



Willem Griffioen

September 24, 1937 - October 5, 2022

Willem Griffioen went to be with his Heavenly Father October 5, 2022. Shortly after celebrating his 85th birthday, due to sudden health complications, he passed from this life to his eternal home. He was surrounded by family and friends.

Willem was born in Baambrugge, Netherlands, September 24, 1937. He immigrated from the Netherlands to California in 1971, when he married Ellie Roeloffs (de Jong) (widowed in 1967), and became the father to Willemina (8), Johnny (7), and Arie (5). Together, Willem and Ellie had 3 more children; Wendy, Maartje, and Sophia. He was a dairy farmer in Tulare, CA, for 26 years. Willem retired and moved to Sierra Village in Visalia in 1999. He is survived by 3 brothers and 4 sisters. He has 6 married children, Willemina (Bob Diepersloot), Johnny (Margie Roeloffs), Arie (Coralee Roeloffs), Wendy (Mike Vander Dussen), Maartje (David Lemstra), and Sophia (Danny Vander Dussen). He was blessed with 29 grandchildren, and 37 great grandchildren. The memorial service for Willem will be at Visalia Christian Reformed Church of Visalia, 1030 S. Linwood, Monday, October 17, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to VIA Church, 698 N. Minnewawa Ave., Clovis, CA 93611 or ViaFresno.com/give. As Willem would often say "May the Lord be with you"!

Graveside services will be held 8:30 AM Monday, October 17th, 2022, immediate family only.

Services have been entrusted to Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel. Memorial Tributes and condolences may be offered by logging onto www.salseranddillard.com.

Previous Events

Graveside

OCT 17. 8:30 AM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

Tribute Wall



“ *Thank you Oom Wim for your bright smile and kindness always.*

Trucie DeWit - October 15, 2022 at 08:08 PM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Willem Griffioen.*



October 15, 2022 at 12:13 PM



“ *Dag lieve Elly, wij zijn heel erg verdrietig door dit bericht!!! Wij condoleren jou en je familie en wensen jou Gods Zegen toe om dit verlies te accepteren. Hij is nu op een veel betere plek!!! We herinneren hem als een fijne gesprekspartner tijdens jullie bezoeken in Het Tolhuis. Ook hebben we beiden herinneringen aan Abcoude waar hij geboren is en ook mijn vader! Dat hij ruste in vrede! lieve groeten van Willem en Trix Bouman.*

Trix Bouman - October 15, 2022 at 05:57 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Willem Griffioen.*



October 13, 2022 at 09:13 PM

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“ *Your Friends at A1 Development Solutions purchased the Bright and Beautiful Spray for the family of Willem Griffioen.*



Your Friends at A1 Development Solutions - October 12, 2022
at 01:17 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Willem Griffioen.*



October 12, 2022 at 12:32 PM