



## Mary Margaret Conroy

December 5, 1926 - June 9, 2015

Mary Margaret Conroy, 88, of Charlotte, died peacefully on Tuesday, June 9, 2015. Mary was born December 5, 1926 in Petoskey, MI, the daughter of Merrit and Margaret Leshner. She grew up in Petoskey, and there married her sweetheart, George Conroy 59 years ago at St. Francis Xavier Roman Catholic Church. George's career moved them to Lansing, where they lived 20 years before settling in Charlotte on Brookfield Road. The joy of Mary's life was raising her six children. She enjoyed cooking, knitting and crocheting, and visiting with her family and friends. Mary graduated from Lansing Community College with her LPN and worked over 10 years at Eaton Manor in Charlotte. After George retired in 1986, they loved their winters in Florida, traveling back and forth with their trailer. Above all else, Mary was most proud of her family and cherished her family gatherings.

She is survived by her beloved husband, George; two sons, Michael (Catherine) Conroy and Gerald (Cindy) Conroy; two daughters, Mary (Marvin) Sutton and Diane (John Colombo) Perkins; 9 grandchildren; 7 great-grandchildren; daughter-in-law, Rosie Conroy; and son-in-law, Jeff Wonch. Mary was predeceased by her parents; son, John Conroy; daughter, Linda Wonch; and brother, Ted Leshner.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, June 15, 2015 at Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte with Rev. Fr. David Rosenberg officiating. Visitation

will be from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 14, 2015 at the funeral home. Interment will take place in Perry Cemetery, Brookfield Twp. Memorial contributions may be made to Eaton Community Palliative Care. Family and friends are encouraged to share remembrances and condolences online in Mary's Tribute Page at [www.prayfuneral.com](http://www.prayfuneral.com).

# Cemetery Details

## **Perry Cemetery**

2688 Stevens Hwy.  
Charlotte, MI 48813

# Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Margaret Conroy*



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**Pray Funeral Home, Inc.** - June 11, 2015 at 03:40 PM

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“ *Our deepest condolences to the Conroy family on your loss. Mary was one of the sweetest and most kind woman we knew. We always looked forward to spending time with her when she and George came to Florida for the winters. My fondest memory of Mary was teaching her to weave her Oklahoma doublewall basket. She was so determined to learn it, and she wove one of the most perfect ones in shape and structure I have seen any beginner do. She was so pleased with her basket and I was so proud of her! Mary was not a quitter! We had so much fun during those weaving sessions. I have a few photos I took of Mary weaving and a couple of her finished basket . If any of her children would like to have those, please send me an email at [reed.wrangler\(at\)gmail.com](mailto:reed.wrangler(at)gmail.com) and I will make sure you get them. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time.*

*Annette and Neal Morgan  
Ocala, Florida*

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**Annette and Neal Morgan** - June 14, 2015 at 07:03 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Margaret Conroy .



June 12, 2015 at 09:07 AM



“ 49 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - June 11, 2015 at 03:39 PM

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“ My sincere sympathy to the Conroy family. The loss of a wife and mom, must seem unbearable. But she's in heaven watching over all of you.

Mary and I always had something to talk about. We shared many laughs and a few tears together.

My last visit with her at hospice was filled with catching up, and I'd like to share a couple things with the family. She was happy that Mary and Diane both had men that were good to them and treated them right. She loved Florida, but was glad George did what he did with the house. And then something about the stripes on the towels going the wrong way and the male nurse couldn't fix them. Always something to talk about.

Mary was so thoughtful and caring. I'm thankful we were friends and I will truly miss her.

My thoughts and prayers to all of you.

Sherry Dexter

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**Sherry Dexter** - June 11, 2015 at 08:34 AM

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“ George and family, we want to express our deepest sympathies for your loss. Mary was a wonderful lady, and we so enjoyed the winters we spent with her and George in Florida. She always had such a positive attitude, and we had a lot of fun telling stories about the Brookfield neighborhood. She always loved talking about her faith in God, and how he helped her through so many tough things in her lifetime. May she rest in peace, and may you all know she loved each of you very much.

Pastor David and Jackie Ames

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**Pastor David & Jackie Ames** - June 10, 2015 at 04:17 PM