



Martha LaVoy

February 18, 1925 - February 21, 2012

Blissfield—Martha LaVoy, age 87, of Blissfield, formerly of Deerfield Petersburg area, passed away February 21, 2012 at her home under the loving care of her family and Great Lakes Hospice.

She was born February 18, 1925, in Detroit, MI., the daughter of Florence M. (Ewers) and Warren Watson. Martha graduated from Petersburg High School in 1943.

On November 4, 1944, Martha married Donald LaVoy. They celebrated 48 years of marriage until his death in 1992.

Martha worked for the GM dealerships of Fedell Chevrolet, Petersburg and Lawrny Pontiac Oldsmobile in Milan, in the parts and service department, retiring in 1989. She was a member of St. Alphonsus' Church (Light of Christ Catholic Church), where she was active in the Altar Rosary Society. She especially enjoyed time with her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. In addition to her family, she also enjoyed playing cards, baking and watching her soaps.

Martha is survived by her children, Dennis (Mary) LaVoy of Arizona, Harold "Snakebite" LaVoy of Curtice, Ohio and Rita Gust of Blissfield; seven grandchildren, Dennis

(Judy) LaVoy, Jr., Michael LaVoy, Deneen (Chad) Austin, Martha (Rocky) Young, Wendy (John) Tomlinson, Jessica (Louis) Ramsey, Scott (Michelle) Gust; 12 great grandchildren and 4 great great grandchildren.

In addition to her husband, Donald, she was preceded in death by her parents, brothers, Robert and Jerry.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at Light of Christ Catholic Church, (formerly St. Alphonsus') in Deerfield, at 11:00 a.m. with Father Jack Loughran officiating. Burial will follow at Light of Christ Catholic Cemetery in Deerfield. Visitation will be held at Wagley Funeral Home, Tagsold Chapel, Blissfield, on Friday from 2 to 8 p.m., with a prayer vigil beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Cemetery Details

St. Alphonsus Catholic Cemetery

Deerfield, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **24**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home Tagsold Chapel (Blissfield)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Martha LaVoy*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Chuck VanVleet lit a candle in memory of Martha LaVoy*



Chuck VanVleet - February 25, 2012 at 07:41 AM



Rita...condolences from an old friend.

Chuck VanVleet - February 25, 2012 at 07:42 AM



Rita...condolences from an old friend, Chuck...

Chuck VanVleet - February 25, 2012 at 02:58 PM



“ *Judy Gust and Jon Milliken purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Martha LaVoy.*



Judy Gust and Jon Milliken - February 24, 2012 at 10:02 AM

RR

“ *Rich and Carrie Ann Raham purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Martha LaVoy.*



Rich and Carrie Ann Raham - February 24, 2012 at 09:56 AM

KW

“ *Rita -
I will never forget the love, support and comfort your Mom showed me and my family after my Mom passed away. She was truly one of a kind.
With much love and sympathy -
Kendra*

Rest in peace sweet, sweet Mim!!

Kendra Weasel - February 24, 2012 at 07:13 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Martha LaVoy.*



February 24, 2012 at 07:06 AM

JB

“ I never had the opportunity to know Martha (Mimi). Luckily over the past year her Grandson, Michael, has shared many reminisces with me about her. From his stories, I know that she was a selfless and kind woman and a loving and fun Grandmother. I also know she was deeply loved.

janet k. bordeaux - February 23, 2012 at 02:00 PM

JL

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Jill Lawrence - February 23, 2012 at 11:13 AM

HB

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of the family. What a blessing she was, and will continue to be to all of you!

Heather Barber

Heather Barber - February 23, 2012 at 10:44 AM

SA

“ Our Dear Martha,

Our family has known Martha for approximately 40 years. Martha was one of the nicest, sincere, and caring person we have had the pleasure to love and be loved. She will be missed by all of us. - The John Midkiff Family and Grandchildren.

Sue Addy - February 23, 2012 at 08:57 AM

PL

“ Patricia Campbell (formerly LaVoy) lit a candle in memory of Martha LaVoy



Patricia Campbell (formerly LaVoy) - February 23, 2012 at 08:29 AM

PL

I will miss Mimi dearly. I am so blessed to have had her in my life and her love. Pat Campbell

Patricia Campbell (formerly LaVoy) - February 23, 2012 at 08:34 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Martha LaVoy.



February 22, 2012 at 06:14 PM

LH

“ Where do you begin to share what a wonderful lady Martha was. She was so strong in her faith and once she was your friend it was for life. She will be missed deeply and loved forever. Harold, Rita and Family you were truly blessed to have a Mom like Martha. Larry & I are thinking of you today and in our prayers for the days ahead. God Bless

Larry & Kim Hauser - February 22, 2012 at 09:48 AM

LH

“ *Larry & Kim Hauser lit a candle in memory of Martha LaVoy*



Larry & Kim Hauser - February 22, 2012 at 09:42 AM