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Judy A. Hughes

NIAGARA FALLS — Judy A. Hughes, 71, passed away, peacefully, Thursday, April 7, 2011, surrounded by her family, under the care of Erie County Hospice, after a long and courageous battle with diabetes and kidney disease.

Judy was born on December 5, 1939, in Niagara Falls, Ontario Canada, and was adopted as an infant by Alberico and Rosalina Caretta. She attended local schools and graduated from SUNY at Geneseo, with a teaching degree in Special Education.

Judy is survived by her husband of 46 years, Robert A. Hughes; her three children, Michelle (Josh) Kilmer, Nancy (Roger) Moretto and Greg (Chris) Hughes. Judy was Nonnie to her five grandchildren, Kassie, Gregory, Austin, Devin and Justin. She will also be greatly missed by her favorite “feline companion” Skipper.

Judy unselfishly donated her corneas to Upstate New York Transplant Services, and her body to the University of Buffalo School of Medicine. A celebration of Judy’s life will be held at the convenience of the family. The family has requested that anyone who wishes to honor Judy’s life, please do so by making a donation to Womens & Children’s Hospital of Buffalo.