



## Dick C Van Loo

January 17, 1938 - August 20, 2022

Dick C Van Loo went to be with his Heavenly Father on August 20, 2022 at the age of 84.

To view the livestream of the service, please visit; <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCnOOuBmwmpOda3TWzAChBbQ?app=desktop>

He was born in Holland, Michigan on January 17, 1938, the seventh and last child of Helen Van Loo. Dick was preceded in death by his siblings: Dorothy (Art) Groenhof, Elaine (Don) Bulthuis, Paul Van Loo, Marjorie (Bob) Smith, Cornie Van Loo, Beatrice (Roger) Zylema.

Dick is survived by his loving wife of 61 years, Louise; children: Sandra (Chuck) Sikkel, Rod (Sheri) Van Loo, Dean (Kim) Van Loo; grandchildren: Alec, Trevor, Cecilia, Elena (Erin) and Aiden Van Loo; in-laws, Norma Van Loo, Dena Spykman, Minie deJong, Corry Zwart, Chris (Martin) Veenstra; several nieces and nephews.

He attended Holland Christian Schools and graduated in June of 1956. He enjoyed singing in many choirs, beginning with the Singing Boys, church choirs, high school choir, Holland Windmill Chorus, Trinity Men's choir, Evergreen Chorale, and Evergreen Singers.

He married Louise on September 16, 1960. He loved his family and visited his mother daily. He loved fishing with his brother Paul, family dinners and vacations, walking and talking especially with his friend Rick Paauwe, playing the organ, watching TV and taking movies and videos at every gathering. He loved a party, especially if it was for him.

He was very active at both Prospect Park and Graafschap CRC serving as deacon and elder. He also attended Men's Society and loved his years as a cadet leader.

He worked as a bookkeeper at Home Furnace, P. Ray Gemmen, Rivulet Hurst Dairy, Wyrick's Auto Sales, Holland Hospital, and Repco Lite. He volunteered for Meals on Wheels after retiring.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Thursday, August 25, 2022 at Graafschap Christian Reformed Church, 5973 Church St. Holland with Rev. Philip D. Kok officiating. Burial will be in Restlawn Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be 9:30-10:45 a.m. Thursday prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be given to World Renew.

# Cemetery Details

## Restlawn Memorial Gardens

994 Paw Paw Dr  
Holland, MI 49423  
(616) 396-4949

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 25.** 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home  
315 E 16th St  
Holland, MI 49423  
(616) 392-2306  
[info@langelandsterenberg.com](mailto:info@langelandsterenberg.com)  
<http://langelandsterenberg.com/>

## Funeral Service

**AUG 25.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Graafschap Christian Reformed Church  
5973 Church Street  
Holland, MI 49423

# Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Dick C Van Loo*



**Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes** - August 24, 2022 at 02:57 PM



“ *Dick C Van Loo*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *We will miss Dick's stops on his walks when he stopped to rest across from us and gave us the opportunity to talk with him and keep him updated on Steve's latest carving and ask how Rick was doing. Our sympathies to you Louise and family. He will be missed. R.I.P Dick Steve and Pat 899 Harvest Dr.*

**Pat Brunink** - August 23, 2022 at 07:23 PM



“ *Love Alice and Orv Pasna purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Dick C Van Loo.*



**Love Alice and Orv Pasna** - August 23, 2022 at 04:49 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Dick C Van Loo.*



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August 22, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Louise and family, we are so sorry for your loss. Steve has good memories of serving as elder with Dick and going on visits with him. He was a wonderful Christian man. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Steve and Jan Busscher*

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**Steve Busscher** - August 22, 2022 at 05:56 PM