



Sylvan Disselkoben

July 20, 1936 - November 17, 2022

Sylvan Disselkoben, age 86 of Holland passed away Thursday, November 17, 2022.

He is survived by his children: Jeff and Tamara Disselkoben of Englewood, FL, Jill English of Grand Rapids; his grandchildren and great grandchildren: Maxwell Disselkoben, Mason Disselkoben, Carlen and Brent Seaver (Evelyn and Lucy), Lauren McColly, Katelyn Lokker and Justine Lokker; his siblings: Joyce and Jay Dykstra, Al and Sally Disselkoben, Melvin and Carol Disselkoben and Warren and Linda Disselkoben; his sister-in-law: Carolyn Geers.

Syl was preceded in death by his wife Donna in 2016 and his daughter Jodi Lokker on May 31 of this year, and his brother Simon Disselkoben.

Syl lived his life with kindness, living out his deep faith in service to others. He always gave the best of himself to his family, saying, "yes!" to any request for help and delighting in spending time with his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. He found so much joy in being "Grandpa Great" to the littlest ones in his family. He loved reading to them and making them laugh, just like he did with his grandchildren when they were young. He was so proud of each one, encouraging them with his words and supporting them with the daily prayers he lifted for them by name. He was so happy to have spent time with each grandchild in the weeks just prior to his sudden illness. Syl loved to

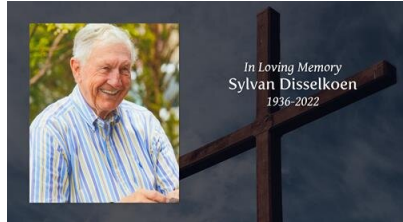
serve others – his family, his church, those he shared life with at Warm Friend, and in the many communities in which he lived over the years. He made us all want to be better people.

Visitation will be 5-7 pm Tuesday, November 22, 2022, at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 South State Street, Zeeland. The funeral service will be 10 am Wednesday, November 23, 2022, in the chapel at Christ Memorial Church, 595 Graafschap Road, Holland, MI 49423. Memorial contributions may be given to the Christ Memorial Church or Re-Member (Oglala Lakota Nation on the Pine Ridge Reservation). www.yntemafh.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Sylvan Disselkoen*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - November 21, 2022 at 01:34 PM

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“ *We just learned of Syl's passing, and my heart is sad. He was such a gentleman, and it always made my day when he would worship with us. My deepest sympathies for all of you. I'm so glad we got to share a small part of this great person! Rev. Dinah Haag, First Congregational Church of Frankfort, MI.*

Dinah Haag - April 25, 2023 at 04:25 PM

Ron
Dirkse

“ *Ron Dirkse lit a candle in memory of Sylvan Disselkoen*



Ron Dirkse - November 24, 2022 at 01:23 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sylvan Disselkoen.*



November 22, 2022 at 10:23 AM



“ *I am so sad I won't be there on Tuesday and Wednesday. I am in Colorado for Thanksgiving. I have so enjoyed my time with Syl over this past 2 years sharing family stories. My condolences to all of you on his passing*
Ken Disselkoen

Ken Disselkoen - November 19, 2022 at 06:20 PM