

Diane M. (Smith) Macdonald, formerly of Littleton; 71, FITCHBURG -- Diane M. (Smith) Macdonald, of Fitchburg, a former longtime resident of Hartwell Avenue, Littleton, died Saturday, February 26, 2011 at Health Alliance - Leominster Hospital., Mrs. Macdonald was born in Malden, June 13, 1939, a daughter of Raymond and Myrtle (Young) Smith and resided 45 years in Littleton before moving to Fitchburg five years ago., She is survived by her husband of 50 years, Wallace Macdonald; a son and daughter in law, Douglas and Kathleen Macdonald of Nashua, NH; two daughters and a son in law; Donna A. and Kelly Campbell of Lunenburg, Sandra J. Macdonald of Fitchburg and a cousin, Beverly Stewart of Hingham., She was the sister of the late Michael Smith of Charlestown., Before retiring in 2007, Mrs. Macdonald worked for fifteen years as a pre-school, at Family Tree Pre-School in Pepperell. Prior to that she worked at Children's Garden Pre-School in Littleton., Mrs. Macdonald was an avid reader, an accomplished cook, enjoyed gardening and was fond of her cats. She was a former member of St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Ayer., MACDONALD -- A funeral service will be held 1 PM Thursday at the T.J. Anderson & Son Funeral Home, 25 Fitchburg Road, (Rte 2A) Ayer. Please see, for additional information., Burial will be in Westlawn Cemetery, Littleton., There are no calling hours., Memorial contributions in Mrs. Macdonald's name may be made to a local library of the donor's choice or to the Fitchburg EMS/Ambulance Rescue Fund, 33 North Street, Fitchburg, MA 01420.