



E. Caroline Bates

September 9, 1925 - March 29, 2020

Hampton – E. Caroline Bates, 94, of Hampton, died Sunday, March 29, 2020 at Webster at Rye.

She was born in Exeter, September 9, 1925 a daughter of the late Carl and Evelyn (Davis) Allen.

Caroline attended Hampton schools and graduated from Hampton Academy with the Class of 1943.

During WW II she worked in the supply department as a clerk typist at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard. She retired from the US Postal Service with over 30 years of service as a clerk at the Hampton Post Office.

She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star, National World War II Museum, National Association of Retired Federal Employees, American Postal Workers Union and enjoyed her Thursday lunches with cousins and friends.

She leaves her son, James H. Bates, Jr. of Hampton, her grandson, James H. Bates, III, her granddaughter, Amy Wells and her husband Kevin, her two sisters, Marion Seaggs and Lois Page, five great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

At Caroline's request all services will be private. Arrangements are by the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, Hampton.

Cemetery Details

High Street Cemetery

150 High Street
Hampton, NH

Tribute Wall



“ Carolyn was our good friend and neighbor on Drakeside Rd for many years. She was absolutely lovely and adored her many kitty cats and always talked about her Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren. She had amazing stories about the town of Hampton. I miss her to this day still, and I'll never forget her. Love, your friends', Carol & Eric Durant & Family.

Carol Durant - May 27, 2025 at 11:10 PM



“ E. Caroline Bates

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ I know Carolyn

Bruce Aquizap - March 31, 2020 at 05:37 PM



I know carolyne will be missed by many. She was that always friendly face or voice at the Post Office, but my memories are from the many times she ordered Subs from TNT Subs and the times she and her sisters attended Submarine Vet annual Lobster Bake in July in a celebration of the life her sister's late husband, Bruce Skaggs a heroic WWII submariner and one of my very early heroes.

Bruce Aquizap - March 31, 2020 at 05:49 PM

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“ So sorry for your lost. I worked with Caroline at the Hampton Post Office for over 20 years. She was always such of a breath of fresh air. She had such a great concern for her fellow workers and a special one towards the customers. She would make a special effort so that they would get their mail that day. She will missed by all.
George Ouellette

George Ouellette - March 31, 2020 at 08:58 AM

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“ So Sorry for your Loss!! I worked with Caroline for a lot of years at the Hampton, NH Post Office and would see her every once in a while after she retired. You could not find a nicer, and sweet Lady.

Gregory LaCourse - March 31, 2020 at 07:42 AM