



## Jerry Genzink

April 17, 1933 - August 2, 2024

Jerry Genzink, age 91, of Holland, was welcomed into the loving arms of his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on August 2, 2024.

Jerry loved his family and was married to the love of his life, Leona, for 68 years.

Jerry was a lifelong member of Graafschap Christian Reformed Church where he served on Council, attended Men's Society and worked with Cribs for Christ. His faith and faithfulness were an excellent example for his family.

Jerry served in the Army during the Korean War from 1953-1955 and was stationed in Germany where he achieved the rank of corporal.

His primary occupation was that of a plumber, which he did very successfully for over 50 years, first with his brother Russ at Genzink Plumbing and then on his own for several years. He also worked as a carpenter, in dry cleaning, owned a Laundromat and several rental units.

He was always positive and quick with a smile. He loved to use the words "wonderful" and "beautiful" for a job well done. He will be remembered for his example of Christian living, his love for family and hard work.

He will be greatly missed by his family and friends, but always remembered as a faithful Dad, Grandfather and Great Grandfather.

Jerry was preceded in death by his wife, Leona; son-in-law, Robert Reimink; brothers, Arnie and Hermina Genzink, Harv and Hazel Genzink, Juke Genzink, Gord and Mary Genzink; sisters, Evelyn and Al Bosch, Dort and Les Brouwer, Marian and Herk Velting; in-laws, Howard Busscher, Don Lubbers, Sandy Busscher, Marge Busscher, Sandy (Bruursema) Busscher.

He is survived by his daughter, Sharon and Roger Sneller; son, Larry and Marcia Genzink; son, Steve and Pam Genzink; son, Bob and Jane Genzink; grandchildren, Jonathan and Brenna Reimink, Andrew and Lindsay Reimink, Tom and Jessica Reimink, Elizabeth and Greg Rosema, Joey and Abbey Afienko, Micky and Anjuli Johnson, Andrew and Maecy Sneller, Mark and Lauren Genzink, Katherine and Luke Panning, Josiah and Jodi Genzink, Anna and Nate Weeber, Jesse and Shelby Genzink, Jeremy and Kailee Genzink, Hannah Genzink, Ella Genzink, Sam Genzink; 30 great-grandchildren; brother, Russ and Retha Genzink; sister, Caroline and Pete Jacobsen; in-laws, Millie Lubbers; Mel Busscher, Rog and Eileen Busscher. Many nieces and nephews.

The Genzink family would like to thank the staff of Appledorn North and Faith Hospice for their compassionate care of Jerry.

To watch the livestream of the service, please visit <https://www.youtube.com/@graafschapcrc>

Funeral services will be 11 am on Tuesday, August 6, 2024, at Graafschap Christian Reformed Church, 5973 Church St. Holland with Rev. Philip D. Kok officiating. Burial will be in Graafschap Cemetery. Visitation will be 5-8 p.m. Monday, August 5, also at the church.

Memorial contributions in Jerry's honor may be given to Holland Christian Schools, Graafschap Christian Reformed Church, or Faith Hospice. [www.langelandsterenberg.com](http://www.langelandsterenberg.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Graafschap Cemetery

32nd Steet at Graafschap Road  
Holland, MI 49423

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 5. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Graafschap Christian Reformed Church  
5973 Church St  
Holland, MI 49423  
(616) 796-3370

## Funeral Service

AUG 6. 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 Jerry Genzink*



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**Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes** - August 05, 2024 at 11:04 AM

SR

“ *I want to send my deepest sympathy to Jerry’s family, and gratitude to God for his life. Grateful for his friendship and that of my precious friend Leona. Jerry had a servants heart and brought joy and was a blessing to many.*

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**sylvia Roon** - August 05, 2024 at 12:37 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jerry Genzink.*



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August 05, 2024 at 10:02 AM

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“ *Bill, Bob, AJ, Todd, Tim, & Andrea - EVP purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Jerry Genzink.*



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**Bill, Bob, AJ, Todd, Tim, & Andrea - EVP** - August 05, 2024 at 08:12 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Jerry Genzink.*



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August 05, 2024 at 04:25 AM

MR

“ *I met Jerry and his lovely wife at my son Greg's wedding to Liz ( Jerry's granddaughter) From that moment in time, I was welcomed into the lovely family he was head of. I am so very grateful for all the love.*  
*Maris Rosema*

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**Maris Rosema** - August 04, 2024 at 08:43 PM

MF

“ *Mike Brenda Beyer and families purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jerry Genzink.*



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**Mike Brenda Beyer and families** - August 04, 2024 at 07:25 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jerry Genzink.*



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August 04, 2024 at 05:15 PM



“ *This is something I had the historic committee look up seeing Jerry & my birthdays are only three days apart. We were baptized at the same time June 4, 1933. So many things over the years happened as life long friends. It is hard to loose such good friends. Jean Goeman*

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**Jean Goeman** - August 03, 2024 at 03:35 PM