



Jean Ann Comstock Hardenstine

July 31, 1927 - June 18, 2013

Jean Ann Comstock Hardenstine, well known-area nurse of New Era, PA, passed away June 18, 2013 at Memorial Hospital, Towanda, PA. Jean was born on July 31, 1927 in Berwick, PA.

Jean attended the New Albany schools, graduating from New Albany High School in the Class of 1945.

She was the daughter of Lois Comstock, and stepdaughter of John A. Robinson.

After graduation, Jean entered nurses' training school at Bloomsburg Hospital, and later transferred to Polyclinic Hospital, Harrisburg, graduating in 1948.

She was employed as a staff nurse at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami, FL, from 1949-1951, then moved to New York City and became head nurse at Mount Sinai Hospital in New York City.

Jean worked at Mills Hospital in Towanda from 1955 – 1959, and when Memorial Hospital opened in 1959 she served as 3 – 11 supervisor until 1980. She was nurse manager of the Medical – Surgical unit from 1980 until her retirement in 1992.

Jean married Francis D. Hardenstine on June 13, 1953. From that time, they lived together on their dairy farm in New Era and recently celebrated their 60th anniversary last week.

After her retirement from nursing, Jean served as president of the New Albany Community Library and Memorial Hospital Home Health Board.

She is survived by her husband, Francis; son, Peter; daughter, Tanya Olaviany; son-in law, Victor Olaviany; granddaughters, Amanda and Caitlin Olaviany who she thought the world of; half brothers, John A. Robinson, Jr. of Silvara, Robert Robinson of Standing Stone, and Terry Robinson of Hughesville.

She was preceded in death by her mother, stepfather and half brother, Stanley Robinson.

The family will receive friends Thursday from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home 217 York Ave. Towanda, PA. The funeral service will be held Friday, June 21, 2013 at 11:00 a.m. at the funeral home with Pastor Donald Littleton officiating. Interment will follow in the New Era Cemetery, Terry Twp., PA.

Contributions may be directed to Memorial Hospital, 91 Hospital Drive, Towanda, PA 18848 or the New Albany Community Library, PO Box 54, New Albany, PA 18833 in Jean's memory. Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

New Era Cemetery

New Era, PA

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 20. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Maryott-Bowen Funeral Home
217 York Ave.
Towanda, PA 18848
(570) 265-2272
info@bowenfuneralhomes.com

Service

JUN 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jean Ann Comstock Hardenstine*

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *Jean Ann Comstock Hardenstine*

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Jean Ann Comstock Hardenstine*

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *Jean Ann Comstock Hardenstine*

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ *Jean Ann Comstock Hardenstine*

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Jean's passing. My sympathy goes out to you.*

Trudy Gerlach

New Era

Trudy Gerlach - June 20, 2013 at 09:58 PM

BP

“ *Tanya,
The thoughts and prayers of myself personally and the Board as a whole go out to you and your family in your time of Grief. If there is anything we can do to make this time any easier for you please don't hesitate to call.*
Bill

Bill Parrish - June 20, 2013 at 04:11 PM

JA

“ *We are both sorry to hear about Aunt Jean passing. She will be very much missed.
Your family will be in our prayers and thoughts.*

Jerry and Theresa Adams

Jerry Adams - June 20, 2013 at 03:39 PM

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“ *Tammy and Kim Arnold (Mary Robinson's Sister) purchased the Serene Green™ Bouquet For Sympathy for the family of Jean Ann Comstock Hardenstine.*



Tammy and Kim Arnold (Mary Robinson's Sister) - June 20, 2013 at 12:24 PM

BG

“ *We are so sorry to hear about Jean's death. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Jean was a great lady and a wonderful nurse. She inspired us all to be great caring nurses.

May God Bless.

*Bob and Mary Getz
Dushore, PA*

Bob and Mary Getz - June 20, 2013 at 07:40 AM