



## Roberta J. Houlihan

February 19, 1942 - September 17, 2012

### ROBERTA JEAN HOULIHAN

Roberta Houlihan, 70, New Milford Township, PA, passed away peacefully at her home after a brief battle with cancer on September 17, 2012. She is survived by her life partner of 26 years, Joseph MacConnell.

She is also survived by two children, Timothy Houlihan and Rebecca Fekette; her pride and joy, four grandchildren, Riley, Megan, Hayleigh, and Erin; two sisters, Kathy Borowicz and Peg (Doran) McNamara; a half brother, M.T. Hall; and several nieces, nephews, and special family friends. She was predeceased by her mother, Jean McNamara, two sisters, Beatrice Rockwell and Patricia Brainard, and was widowed by J. Paul Houlihan.

Roberta was a successful business woman, operating Houlihan's Hardware for a number of years before moving into Real Estate at Woodland Real Estate with her lifelong friend, Donna Fekette. She took great joy in all activities pertaining to her grandchildren: racing, basketball, dance, cheerleading, and "playing cards with Grandma." One of her passions was her love for horses, leading the Green Valley 4-H Club for 17 years, as well as Tim and Becky's nationally competitive showing years. She particularly enjoyed hours of trail riding with Joe and many good friends.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, September 21, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at the Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc., Hallstead, PA. Friends may call from 2-4 and 7-9 on Thursday. Should friends so desire, expressions of sympathy may take the form of a donation to Hospice of the Sacred Heart, 207 Locust

Street, Montrose, PA 18801 or your charity of your choice in her name.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **20**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc.  
25 Susquehanna Ave.  
P.O. Box 936  
Hallstead, PA 18822  
(570) 879-2287  
ayeisley@gmail.com

## Visitation

SEP **20**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

SEP **21**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Tim and Becky, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your mom. I had some of the best times of my life staying up to your mom and dad's house when I was young. My sister and I saw her a couple of years ago and were supposed to make a date for lunch and never did. I'm so sorry we didn't get together....lesson learned Don't put things off! Take care, Nancy Buongiorne (your cousin)*

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**Nancy Buongiorne** - September 20, 2012 at 06:45 PM

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“ *Seems like I've known Roberta a life time, even though its only been 2 years. I will never forget that wonderful smile and how much she welcomed our family into hers 2 years ago. Will be missed but never forgotten. Our thoughts and prayers are with the whole family....Mary and Curtis*

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**mary stevens** - September 18, 2012 at 07:23 PM