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## Mabel Hathaway

...Littleton, member of St. Anne's; 78

LITTLETON — Mabel (Slinger) Hathaway, 78, a resident of Littleton, died yesterday at the Life Care Center of Nashoba Valley in Littleton. She was the wife of John W. Hathaway.

She was born in Rockland, on April 28, 1926, daughter of the late John and Jeanette (Lussier) Slinger. She grew up in Nantasket and Boston's Dorchester.

Mrs. Hathaway had lived in Littleton with her husband since their marriage in 1948.

She worked at Automatic Radio in Brookline, McElroy Electronics and Association Films, both in Littleton, as a clerk.

She was an avid reader and was active in the Massachusetts Association of School Business. She also enjoyed traveling and spending time with her grandchildren. She was a communicant of St. Anne Church in Littleton.

Besides her husband, her survivors include two sons, John W. Hathaway II of Littleton and Leslie Hathaway of Westford; a brother and sister-in-law, Raymond and Paula Slinger of Milton; four grandchildren, John Hathaway III of Boxboro, Christopher and Mark Hathaway both of Westford, and Jeremy Hathaway of Littleton; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was also the sister of the late Juliette Lamore, Violet Olson and Barbara Fairbairn.

**HATHAWAY** — of Littleton, Mabel (Slinger) Hathaway, April 4, 2005. Funeral from the Badger Funeral Home, 347 King St., Littleton on Friday at 9 a.m. with a Mass of Christian Burial at St. Anne's Church, 75 King St., Littleton at 10 a.m. Visiting Hours Thursday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. For those who wish donations may be made in her name to the National Arthritis Foundation, PO Box 96280, Washington, DC 20007.

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