



Mr. Merlin Klooster

July 2, 1919 - April 11, 2015

Merlin Klooster, 95, of Forest Grove, passed away on Saturday, April 11, 2015. Merlin was born in Jamestown, Michigan, on July 2, 1919, to Alexander and Bertha (Meyer) Klooster. Merlin served his country during WWII from 1943-1946 in the U.S. Navy. He married Doris Fern Kapenga in 1950, and they were members of Forest Grove Reformed Church. Merlin was a lifelong dairy farmer. Merlin was preceded in death by his wife of 63 years, Doris, on July 17, 2014. He is survived by his son Calvin Klooster and Lee Anne Holzgen, nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Thursday, April 16, 2015, at Forest Grove Reformed Church, 1630 32nd Ave. Hudsonville, MI 49426. Interment will be in Forest Grove Cemetery. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Wednesday, at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 S. State St. Zeeland. Memorial contributions may be given to RCA Missions - Barbara Kapenga, 4500 60th St. Grand Rapids, MI 49512.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Merlin Klooster*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"Cal, We are so sorry to learn of your Dad's passing. Your parents were both so dear! May he rest in peace and rise in glory. May God give you courage and peace as you live through this time of sadness! June & James Farkas"*

James Farkas - April 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Cal and Lee Anne, "Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time". May God continue to grant you with his loving strength and flood your heart with the precious memories of your wonderful father."*

Gary and Laura Heslinga - April 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Cal, Sorry to hear about your father passing."*

Chris Herring - April 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Cal and LeeAnne, we are very sorry for the loss of your father, our prayers are with you always. Tom and Deb Raap"*

Tom and Deb Raap - April 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BR

“Cal, we are so sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed my visits with him (and your mom). Brent & Karen Renkema family”

Brent - April 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AF

“Cal, So sorry to hear of the passing of your dad. Ray & Kathy Funk”

A friend - April 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

IM

“Calvin: My sympathy to you in the loss of your father. I remember Merlin as a gentle man and a gentleman and you can be proud to have been his son. Iris Myaard”

Iris Myaard - April 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CR

“Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of loss”

Craig - April 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VI

“Sorry to hear about the passing of your father.”

Vikki - April 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BB

“Calvin and Lee Anne, Deepest sympathy to you. He will be missed.”

Bob and Ruth Vande Bunte - April 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss he will be sorely missed*”

Kirk Vankley - April 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM