



## Ronald D. Buter

August 12, 1937 - September 13, 2023

Ronald D. Buter, age 86, of Zeeland, passed away Wednesday, September 13, 2023, at Addington Place of Lakeside Vista in Holland.

Ron worked at General Electric in Holland for 34 ½ years and held many part-time jobs after retirement. He enjoyed time spent with his Army buddies and good friends from GE. “Ace”, as he was known by his family, dearly loved to laugh and make others laugh as well. He treasured his family and enjoyed family gatherings throughout the years.

He loved the outdoors and was an avid hunter and fisherman. Ron served in the US Army from 1956-1958. He was a member of First Reformed Church in Zeeland and cherished his relationship with The Lord.

Ron was preceded in death by his brother, Ken Buter; and brother-in-law, Jim Bruursema.

Ron is survived by his:

Loving Wife of 46 years, Ruth Buter

Children

Randy Buter of Crestview, FL

Rick (Robin) Buter of Franklin, TN

Rhonda (Danny) Scott of Gastonia, NC

Siblings

Norma Buter of Zeeland

Mary Buter of Holland

Judy (Bob) Lohr of Zeeland

Linda (Cal) Timmer of Zeeland

In-laws

Paul (Linda) Bruursema of Holland

Mary (Bob) Collins of Fennville

Rog (Eileen) Busscher of Holland

Funeral services are planned for 10:00am Monday, September 18, at First Reformed Church, 148 E Central, Zeeland, with Rev. Michelle VanDenBerg officiating. Burial with Military Honors will follow at 12:15pm in Zeeland Cemetery. Visitation is scheduled for 2:00-4:00pm on Sunday, September 17, at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 S State St., Zeeland. Memorial contributions may be made to Gentiva Hospice (<https://www.gentivahs.com/about/donate/>) and the Global Outreach Fund of First Reformed Church. Condolences may be left online at [www.yntemafh.com](http://www.yntemafh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Zeeland Cemetery (Original Cemetery)

220 East Lincoln Avenue  
Zeeland, MI 49464

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 17. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Yntema Funeral Home  
251 S State St  
Zeeland , MI 49464  
(616) 772-2173  
info@yntemafh.com  
<http://langelandsterenberg.com/>

## Burial

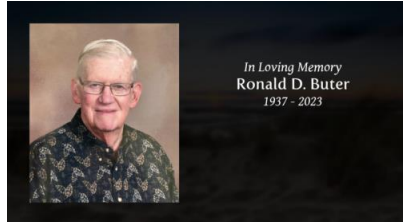
SEP 18. 12:15 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Ronald D. Buter*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - September 16, 2023 at 10:00 AM

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“ *Love, Doug and Sharon purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Ronald D. Buter.*



Love, Doug and Sharon - September 16, 2023 at 01:56 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronald D. Buter.*



September 16, 2023 at 09:21 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ronald D. Buter.*

September 15, 2023 at 06:16 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Ronald D. Buter.*



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September 15, 2023 at 06:16 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ronald D. Buter.*



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September 15, 2023 at 06:05 PM



“ *Rhonda and family, we send our deepest condolences to you. Our prayers are with you at this most difficult time.*  
*Alisa Krinsky*



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**Alisa Krit** - September 15, 2023 at 05:16 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ronald D. Buter.*

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September 15, 2023 at 03:46 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Ronald D. Buter.*



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September 15, 2023 at 03:46 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Ronald D. Buter.*



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September 15, 2023 at 02:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronald D. Buter.*



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September 15, 2023 at 12:00 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Ronald D. Buter.*



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September 15, 2023 at 10:44 AM