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Mary C. Burns ... of S.C., formerly of Littleton; 92

LITTLE RIVER, S.C. — Mary C. (Leary) Burns, 92, formerly of Littleton, died Saturday, June 29, in Kissimmee, Fla. She was the wife of Lawrence J. Burns, who died in 1986.

She was born in Boston on Nov. 5, 1909, a daughter of the late Jeremiah and Catherine (Burns) Leary. She spent her early life in Somerville and retired from the Somerville school system as a cafeteria worker. Mrs. Burns was a former Littleton resident.

Survivors include by two sons, Lawrence J. Burns Jr. of Somerville and John J. Leary of Wakefield; two daughters, Claire Ellis of Little River, S.C., and Patricia Burgess of Orlando, Fla.; a niece, Mary MacLaughlin of Littleton; 14 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

BURNS — Of Little River, S.C., Mary (Leary) Burns, June 29, formerly of Littleton. Funeral from Badger Funeral Home, 347 King St., Littleton, on Saturday at 9 a.m. with a Mass of Christian Burial at St. Anne's Church, Littleton, at 10 a.m. Visiting Hours Friday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Burial at Westlawn Cemetery, Littleton. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to American Heart Assn., 22 Speen St., Framingham, MA or the Alzheimer's Foundation, 36 Cameron St., Cambridge, MA.

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