



Neil Schenk

September 10, 2022

Cornelius NEIL Schenk of Wallaceburg passed away peacefully at the Chatham-Kent Hospice on Saturday, September 10, 2022 at the age of 90. Neil is the son of the late Gerrit and Nellie (Neeltje Ruig) Schenk. Predeceased by his beloved wife Jeannette 'Janke' (Okkema). Loving father of Yvonne Westra (Peter) of Oxford Station, Diana VanderDeen (Ivan) of Port Rowan, John Schenk (Pam) of Windsor, Mary Ann Koiter (Bob) of Brantford, Gina Airey (Jason) of Sarnia and Jim Schenk (Donna) of St. Thomas. Cherished grandfather of 20 and many great grandchildren. Dear brother of John (Evelyn), William 'Bill' (Ida), Gerrit (Gwen), Irene Van Soelen (Ike), Anna Dykstra (late Martin), Margaret Kikkert (Marinus) and the late Peter (Judy). Neil had retired as a foreman with Hillerich & Bradsby, was a member of the Wallaceburg Christian Reformed Church and the Wallaceburg Power & Sail Squadron as Neil and Jeannette loved sailing on the Esmerelda. Family and Friends are invited for visitation at the HAYCOCK-CAVANAGH FUNERAL HOME, 409 Nelson Street in Wallaceburg from 6 – 8 PM on Monday, September 12. The funeral will be celebrated at the Wallaceburg Christian Reformed Church, 150 Bruinsma Avenue, on Tuesday, September 13 at 11 AM. Interment to follow at Riverview Cemetery. If desired, donations to C-K Hospice or the Heart & Stroke Foundation may be left at the funeral home 519.627.3231. Shared stories and tributes may be left on Neil's tribute wall at www.CavanaghFuneralHome.ca

Tribute Wall



“ Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Neil Schenk



Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home - September 12, 2022 at 02:20 PM

HO

Home with his beautiful bride Jeanette

Hilda Okkema-Vyn - September 12, 2022 at 04:23 PM

WS

John and family,

You are in our thoughts and prayers. Beautiful tribute to your father.

From all of us at Lofthouse Mfg

Wendy Stroud - September 14, 2022 at 09:51 AM



“ *Neil Schenk*

January 29, 2023 at 11:37 PM



“ Jackie, BJ and the Schenk family. You are in our thoughts and prayers but know that your Grandpa (Dad) is with the Lord and will always be with you in your memories. Love, Mom, Aunt Cathy, Uncle R, Tony, Rachel and girls.



Cathy Vandavelde - September 13, 2022 at 11:02 AM

AL

“ Andy&Joanne Low lit a candle in memory of Neil Schenk



Andy&Joanne Low - September 13, 2022 at 08:04 AM

JV

“ Dear cousins, so sorry for your loss. I remember your Dad as always having a smile and a joke when we visited at your place, or at the Okkema family reunions.
May God give His comfort and give you peace.
John (& Chrisitne) de Vries (Calgary AB)

John de Vries - September 12, 2022 at 11:25 PM

CN

“ So sorry for your loss .Praying for strength and courage for these difficult days ahead , and may precious memories gentle fill the empty spaces of your hearts.

Carla Nap - September 12, 2022 at 08:09 PM

TP

“ *Deepest condolences, Gina, to you and all family. Wishing you peace, comfort and beautiful memories.*

Tammy Palocz-Dunn - September 12, 2022 at 02:34 PM

SM

Aunt Jeannette and Uncle Neil were such nice people, loved staying over for a week with Gina when we were young. Always thought that your Mom and Dad were so cute, always smiling and very sweet. So sorry for your loss, it's hard to lose someone you've had around for so long, around for so many milestones, it's so hard and our hearts go out to you all❤️

Sylvia Mackenzie - September 12, 2022 at 07:29 PM

CN

So sorry for your loss .strength and courage as you go through these difficult days .May precious memories restore the ache in your hearts.

C nap - September 13, 2022 at 02:01 PM

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“ 101 files added to the album LifeTributes



Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home - September 12, 2022 at 02:15 PM

DH

“ sorry for your loss. I remember Neil from H&B he was a very friendly person

Dave hockin - September 12, 2022 at 11:18 AM

PW

“ our sincere condolences on the passing of your Father

Pam & Geoff Weager - September 12, 2022 at 10:50 AM

DL

“ My condolences 🙏



Dave Low - September 12, 2022 at 10:05 AM

AS

“ Al & Mitzi Sykes lit a candle in memory of Neil Schenk



Al & Mitzi Sykes - September 12, 2022 at 08:30 AM

MP

“ Mitzi Pearson lit a candle in memory of Neil Schenk



mitzi pearson - September 12, 2022 at 08:24 AM

GF

“ *Gerry Flynn lit a candle in memory of Neil Schenk*



Gerry Flynn - September 11, 2022 at 10:49 AM