

# PSALM 91

- 1 He that dwelleth in the secret place of the Most High  
Shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.
- 2 I will say of the LORD, He is my refuge and my fortress:  
My God; in Him will I trust.
- 3 Surely He shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler,  
And from the noisome pestilence.
- 4 He shall cover thee with His feathers,  
and under His wings shalt thou trust:  
His truth shall be thy shield and buckler.
- 5 Thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night;  
Nor for the arrow that flieth by day;
- 6 Nor for the pestilence that walketh in darkness;  
Nor for the destruction that wasteth at noonday.
- 7 A thousand shall fall at thy side, and ten thousand at thy right hand;  
But it shall not come nigh thee.
- 8 Only with thine eyes shalt thou behold  
And see the reward of the wicked.
- 9 Because thou hast made the LORD, which is my refuge,  
Even the most High, thy habitation;
- 10 There shall no evil befall thee,  
Neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling.
- 11 For He shall give His angels charge over thee,  
To keep thee in all thy ways.
- 12 They shall bear thee up in their hands,  
Lest thou dash thy foot against a stone.
- 13 Thou shalt tread upon the lion and adder:  
The young lion and the dragon shalt thou trample under feet.
- 14 Because He hath set His love upon me, therefore will I deliver him:  
I will set Him on high, because He hath known my name.
- 15 He shall call upon me, and I will answer Him:  
I will be with Him in trouble; I will deliver Him, and honour Him.
- 16 With long life will I satisfy Him,  
And shew Him my salvation.

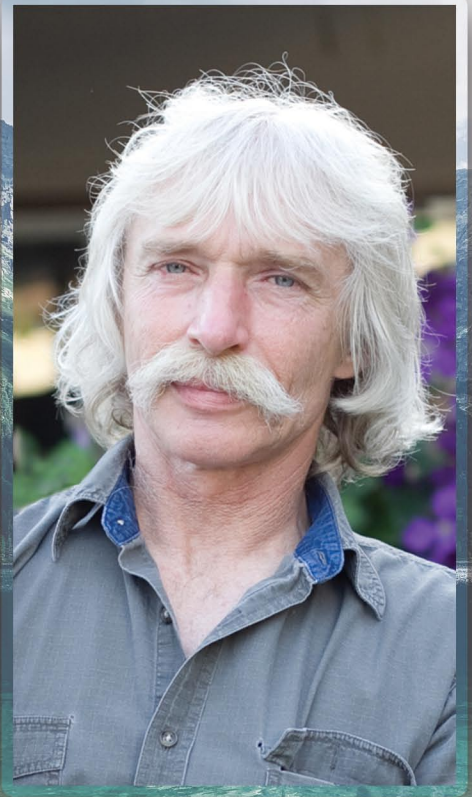


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## In Loving Memory



*John Koopmans*

October 2, 1956 — October 27, 2023

*John Koopmans*, beloved husband, father and papa, passed away peacefully surrounded by his family, in Lethbridge, on Friday, October 27, 2023 at the age of 67 years.

John will be missed and lovingly remembered by his wife Alison Dawn; his children: Jenna (Jordan) Slomp, Cassie (Brent), and Josh; and his four grandsons: Sam, Parker, Mason and Chase. He is also survived by his siblings: Tina Van Arragon, Gerdy Vandebek, Hilda (Phil) Smith, Otto Koopmans; as well as his sisters-in-law Barb Koopmans and Micki Koopmans. John was predeceased by his parents Siebe and Barbara Koopmans; as well as brothers Dick, Andy, Tom and Bill Koopmans.

John was born October 2, 1956 in Lethbridge, and he grew up around Southern Alberta. He was the youngest of 9 children, the only one born in Canada after his family emigrated from Holland. He married Alison in 1981 and they enjoyed their life together. John was a wonderful husband and father and he found great joy in spending time with his grandsons. John was employed as a floor installer and in his free time he was a talented craftsman. He had an incredible eye for detail and made intricate and creative projects out of wood. He often challenged himself to learn new art forms until he mastered them, and anything he did, he did it beautifully. He also enjoyed fishing, golfing and gardening.

John loved the Lord Jesus Christ and eagerly anticipated the day he would meet his Savior face to face. His family finds great comfort in knowing that he is now with the Lord and that they will see him again one day.

### *Interment*

John was laid to rest in Royal View Cemetery prior to the Memorial Service during a private Family Ceremony

### *Memorial Service*

Free Grace Fellowship Church  
1807 - 2A Avenue North, Lethbridge, Alberta  
Wednesday, November 1, 2023 at 11:00 am

**Officiant**— Pastor Bill Zwartbol

### *Order of Service*

Processional - *Why Me* by Kris Kristofferson  
Welcome & Opening Prayer - Pastor Bill Zwartbol  
Scripture - Psalm 91 - Jordan Slomp  
Song - *How Great Thou Art*  
Song - *There is a Redeemer*  
Message - Pastor Bill Zwartbol  
Memorial Tribute - Jenna Slomp, Cassie Koopmans and Josh Koopmans  
Slideshow  
Song - *Blessed Assurance*  
Song - *Raise a Hallelujah*  
Announcements and Blessing - Pastor Bill Zwartbol  
Recessional - *The Blessing* by Kari Jobe

### *Reception*

Following the Memorial Service, family and friends are invited to further share this day for lunch and fellowship in the church basement

### *Pallbearers*

Josh Koopmans - Jordan Slomp - Brent Leveque  
Sam Johansen - Parker Slomp - Mason Slomp - Chase Slomp