



Margaret Ann French

March 25, 1938 - March 21, 2011

Margaret A. French, 72, of Charlotte, MI died Monday, March 21, 2011. Mrs. French was born March 25, 1938 in Charlotte, MI the daughter of Harry and Janet (MacDonald) Lightner. Mrs. French was employed at the County of Eaton where she worked as a cook for the Eaton County Jail earning a service plaque. She was a member of Rebekkahs Lodge in Hastings and enjoyed crocheting, knitting, photography and reading. Mrs. French loved the time she spent with her family traveling and camping at State Parks with the motorhome. She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Carl "Roy" French; daughters, Carla Frazier of Charlotte, Cindy French of St. Johns and Jacquelyn French of Charlotte; son, Steven French of Charlotte; 8 grandchildren; 3 great grandchildren; sister, Audrey (Bernard) Ommen of Vermontville and sister, Linda White of Charlotte. She was preceded in death by her parents and brothers, Gary and James Lightner. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Thursday, March 24, 2011 at Pray Funeral Home with Pastor Rob Schneider officiating. Interment will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Vermontville, MI. Visitation will be Wednesday, March 23, 2011 from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. at Pray Funeral Home. If desired, memorial contributions may be made to Eaton Community Hospice House or the Family.

Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Margaret Ann French



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - March 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Carla and Family, Sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother. She was a very sweet Lady with a warm smile. I all ways loved going to your house for BlueBirds! My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Chelley McNamara - April 26, 2011 at 06:04 PM

RW

“ Dear Family: Margaret was a wonderful person, her smile was a pleasure to behold. She worked hard and served the people of Eaton County for many years. May God Bless her. She will have a special place in heaven and be missed by all who new her.
Sincerely Rick Wahl

Rick Wahl - April 20, 2011 at 10:41 PM

JF

Thank u rick. This is her youngest daughter Jackie. We miss her very much

Jackie french - February 28, 2021 at 07:29 PM

DB

“ A very lovely lady and friend. I enjoyed working around her at the jail. Visiting her house and sometimes when they were camping. She will be missed but her smile and laugh will always be remembered. My thoughts and prayers to her family.

Deanna Barnum - March 28, 2011 at 12:13 PM

CB

“ Jackie I was very sad to read about your Mother. I know you were very close to her. I will always remember how kind she was when she would call me at work and ask to get a message to you. She always said she was sorry for bothering me while working. She was a very kind and sweet person. My very deepest thoughts go out to you and your family.

Cindy Burnett - March 27, 2011 at 06:53 PM

NO

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I worked with Margaret at the county as a cook and she was a friendly, caring, loving person. I loved when I still ran in to her and Roy at the store it always made me very happy. God be with her and her family.

Nancy Ohannesian - March 27, 2011 at 02:56 PM

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“ Aunt Margret was always real nice to me and Carol Brooks (Woodworth) when we would visit her at her house. She always had the time for us to play games and fix us lunch. I remember these times fondly. She will be missed because of the person she was and her great smile. Sue Lea (Clouse)

Susan Lea (Clouse) - March 25, 2011 at 10:38 AM

WC

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Margaret's passing. I will remember her with a smile as she always had a smiling face whenever I saw her.

Wilma Campbell

Wilma Campbell - March 24, 2011 at 12:32 PM

SC

“ I remember growing up going to Aunt Margarets house to visit....Jackie and I would work on her Sean Cassidy fan club and my Mom (Lois) and my Dad (Jim-- Margarets Brother) would visit with Aunt Maragret and Uncle Roy. Aunt Margaret would make us macaroni and tomatoes...It was good! My favorite thing about Aunt Margaret was her beautiful smile and contagious laugh!!! She will be missed!!!

Susan (Lightner) Clements - March 24, 2011 at 12:28 PM

DP

“ Margaret was a joyful and caring woman. I enjoyed being around her. Now she is gone to a home that is assigned to her. For Jesus said "In My Fathers house are many dwelling places; if it were no so, I would have told you; for I go to prepare a place for you." There will she is walking and dancing with Jesus. Rev. 21:4 says "and He will wipe away every tear from their eyes; and there will no longer be any death; there will no longer be any mourning or crying, or pain; the first things have passed away." We can all join her again to live forever. Let us accept Jesus and he will prepare a place for us also.

Denice Pirrello - March 23, 2011 at 02:22 PM

DC

“ Grandma has always there for me, through all the bad times and all the good!! Hopefully the world will be as kind and generous as she always was. Love you Grandma :)

Don Collier - March 23, 2011 at 11:39 AM

SC

“ Grandma loved that I finally found someone that loves and cares for me...She always said that if I were done with him, just send him her way, LOL :) Very much going to miss her Always Smiling face!!!

Sara Crocker - March 23, 2011 at 10:48 AM

JT

“ Dear Jackie, I am so sorry to hear the news about your Mom. I want you to know that my thoughts and heart are with you. It is one of the greatest loss you will face in your life. Always remember that a loving mother as your mom would choose to go before any of her children. Honor her in your life by keeping her in your heart and know that all you will remember are the good times. May God bless you and carry you through this time. In God's Love, Your friend
Joyce Taylor

joyce taylor - March 23, 2011 at 08:44 AM

MY

“ Grandma French would always give (my now husband) Larry a hard time. At ALL the birthday party's for the Joe & Chrissie's kids. She would pick on him and tell him flat out that he had to marry me! She was not taking any grief! If you did not listen to her, she would threaten you with her cane. And boy did she mean it. I wish that she was able to see us get married. I was never able to get with her to show her the pictures. She would have loved them. Grandma French you WILL BE GREATLY MISSED!

Mary Young - March 22, 2011 at 08:04 PM