

Laura (Irwin) Cobb, 84, of St. Johnsbury, passed away Thursday, March 25, 2010, surrounded by her family. She was born in St. Johnsbury on April 6, 1925, the youngest of five children born to the late David and Annie (Smith) Irwin. She graduated from St. Johnsbury Academy. On July 30, 1946, she and Russell G. Cobb of Danville were united in marriage. She was instrumental in the operation of their business, Russ Cobb Appliance. For years they have lived at 3 West Place located just off Pleasant Street. She loved to play the piano and crochet. Mrs. Cobb was a member of the Danville United Methodist Church. The Cobbs were former members of the Grace United Methodist Church in St. Johnsbury. She is survived by her husband of 64 years, Russell; four sons, George Cobb and wife Barbara of Monroe, N.H., Arnold Cobb of Burlington, James Cobb and wife Mary of Coventry, Steven Cobb of Danville; seven grandchildren, Nathan, Arla, Patience, Deanna, and Justin, Christina and Faith, Amanda and Melinda; 10 great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews. Her four siblings also passed away: her sister Mildred Camuso and her three brothers John, George and Edward Irwin. Services will be held in Danville on Monday, March 29, at 11 a.m. at Danville United Methodist Church. George's pastor, the Rev. Donald Thomas, has been asked to officiate at the service. Committal services will follow at the Danville Green Cemetery. Following the committal service, there will be a luncheon downstairs at the church. Memorial contributions could be directed to the "Danville United Methodist Church", c/o P.O. Box 201, Danville, VT 05828.