



Margaret Louise Andreas

September 11, 1945 - March 8, 2025

Margaret Louise Andreas, 79, of Olivet, a hardworking and loving wife, mother, and grandmother, died peacefully on Saturday, March 8, 2025 in Charlotte. Margaret was born September 11, 1945 in Battle Creek, the daughter of Leslie Junior and Dorothy Ann (Fleming) Bracy. She graduated from Olivet High School in 1963 before going to work at State Farm Insurance, where she edited the company publication known as the "Big Mac." Margaret married the love of her life, Thomas Andreas, on May 6, 1972, and the two happily raised two daughters. Later, after her children had grown, she went to work at Cornwell's Turkeyville, where she was affectionately known as the "head turkey slinger." Margaret could debone a turkey in mere seconds. Although she wouldn't acknowledge it, Margaret was a very creative woman. She had a self-taught yet masterful way with a paintbrush and she enjoyed photography and scrapbooking with her daughters. She possessed an impressive collection of Precious Moments figurines, and had the most beautiful penmanship. Margaret also enjoyed being outdoors tending her gardens and watching for hummingbirds.

Margaret is survived by her husband of nearly 53 years, Thomas Andreas; their daughters, Heather (Jarrett) Kreiner and Amber (Richard) Swan; 5 grandchildren, Jacob Chavez, Lauren Chavez, Blake Kreiner, Andrew Chavez and Brett Kreiner; her sister, Virginia Barrett; special niece, Laura Bracy; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents; brother,

Daniel Bracy; and brother-in-law, Tom Barrett.

Friends are encouraged to support Margaret's family by attending services or sharing memories on her Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. Funeral Services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, March 14, 2025 at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte with Pastor Brock Peters officiating. Visitation will be from 12:00 noon - 2:00 p.m., just prior to the service. 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, click on Margaret's tribute, then click on Photos and Videos from your computer (or Media from your smart phone). If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Wounded Warriors Project, Parkinson's Foundation, or the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 14. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
401 W Seminary St
Charlotte, MI 48813

Funeral

MAR 14. 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

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Charlotte, MI 48813

Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Margaret Louise Andreas*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - March 14, 2025 at 12:56 PM



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Margaret Louise Andreas*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - March 13, 2025 at 04:17 PM



“ *Dear Tom and family,
We are sending our sincere condolences and prayers for all of you.
Sincerely,
Jackie and Ron Gonerka*

RONALD GONERKA - March 14, 2025 at 02:21 PM



“ 52 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - March 13, 2025 at 04:13 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Margaret Louise Andreas.



March 13, 2025 at 03:16 PM



“ *Janis K.* purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Margaret Louise Andreas.



Janis K. - March 13, 2025 at 11:18 AM

LA

“ Lori Schrader and family, Paul and Angie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Margaret Louise Andreas.

Lori Schrader and family, Paul and Angie - March 13, 2025 at 10:17 AM

LA

“ Lori Schrader and family, Paul and Angie purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Margaret Louise Andreas.



Lori Schrader and family, Paul and Angie - March 13, 2025 at 10:17 AM

AH

“ Dear Tom, Amber, Heather and family, may God’s presence be with you and help you with your loss of a wonderful Lady, Wife, Mom and so many other titles that made her the person she is. With heart felt sorrow, Allan, Cindy, Cameron, and Court.

Allan Harvath - March 13, 2025 at 07:54 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Margaret Louise Andreas.



March 11, 2025 at 03:35 PM

TD

“ Tom and Sandy DeSantis purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Margaret Louise Andreas.



Tom and Sandy DeSantis - March 10, 2025 at 05:47 PM

ML

“ Dear family and friends of Ms. Margaret, Please accept my deepest condolences and prayers. Ms. Heather spoke so fondly of her mother each time we saw each other. My very humble honor to have gotten to know such a beautiful lady through her exceptionally caring daughter. All my love.

Michelle Lovell (Myrda)



Michelle Lovell - March 10, 2025 at 04:26 AM