

(pictured) Luke & Jeanette  
holding hands in prayer



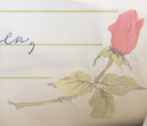
You reach for me, I am not there.  
You look for me, I am nowhere to be found.  
You call to me, I never answer.

To you I must seem very far away from home,  
But I am far closer to you than I  
have ever been before;

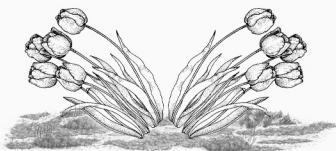
To feel me, all you need to do is hug  
one another, to see me, look within  
each others eyes.

Through you I live on, through your  
minds, your hearts, and your bodies,  
And every breath you take, is a breath  
I take.

So call not to me, my children,  
for I am home.



Honoured to serve the family of Lukas Brouwer  
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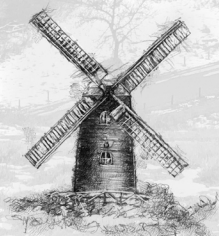


Lukas “Luke” Brouwer, beloved husband for 68 years of Jeanette Brouwer (née Aasman), passed away on July 17 at the age of 89 years. He is father to Harry (Rita) Brouwer, Helen (Mike) Wevers, Art (Maggie) Brouwer, Patricia Brouwer, and Marjorie Brouwer and grandfather to 33 grand and great-grandchildren. Luke was predeceased by two infant sons and a number of other family members.

He is survived by his siblings: Arie Brouwer in the Netherlands, and in Canada by Jean (John) VandenBrink, John (Jean) Brouwer, Bill (Norah) Brouwer, and Ina Aasman.

Luke emigrated to Canada when he was 19. He was joined a year later by Jeanette, and they were married in Taber in 1951. Before settling on a farm in Rocky Mountain House, Alberta, Luke worked in the bush, lumber and coal mining camps. The Brouwers left Rocky in 1965 to enable their children to attend a Christian school in Lethbridge. They purchased and developed a hog farm outside of the city. In the early 1980s, Luke and Jeanette retired to Lethbridge, where he has lived until his passing.

Luke, with his wife Jeanette, remained active in many volunteer efforts, including Rehoboth and Disaster Response Services. The family loved to go camping, biking, and hiking, especially up Table Mountain. Luke could always be counted on to be the lead prankster at family events. He loved collecting at garage sales and spending hours sifting through his stamp collection.



“... But as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.”  
- JOSHUA 24: 15b



CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

Lukas Brouwer

MARCH 18, 1930 — JULY 17, 2019

CELEBRATION OF LUKE’S LIFE  
Maranatha Christian Reformed Church  
260 McGill Blvd. West | Lethbridge, AB  
Saturday, July 20, 2019 at 2:00 P.M.

Officiant - Pastor Jim Zondervan

Musician - Lisa Wever

Order of Service

Processional - *When Peace Like a River* (Gray, no. 489)

Opening Prayer

Reading - *Joshua 24: 15*

Song - *He is Lord* (Gray, no. 633)

Reading - *Revelation 21: 1-7*

Song - *In the Garden*

Family Tribute - Kelly Brouwer & Tynisha Chipman

Song - *Jesus Loves Me, This I Know* (Gray, no. 571)

Responsive Reading - *Question & Answer 1 of the Heidelberg Catechism*

Song - *To the River*

Scripture Lesson - *Psalms 23*, read by Jonathan Wevers

Message

Song - *Amazing Grace* (Gray, no. 462)

Closing Prayer

Benediction

Song - *Ere zij God [Glory to God]* (Gray, no. 214)

Recessional

RECEPTION

Following the service, family and friends are invited to further share this day in the Church Hall for a time of fellowship and refreshments

INTERMENT

Prior to the service, Lukas was laid to rest in Mountain View Cemetery