

Trenton--Rita Frances Linscott, 81, died May 8, 2016 in Ellsworth. She was born in Lamoine, January 6, 1935 the daughter of Merle F. and Josephine A. (Luchini) Linscott.

She graduated from Ellsworth High School class of 1953. The following year she married Sidney Linscott. She was an excellent cook and homemaker. After raising her children, she went to work at the Ellsworth Hospital, working in the maternity ward. She also worked at Willey's for fourteen years and enjoyed selling clothes and meeting people. She and Sidney wintered in Florida in later years and when they got bored they worked at the Greyhound Race Track. Their happy times were going out to eat, the more the merrier.

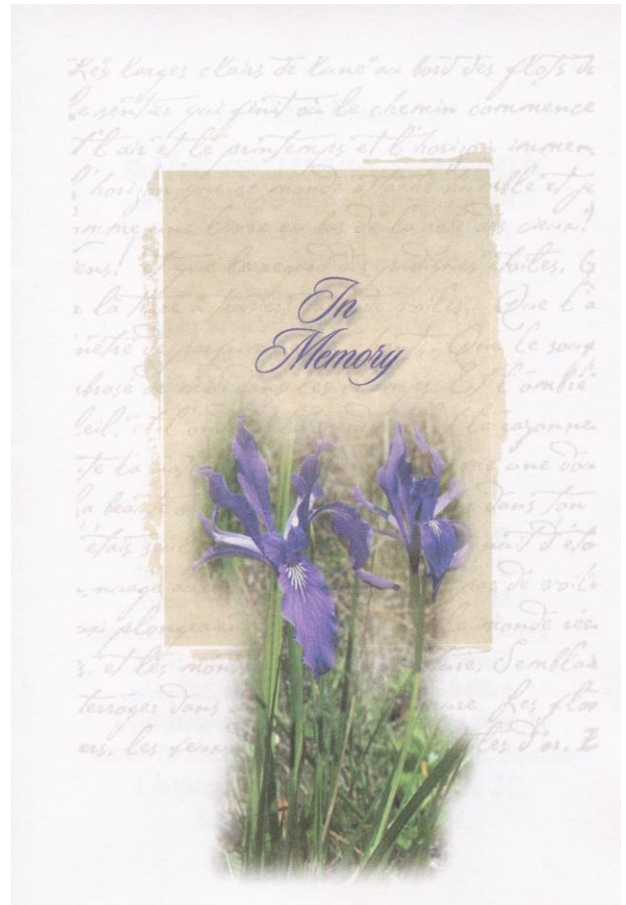
Rita was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of Ellsworth and a long time member of the Kebo Golf Club playing with the Women's Twilight League on Wednesday nights.

She is survived by her husband Sidney; daughters, Susan M. Wilson and husband Lawrence of Ellsworth, Mary Ellen Cummings and husband Gerald of Rapid City, SD; son, James Linscott of Hancock; 5 grandchildren, Benjamin M. Wilson, Christopher M. Wilson and wife Lori, Jeremy J. Linscott, Gerald Cummings III, and Courtney Cummings; 6 great-grandchildren; sister-in-law, Christine Linscott; and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents; brother, Joseph A. Linscott; sister, Teresa L. Sargent; granddaughter, Jamie Lea Linscott.

A memorial service will be held 10:00 am, Saturday, May 14, 2016 at Jordan-Fernald, 113 Franklin Street, Ellsworth with Pastor Bob Maddocks officiating. A reception will follow the service at the funeral home.

Contributions in Rita's memory may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, Maine Chapter, 383 US Route 1, Suite 2C, Scarborough, ME 04074.

Condolences may be expressed at [www.jordanferald.com](http://www.jordanferald.com).



### *I'M FREE*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took His hand when I heard Him call  
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day  
to laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks undone must stay that way.*

*I found that peace at close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void  
then fill it with remembered joy.*

*A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
ah, yes, these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.*

*My life's been full, I've savored much,  
good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
don't lengthen it now with undue grief.*

*Lift up your hearts and share with me*

*God wanted me now:*

*He set me free.*

*In Loving Memory of*

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*Died*

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### *Memorial Contributions*

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