

## Obituary: Constance C. Collins, BELMONT

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BELMONT – Constance Cecile “Connie” Collins, 61, of Courtesy Avenue, died yesterday at home after a long illness.

She was born in Manchester, the daughter of Cecile (Desilets) Martel.

She lived in Sanbornton and North Conway for many years before moving to Lochmere 29 years ago.

Collins worked as a teller and in customer service for Laconia Federal Savings and Loan in Laconia for several years. She drove a school bus for Harbour Transportation when her children were younger. She also worked in the payroll office at New Hampshire Veterans Home in Tilton for 12 years and served as deputy town clerk in Tilton.

She enjoyed traveling.

She was a parishioner at St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church in Belmont.

Survivors include her husband of 42 years, John Collins Jr. of Belmont; and two daughters, Jennifer Collins of Franklin and Kimberly Collins of Largo, Fla.

Calling hours will be held Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. at William F. Smart Sr. Memorial Home, Franklin-Tilton Road, Tilton.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated Monday at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph Church in Belmont.

Burial will be held in the spring at Union Cemetery in Sanbornton.

Memorial donations may be made to the Oncology Department at Lakes Region General Hospital, 80 Highland St., Laconia 03246.

William F. Smart Sr. Memorial Home in Tilton is in charge of the arrangements.