



Maria C. Conley

May 13, 2017

Maria C. Conley, 78, of Painesville, passed away on May 13, 2017 after a long illness. Maria was born in Lakewood to the late John and Margarethe Drotleff. She grew up in Medina and lived in both California and Washington State before settling in Mentor and then finally retiring to Painesville. Maria was an x-ray/lab technician when she met her late husband, Alton A. Conley Jr. She was also an award winning Avon representative and small business owner, The Caner. She was an active member of St. Mary Church in Painesville serving as a Eucharistic Minister. Maria loved to travel, cook, sew and knit and was a pet lover who had several rescued pets. Her fondest memories include riding bareback as a child on her family's farm and having high tea with Eleanor Roosevelt.

Maria was the loving mother of Diane (Dean) Secrest, Patricia (Michael) Buell and Maria (Jason) Arcadi; cherished grandmother of Chase Buell, Katie Buell and Joey Arcadi; devoted sister of John (Elaine) Drotleff, Martin (Dolores) Drotleff and the late Michael Drotleff; sister in law of Esther Drotleff; Maria had several nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews and cousins.

Maria will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

A funeral mass will be held 11 am Saturday May 27, 2017 at St. Mary Catholic Church, 242 N. State St., Painesville, OH 44077. Family and friends will be

received on Friday from 4-8 pm at Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060. Interment will be in Mentor Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Hospice of the Western Reserve, www.hospicewr.org and St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, www.st.jude.org. Offer condolences at www.brunners.com.

Cemetery Details

Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Rd.
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 974-5733

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 26. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
8466 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3401
ajs@brunners.com
<https://www.brunners.com/>

Funeral Mass

MAY 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary Catholic Church
242 N. State St.
Painesville, OH 44077
(440) 354-4381

Tribute Wall



“ *Garden of Memories was purchased for the family of Maria C. Conley.*



May 18, 2017 at 04:41 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss!! She was such a sweet lady and enjoyed our time we spent together. We will miss her. May she R.I.P.*

Pat and Joe - May 16, 2017 at 05:49 PM



“ *Only met you once but you were very much loved by Diane, Dean and Palmer(Bub-Bub). Thankyou for being a wonderful light in their lives. You will be missed and look in on our fur babies that preceded you.*

Mary Paris - May 16, 2017 at 12:57 PM



“ *Hopefully the thoughts and prayers of friends and family will bring you comfort in the days and weeks ahead. Maria brought strength, love, humor and empathy into your lives, these attributes will be kept alive in the memories you have of her. With love and sincerest sympathy. Pat and Howard*

Pat Gardner - May 16, 2017 at 12:22 PM

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Maria Arcadi - May 16, 2017 at 10:29 AM

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Diane Secrest - May 16, 2017 at 09:43 AM

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Patty Buell - May 16, 2017 at 09:29 AM

PU

“ *My sincere condolences to the entire family. Mrs Conley's kindness, laughter, and her love will truly be missed by all.*

*Sincerely,
Paula Usko and kids*

paula usko - May 16, 2017 at 08:28 AM

KD

“ *One of the sweetest, most kind hearted people I have ever had the privilege to know. My thoughts and prayers are with you all and may you find comfort in knowing that Mom is trying out those angel wings and will always be watching over you. Love and hugs.*

Kathy Dalton - May 15, 2017 at 03:18 PM