

# Kings of Leverett

## How a family changed our town



Gordon and Frances King moved to Leverett in 1951. Over the next half century, they raised a family and invested remarkable intelligence, energy and humor in our town.

Their effects were felt at Leverett Elementary School, the Fire Department, over Leverett's Bicentennial celebrations, in the founding and funding of Rattlesnake Gutter Trust, in our town dump, in the Boy Scouts and in a network of trails and protected land we all enjoy today. They both were prime movers of projects large and small. Their strengths and weaknesses complemented each other.

And they left us with a fund of funny, moving and deeply felt stories.