisters Margaret Higgins-Belanger of Fiskdale, Robin Giguere of Southbridge, Kellie Petrelli of Southbridge, two grandchildren Kelsie and Stephen. She was predeceased by a brother John "Pinky" Higgins.

She was born in Portland, Maine the daughter of the late John and Frances (McNally) Higgins and lived in the area most of her life.

She graduated from Mary E. Wells High School in 1959. Cathy worked for the American Optical, Sola, Aero and retired from Boniface Tool and Die.

She was a member of Notre Dame Church and was a member and trustee FOE #334 Laides Aux.

She enjoyed camping at Oak Heaven Campground in Wales.

A funeral service will be held at 4:00PM Sunday, Dec. 12, in the Belanger-Bullard Funeral Home, 51 Marcy St. Southbridge. Calling hours are 1:00PM to 4:00PM prior to the service.

Memorial Contributions may be made to: Southbridge Savings Bank, FBO Catherine Laing, 253-257 Main Street, P.O. Box 370, Southbridge, MA 01550-0370.

An online guestbook is available at www.BelangerFuneralHome.com

Memorial Messages from Friends and Family

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December 09, 2010 - We will miss Kathy and her laugh for a very long time. She was one of the most fun people ever. She was always quick to laugh even quicker to laugh at herself!! We've lost a very special woman and someone we were proud to call "our friend."

- Bev and Fran Dupuis of Framingham, MA

December 09, 2010 - My aunt Cathy. You were such a breath of fresh air. You will always be remembered for your wonderful personality . I love you and miss you dearly.

- Nicole Higgins of Oxford, MA

December 09, 2010 - Im so sad that we lost another family member from Oak Haven Campground. We will miss you!

- John and Sandra Frates of Springfield, Ma.

December 09, 2010 - Cathy, Pauline and I had so many great times with you. I know she is happy to be with you now. God have mercy on your soul.

- Alfred Duval

December 09, 2010 - We are very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you.

- Heather and Scott Bridges and Family of Warren, Ma

December 10, 2010 -

We were so saddend to hear of Kathy's passing. She was a wonderful person whose laughter and smile will always live in our hearts. She is now a special guardian angel watching over all she loved. May all your special, happy moments help you cope in the days ahead. Our thoughts and prayers are with all who were touched by such a special person.

With love and fond memroies.

- Paula and David Everitt of Worcester, MA

December 10, 2010 - We were saddened to hear about what happened. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

- Joe and Victoria Prochilo of Worcester, MA

December 11, 2010 - Cathy was a friend to many who knew her over the years as a kind and cheerful soul. Our sympathy to all of the family on your loss.

- Paul and Linda Boulanger of Southbridge, MA

December 11, 2010 - We are so sorry to hear about Cathy. I've known her since I was a teenager up until recently, almost 30 years later, when I was initiated by her as a member of the Eagles. She was kind and always friendly...smiling and laughing when she would chat with my husband and I. Our sympathy is with all of her family.

- Michele & Barry Latour of Sturbridge, MA

December 12, 2010 - We were so sad to hear of Cathy's passing. We will truly miss your infectious laugh. Our thoughts and prayers are with Max and family at this time. Your Oak Haven family will miss you and Jack will miss his "Austin" fan.

All our love,

- Jack and Missi Borges of Ashland, MA

December 13, 2010 -

To Marie and Family.

In Remembering her life and of course her laugh, you forever, hold on to the memories and the smiles that they bring.

Deepest Sympathy on your loss The Murrays, Mike, Maria, Melissa and Michael

- Mike & Maria Murray & Family of Southbridge, Ma

First Visitation

Sundav Dec. 12, 2010. 1:00PM -

Funeral Service

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