



Erwin "Erv" Koop

April 21, 1931 - March 20, 2016

Erwin Koop, age 84, of Holland, went to be with his Lord on Sunday, March 20, 2016. He was preceded in death by his wife, Doris Ann (Buurman) Koop, in 2013, and a great-grandson, Tyler David Vliem. For the past 49 years Erv was a member of Faith Christian Reformed Church. He was a veteran of the Army, serving during the Korean War. Erwin is survived by his daughters, Susan and Wayne Vanderlaan of Caledonia, Barbara and Alan Paris of Hamilton; grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Rachel and Bryan Mulder (Elijah, Ezekiel), Megan and Steve Zandstra, Erin and Jeremy Ward, Lindsey Vanderlaan, Ryan Vliem, Stacie Vliem (Brendan), Allison Paris (Finnlay), Brittany Paris; sister, Ruth Yeomans of Holland; sister-in-law, Judy Koop of Holland; several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 23, 2016 at Faith Christian Reformed Church, 85 W. 26th St., Holland with Rev. Chad Pierce officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Tuesday, March 22, 2016 at Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home, 315 E. 16th St., Holland. Memorial contributions may be given to Bethany Christian Services. www.langelandsterenbergh.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Erwin "Erv" Koop*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"My sincere condolences....I had the great pleasure of working with Erwin from 67 through 69 at the Holland Evening Sentinel....He and I would deliver the papers to the paper boys every afternoon. We had great times.....He was such a gentle man, with a marvelous sense of humor...."*

David Griep - April 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Sue and Barb, I was so sorry to hear about your dad and I am sorry that I wasn't able to make it to the visitation. I just want you to know that you and your families are in my thoughts and prayers. We have a lot of good memories of your dad. I especially remember the jokes your dad would tell when they would come over for coffee after church on Sunday. They were silly and they always made me laugh."*

Kim - March 27, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Sorry for your loss..."*

Dawn Campbell - March 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Such a sweet and gentle man. He will be missed as family gathers at the Paris household."*

Sherry Paris - March 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MB

“Erv and Dori were among the first to welcome us to Holland when we moved here from Grand Rapids. We alternated between our houses for coffee after church for over 40 years. They are missed.”

Marlene Bos - March 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BV

“I worked for Erv at Lear Siegler Home Furnace Div., for a short time for Erv and George Kalman who also has passed away. Erv and his wife were very friendly and always said hi when we would see each other at places. My sympathies to the family.”

Bev VandenBerg - March 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CN

“I was happy to meet Erwin where he was recently staying, and want to extend my deepest sympathies to your family. I could tell he was a man of deep faith. I will keep your family in my prayers. Cindy N, Chaplain”

Cindy N - March 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM