



Sidney (Sippe) Boonstra

January 11, 1942 - January 11, 2018

Sidney (Sippe) Boonstra, 76, of Jenison, passed away peacefully surrounded by his loving family on Thursday, January 11, 2018, Sid was born July 19, 1941, in Tzummarum, Friesland, the Netherlands to Pieter and Boukje Boonstra. He immigrated with his family to the U.S. in 1952. Later, he met Carol Meyer and they married August 20, 1965 at Grandville Ave. CRC. Sid and Carol raised their family and lived in the same Jenison home for 46 years, surrounded by many great friends and neighbors. After driving truck for 25 years, Sid pursued his passion and operated Boonstra Coin and Stamp in Holland. He was preceded in death by his in-laws: Kenneth and Joann Meyer, Robert Meyer, and Thomas Ranney. He is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Carol, their 2 children and 6 grandchildren: Michele and Brent Dykstra(Case, Kendall, Evan) of Grand Rapids, Brian and Deb Boonstra(Gabriel, Elijah, Haven) of Hudsonville; siblings: Janet(Jantje) and Henry Katerberg of Hamilton, Ontario, CA, Bert and Jane Boonstra of Wassenaar, the Netherlands, Dick and Lois Boonstra of Alberta, CA; in-laws: John and Lois Meyer of Byron Center, Carol Meyer of Northridge, California, Ann and Sam Beach of Gowen, MI. Visitation is 2-4 and 6-8 pm, Tuesday, January 16, at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 S. State Street, Zeeland. A service to honor and remember Sid Boonstra will be held at 11:00 am, Saturday, January 20, 2018, at Georgetown Bible Church, 4114 Baldwin St., Hudsonville, MI 49426. Memorials to Rehoboth Christian School or Faith Hospice.

Tribute Wall



“ *Sidney (Sippe) Boonstra*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"Dear Carol and Family: Thinking of you and all of the family at this time. To KNOW that your Sid is whole without struggle and beholding His Lord....FACE TO FACE.....how do we say THANK YOU for the loan of him all of these years? Bob and I are praising the Lord for Sid's life and the legacy that he leaves to you and his children. Know that we are not without tears but still REJOICING that his struggle is over and WE WILL SEE HIM AGAIN! Hugs, love and blessings, Judy and Bob Scoby (one of the BACK ROW DIVAS)"*

A friend - January 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Dear Carol and family, We send our deepest sympathy to you and your family. We will be holding you in prayer for peace, and the knowledge that Sid is happy and whole with the Lord. May the care and devotion of his life on earth find a lasting reward in heaven."*

Glenn and Linda Conrad - January 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Praying for you and your children. May God give you comfort you need. Just remembered a cute story Sid told. So sorry for your lost."*

Evelyn Beute Grasmeyer - January 14, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KD

“Our sympathy Carol to you and your family. We really enjoyed getting to know Sid and loved to talk to him about our common heritage from Friesland. May your children, grandchildren and memories help ease the grief in your days and weeks ahead. Sterkte!”

Klaas and Betty DeJong - January 14, 2018 at 12:00 AM

AN

“Your light now shines in the kingdom of heaven. Rest In Peace dear friend...”

Anonymous - January 14, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JH

“So thankful that we had the opportunity of knowing Sid and Carol. We are praying for you and your family. May God bless you all with an abundance of His love, joy, and peace. John and Jean Hellinga”

John and Jean Hellinga - January 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BE

“You are resting in the arm's of our Lord, whole, healthy & happy. It was a pleasure to know you & enjoy our times together. Love you Sid, we will look after Carol & your family. Carol, you know how we love you & we will always be there for you.”

Beth - January 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CS

“Carol I am so sorry for your loss! You have my deepest sympathy and prayers.”

Carol Snoeyink - January 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM

HA

“*Dear Carol and Families: Our thoughts and prayers go out to you in this time of Sid's passing. May you find comfort in the Lord and future days ahead. We share your grief. Hugs, Harm & Luanne*”

Harm - January 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KA

“*Sid was a wonderful man. I met him at Parkwood and he made quite an impression on me. My many thoughts, prayers and love are with Carol and family. Rest in Peace dear Sid.*”

Karen Arndt - January 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KM

“*This world has lost a wonderful, kind and humble man. I was blessed to have known Sid. He will be deeply missed and forever remembered. Deepest sympathies to loving Carol and the family members. ❤️*”

Kay Miller - January 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DF

“*Hi Carol! So sorry to hear of Sid's passing. We will be praying for you and your family during this difficult time. We plan on going to visitation on Tuesday. Dave and Gloria*”

David Figg - January 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM