

## **Sadro, Mary**

Mrs. Mary Rose Sadro, 80, of Minden City, passed away Tuesday evening, February 15, 2005, at Harbor Beach Long Term Care Facility. She was born May 10, 1924 in Minden City to the late Walter and Sophia (Kulish) Kowalski. She married Marcus "Mark" Sadro on November 25, 1944 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Parisville. He preceded her in death on March 27, 2003. Mary was a graduate of the Minden City High School. She worked at Clements Wire and Cable for 15 years. She was a parishioner of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Palms. She made many crafts and did a lot of canning. She enjoyed playing bingo and cards and being with her family. Mary is survived by her children, Joan Pitzer and her husband, Gene, of Moatsville, West Virginia, Patricia Horan and her husband, David, of Forestville, Linda Panula and her husband, Joseph, of Swartz Creek, David Sadro and his wife, Deanna, of Flint, Jean Santag and her husband, Orié Dale, of Palms, Susan Meyer and her husband, James, of Chesterfield, Elaine Loss and her husband, William, of Forestville, Richard Sadro and his wife, Debra, of Ubly, Dorothy Schwall and her husband, Charles, of Sarasota, Florida, Kathleen Gingas and her husband, James, of Clinton Township, Peter Sadro, of Minden City, Paul Sadro and his wife, Silvia, of Miami, Florida, Douglas Sadro and his wife, Vicky, of Burton, Steven Sadro and his fiancé, Laura Root, of Caro, Melissa Block and her husband, Terrance, of Minden City; 32 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; one sister, Blanche Pawlosky; two brothers, John Kowalski and his wife, Eleanor, Chester Kowalski and his wife, Mary; two half-brothers, Thomas Grifka and Robert Grifka and his wife, Nikki. Mary was preceded in death by one grandson, Michael Sadro; two brothers, Harold and Jerome Kowalski; one sister, Isabelle Kowalski. A Funeral Mass will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, February 19, 2005, at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Palms. The Rev. Steve Gavit, pastor of Ss. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Ruth, and Sr. Betty Zeestraten, pastoral administrator of St. Patrick's, will officiate. Burial will be in the St. Mary's Cemetery in Parisville in the Spring. Visitation will be from 6:30 to 9 p.m. on Thursday and from 1 to 9 p.m. on Friday at the Smigielski Funeral Home on Cass Avenue in Minden City and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday at the church. There will be a parish vigil service at 7 p.m. on Friday at the funeral home. Memorials are requested to Heartland Hospice or the Harbor Beach Long Term Care Facility.