



## Cecil Leroy Cook

September 29, 1937 - October 14, 2024

Cecil Leroy Cook, a very intelligent man that loved to joke about many things, died October 14, 2024. Cecil, 87 of Potterville, was born September 29, 1937 in the family home in West Windsor to Jason and Ica (Daggett) Cook. He graduated from Charlotte High School in 1958. In 1959 he married Wanda Whiting and together they raised their five children with many adventures including visiting every lighthouse in Michigan. Cecil was happiest when he was busy. He worked at GM for 33 years, as well as helping neighbors with their farming. Some of the outdoor activities he enjoyed included gardening, canning tomatoes and beans from his garden, fishing, hunting (both bow and gun) to provide venison for his family, and trips up north. When he couldn't be outdoors, he enjoyed indoor activities like woodworking, watching the Detroit Lions, the History Channel, and the Cooking channel, and listening to music.

Cecil is survived by his children, Debra (Arthur) Rouse, Teresa Robinson, John (Cathy) Cook, Scott Cook, and Sharon Willis; 18 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family members. He was predeceased by his wife, Wanda Cook; granddaughter, Casey Willis; great-grandson, Aiden Schafer; great-granddaughter, Paisley Cook; son-in-law, Bruce Robinson; his parents; and siblings, Ellis, Harold, Victor, and Laverne Cook.

Friends are encouraged to support Cecil's family by attending services or

sharing memories on his Tribute Page at [www.prayfuneral.com](http://www.prayfuneral.com). Visitation is Wednesday, October 23, 12:00 noon - 2:00 p.m. with funeral services immediately following at 2:00 p.m. at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte with Pastor Andy Shaver officiating. The funeral will be webcast so you may watch it from any computer, smartphone, or mobile device that has internet access. Go to [www.prayfuneral.com](http://www.prayfuneral.com), click on Cecil's tribute, then click on Photos and Videos from your computer (or Media from your smart phone). The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

# Cemetery Details

## Maple Hill Cemetery

801 Tully Brown Rd.  
Charlotte, MI 48813

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **23**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home  
401 W Seminary St  
Charlotte, MI 48813

## Funeral

OCT **23**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home  
401 W Seminary St  
Charlotte, MI 48813

## Burial

OCT **23** (ET)

Maple Hill Cemetery  
801 Tully Brown Rd.  
Charlotte, MI 48813



# Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Cecil Leroy Cook*



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**Pray Funeral Home, Inc.** - October 23, 2024 at 01:50 PM



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Cecil Leroy Cook*



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**Pray Funeral Home, Inc.** - October 22, 2024 at 07:03 PM

**JK**

*What beautiful but never forgotten memories for all you to share. My thoughts & prayers goes out to all of you. Please except my deepest condolences to all of you.  
May God bless you all*

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**Judey Kratz** - October 23, 2024 at 02:32 PM

JK

“ *Judey Kratz lit a candle in memory of Cecil Leroy Cook*



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**Judey Kratz** - October 23, 2024 at 06:18 PM

JC

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**John L Cook** - October 22, 2024 at 03:16 PM

JK

*John I'm that's a great picture of you & your dad (Mr.Cecil)I'm so sorry for your loss. May find peace comfort & strength in the days ahead.RIP Mr.Cecil. No more suffering.*

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**Judey Kratz** - October 23, 2024 at 02:50 PM

SW

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Sharon L Willis** - October 22, 2024 at 03:02 PM

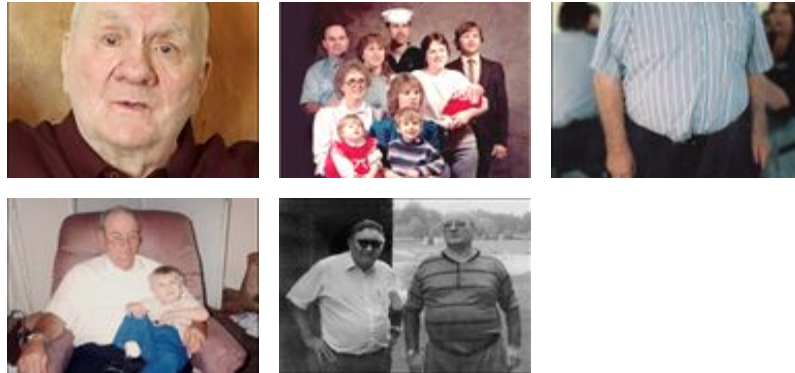
JK

*I have another pic of Mr Cecil & Ms.Wanda & I believe Jennifer & little Christopher*

Judey Kratz - October 23, 2024 at 02:47 PM



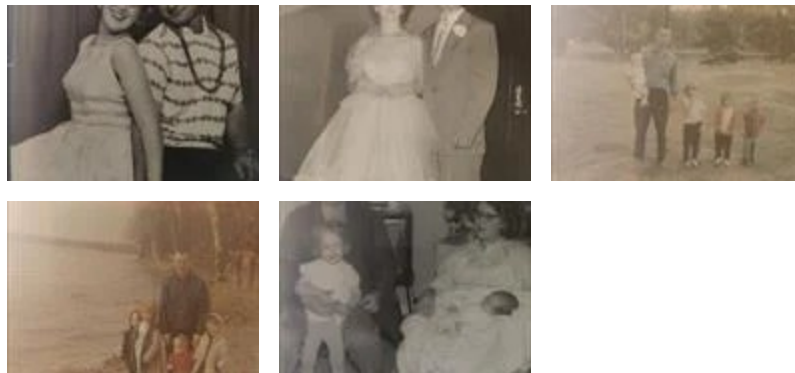
“ 56 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - October 22, 2024 at 02:57 PM

SW

“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Sharon L Willis - October 22, 2024 at 01:26 PM

CG

“ Curt and Heather Gibson purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Cecil Leroy Cook.



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**Curt and Heather Gibson** - October 22, 2024 at 11:25 AM

SW

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall

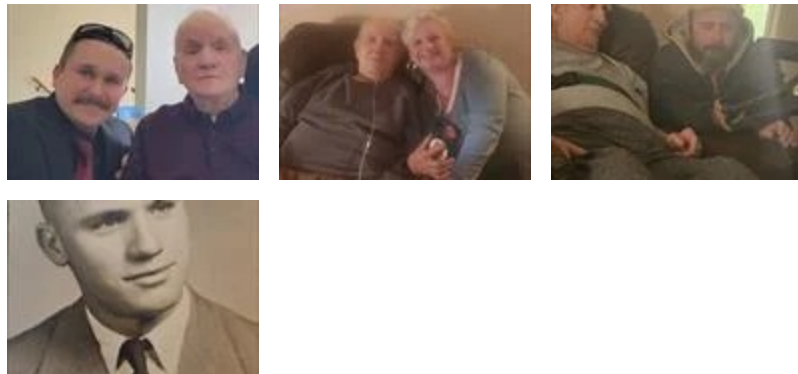


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**Sharon L Willis** - October 21, 2024 at 04:29 PM

SW

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



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**Sharon L Willis** - October 21, 2024 at 04:00 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Cecil Leroy Cook.



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October 17, 2024 at 05:50 PM



“ *Charmagne lit a candle in memory of Cecil Leroy Cook*



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**Charmagne** - October 17, 2024 at 05:17 PM



“ *Sending our condolences from the staff at ECHRS*

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**ECHRS** - October 17, 2024 at 10:09 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Cecil Leroy Cook.



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October 16, 2024 at 01:31 PM

YF

“ Your Doors Unlimited Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cecil Leroy Cook.

Your Doors Unlimited Family - October 16, 2024 at 01:31 PM

KO

“ Teresa Brandon and family so sorry to hear of Cecil's passing. Our deepest condolences

Karen Odette - October 15, 2024 at 10:09 AM

BC

“ My uncle always told me the funniest jokes every time I spent time with him and I always thought that oxtail came from a ox intell I asked him uncle does oxtail come from a ox he said no it comes from a cow's tail I'll Miss him love you uncle Cecil

Brenda Sue Cook - October 15, 2024 at 09:51 AM

JK

“ The last I seen of your father & mother & or grandfather & grandmother when they came to Florida with 2 other grandchildren to spend time with their grandson J L. We had a wonderful day & great time when they came here.Im so sorry to learned that Mr.Cecil has passed away.May God heal,strengthen, & comfort you all in these days ahead.May God bless you all.Love,Judey Kratz(Cook)

Judey Kratz - October 14, 2024 at 10:07 PM

TR

Thank you much judey(cook)kratz.

Teresa Robinson - October 15, 2024 at 08:34 AM

TR

*Thank you! Judey(cook) kratz.*

**Teresa Robinson** - October 19, 2024 at 08:04 AM

JK

*Your welcome. I'm so sorry to learn that Mr.Cecil has passed away.*

**Judey Kratz** - October 23, 2024 at 12:32 PM

JL

“*Judey Kratz(Cook), Heather & John L.Cook purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Cecil Leroy Cook.*



**Judey Kratz(Cook), Heather & John L.Cook** - October 14, 2024 at 09:45 PM

CB

“*Chuck Brandon lit a candle in memory of Cecil Leroy Cook*



**Chuck Brandon** - October 14, 2024 at 09:16 PM