



## Mrs. Marion D. Gallant

March 8, 1938 - May 20, 2016

Marion DeLynne Gallant

1938-2016

On Friday May 20, 2016 Marion D. Gallant was called home to be with her beloved husband

surrounded by her loving family. Marion was born March 8, 1938 in Mechanic Falls to Bill and

Vera Purington. She was educated in the schools there, graduating in 1956. She met the love of

her life Aubin Gallant in November of 1955 and they married on June 30, 1956. She worked in

numerous shoe shops in the Lewiston area. After retiring, she babysat for many more years.

She and Aubin welcomed a child in June of 1959, the first of 5 they would be blessed with. Marion's greatest love was her family. She was a social butterfly, making friends and stealing hearts wherever her radiant smile went. She enjoyed family gatherings, playing Bingo,

camping, and Saturday night dances at Beaver Brook Campground in Monmouth. She was a

very active volunteer at Barker Arms in Auburn where she and Aubin resided for 25 years before moving to the D'Youville Pavillion in Lewiston for nearly a year.

She is survived by her children Randall Gallant of Turner, Scott and his wife Susan Gallant of

Lewiston, Josie Frost and her husband Phillip of Wilton, a son-in law Leo Duchette of Turner, a

brother Robert Purington of Poland, a brother-in-law Robert Gallant of Pennsylvania, 9 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews, and many very dear friends.

She is predeceased by her husband Aubin and two daughters, Charlene Gallant and Cathleen

Duchette.

Her cup truly runneth over with love. She will be dearly missed by so many.

Her family would like to extend their deepest appreciation to Becky, Jerry, Nicole, and Mary Sue

for the love and friendship they brought to her and our family, and to the wonderful and compassionate staff at the Hospice House in Auburn. You truly are all Angels.

Online condolences and sharing of memories may be expressed at

[www.lynchbrothers.com](http://www.lynchbrothers.com)

GALLANT died in Auburn, May 20, 2016, Mrs. Marion D. Gallant age 78 years a resident of Lewiston.

Memorial services honoring Marion's life will be held SUNDAY May 29th 4:00 PM at the funeral home.

Family and friends are invited to visit Sunday 2 PM until time of the services at the PINETTE DILLINGHAM & LYNCH FUNERAL HOME 305 Alfred Plourde Parkway, Lewiston, 784-4023

# Events

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**MAY**   **Visitation**                      02:00PM - 04:00PM

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Pinette Dillingham & Lynch Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
305 Alfred Plourde Parkway PO Box 181, Lewiston, ME, US, 04240

**MAY**   **Service**                              04:00PM - 05:00PM

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Pinette Dillingham & Lynch Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
305 Alfred Plourde Parkway PO Box 181, Lewiston, ME, US, 04240

# Comments

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“ Marion was such a loving and caring woman. I remember when I started working on 4 east at d'youville, Aubin and marion were the first people I got to know and really take care of. Marion was so very protective of Aubin and would make sure he got the help she thought he deserved, even if he didn't think he needed it himself. My most loving memory I have is of Aubin telling me about a week before his passing that he was going to ask mrs.Marion to marry him again, after 60 yrs! Their love was so uplifting and gives me hope, just like Marion used to do with all her wisdom and kind advice. Marion will be so very deeply missed she was a favorite to many across 4 east at d'youville.

With love,  
Kyliegh

**kyliegh** - June 03, 2016 at 08:36 AM

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“ To the entire Gallant family, what a beautiful person your mom was. When your dad was on 4west, I would love it when your mom came over to encourage your dad to get up and eat. She was such a kind and gentle person. How she loved your dad and her children. She had been through so much this past year but always found a way to make others smile. She was so grateful for the care you would give her and her Aubin. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this difficult time. Linda Nurse  
4west

**linda gelinas** - May 23, 2016 at 09:27 PM



“ My love and sympathy goes to the Family members of Marion. She was a loving, kind, generous, entertaining and beautiful lady. I will always cherish the memories I have of her. Memories from the discipline talks and the bandaging of skinned knees to the words of encouragement and the educational conversations on life subjects. I will never forget her. She made many people smile and will forever be a part of their hearts.

My love and prayers of peace to all of you!

Mary S

**Mary Crockett** - May 25, 2016 at 12:42 PM



“ Marion was a wonderful person. She shared one of her most precious gifts with me, her daughter Josie. She raised her children with love in her heart and it shows in her children. She will sadly be missed by many, but a piece of her remains with us in her children.

My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Judy F

**Judy Frost** - May 26, 2016 at 06:21 AM