



## David P. Vander Wege

March 15, 1937 - November 20, 2016

David P. Vander Wege age 79, of Holland, died Sunday, November 20, 2016. He was preceded in death by his wife, Eleanor (Mouw) in 2006 and a son, Jeffrey in 2012. Dave was a member of Central Ave Christian Reformed Church where he served as an elder, did significant research on the stained glass windows, and enjoyed singing in the choir. He was also a charter member of the Evergreen Chorale. He was employed in purchasing at Big Dutchman for 21 years and coordinated the Holland Community Garden for 8 years. Dave enjoyed rafting through the Grand Canyon and spending time backpacking the Continental Divide. He was an avid gardener, becoming a Master Gardener through Michigan State University. His passion was Bonsai plants. He is survived by his son, Daniel Vander Wege of Grand Haven; daughter-in-law, Brenda Vander Wege of Holland; 4 grandchildren, Hunter Vander Wege, Chase Vander Wege, Drew Vander Wege, Brianna Vander Wege. Funeral services will be 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, November 23, 2016 at Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church, 259 Central Ave. Holland with Rev. Chad Steenwyk officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. A time of visitation and fellowship will take place following the service. Memorial contributions may be given to the Evergreen Chorale and the Central Ave. CRC Memorial Fund. The family is being served by Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home. [www.langelandsterenbergh.com](http://www.langelandsterenbergh.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *David P. Vander Wege*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"Our sincere sympathy to Dave's family. We loved to sing along with him in the Evergreen Chorale. Dave was loved."*

**Jim** - November 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *"I feel so bad to have lost of friend and fellow singer. He was a gift to all of us."*

**Tom Hammond** - November 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Dave always seemed at peace, and so happy when he was working outside at the Holland Community Garden, where I met and worked with Dave. You could tell it touched his heart seeing others learning, and enjoying their time at the garden as much as he loved being there. Thank you Dave for all of the time, and knowledge you shared with all of us Master Gardener trainees. We know now that God's heavenly gardens are in good hands with you there by His side. Prayers and condolences to the Vander Wege family."*

**Jim Means** - November 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Christ indeed lived in you and you let Christ live through you. A remarkable man"*

**Meribeth Le Febre** - November 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I had the privilege of knowing both your Mom & Dad for many years....such great people. David was such a special member of the Evergreen Chorale and we will miss him greatly. Our sympathy & prayers are with the family at this time.* ”

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**Ron** - November 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM