



Eugene "Gene" Sal

August 24, 1950 - August 23, 2017

Eugene "Gene" Sal age 66, of Zeeland passed away on Wednesday, August 23, 2017 due to complications of ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease). He was the son of Fred and Henrietta (Zeerip) Sal. He was preceded in death by his parents, Step-Father, Ray Zeerip and in-laws, Rev. Sebastian and Henrietta Cammenga. Gene began his career at Fleetwood Furniture while a high school coop student and finished his career as purchasing manager at Fleetwood Group, retiring in 2015. He served in the Air National Guard and served in several capacities at North Street CRC. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Joey; children and grandchildren, Eric (Gabriella and Thomas) of Hamilton, Gregg of Holland, and Meredith of Zeeland; sister, Lorraine and Del Mokma of Holland; in-laws, Willie and Charles Leik, Bea and Arlyn Schaap, Harlyth and Harywn Berens, Bob and Diane Cammenga; step- brothers and sister, Cal and Wilma Zeerip, Glen and Marilyn Zeerip, Jason and Sandy Zeerip, Wayne Zeerip, Donna and Gary Bosch; many nieces and nephews. Thank you to all the gals at Resthaven's Boersma Cottage that took such good care of Gene. They were caregivers who became beloved friends. Funeral services will be 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 29, 2017 at North Street Christian Reformed Church, 20 E. Main Ave. Zeeland. Burial will be in Zeeland Cemetery. Visitation will be 4-6 p.m. Monday, August 28, at North Street CRC. Memorial contributions may be given to Resthaven's Boersma Cottage or Hospice of Holland. The family is being served by Yntema Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall



“ Eugene "Gene" Sal

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"May the love of friends and family carry you through your grief."*

Gilbert Hawkins - September 12, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *"I am so sorry for your loss. I only got to know Gene briefly when he lived next door to my dad at Boersma, but was impressed by his upbeat attitude and obvious sense of humor. You must have so many wonderful memories."*

Londa Post - September 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *"I had the privilege to know Gene for 30 years. We worked together and we were golf partners. I was always impressed by his strong faith in God. He had a great influence on my life. I will miss talking with him about hunting and golf. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him."*

Bruce Kamps - August 29, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *"I had the chance to work with Gene for 19 years. I am the one who was blessed to have known Gene. My prayers are with you all. Chris & Lisa Beck"*

Chris Beck - August 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SD

“Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.”

Steve and Laurel von Dobschutz - August 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BW

“Condolences to Gene's family. I worked with Gene at Fleetwood for several years and he was always there for anyone at anytime.”

Brian Wennersten - August 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AH

“My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. It was a Joy to work with Gene. I have always considered him one of my favorite people in life.”

Arlene Herweyer - August 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

PB

“Joey and family, So sorry for your loss. Also praising God for taking Gene home!”

Penny Berens - August 26, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MG

“Joey and family - Our deepest sympathy to you all. May you feel God's love, peace and comfort in the days and months ahead.”

Mark and Donna Genzink - August 26, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“So blessed to have known and work with this gentle man. He has been a mentor and friend for many years. He will be missed his sense of humor, love of family, and dedication to his faith. He has positively impacted many in his life, and I join many when I say he will be missed.”

Sheila Jipping - August 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SS

“Joey, Thoughts and prayers to you and your family. Sandy and Loten Sall”

Sandy Sall - August 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BS

“Joey, sorry to here about Gene but I know for him it is a blessing. He now has a healthy body again. Praying that the Lord will bless you with many older full memories. May you and the family receive God's peace.”

Bob and Connie Staal - August 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM