



Job 19:25

*"I know my redeemer lives and that in
the end he will stand on the earth."*

Thank You

We want to say thank you for your
prayers and support during this
difficult time. Your shared memories
and comforting condolences are
truly appreciated.

The Ravensbergen Family

*In memory of John a charitable donation can be
made to the ministry of M2W2 or Hope for Korah.*

Celebrating
THE LIFE OF
JOHN RAVENSBERGEN

June 29, 1942 - March 22, 2025



John Ravensbergen passed away suddenly on March 22, 2025 at the age of 82. He was born on June 29, 1942 in Rijnsburg, The Netherlands. In 1951 the Ravensbergen family immigrated to Canada, where John would eventually find his calling.

During high school, he discovered his passion for printing, a spark that led him—alongside his brother Ray—to establish the successful family business, Academy Press Ltd.

John's unwavering faith in God was the cornerstone of his life. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, and grandfather, always steady in his support and encouragement. Whether it was cheering on his grandchildren in their many endeavors or walking beside his children as they navigated life's journey, his presence was a constant source of strength, patience, and love.

John is survived by his beloved wife of 56 years, Joanne Ravensbergen, and their four children: Ken (Charlene) Ravensbergen and their children Joshua and Micah, Ian (Min Jung) Ravensbergen and their son Jaden,

Ron Ravensbergen, and Linda (Mike) Keigley and their children Saelah, Noah, and Hannah.

His passing has left us with a depth of grief we have never known, yet we find comfort in the promises of Scripture, knowing that Dad is secure in Christ, our risen Saviour.

ORDER OF SERVICE

PROCESSION OF FAMILY

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

Pastor Nathan Elgersma

HYMN

How Great Thou Art (Stanza 1 & 2)

PERSONAL TRIBUTES

Children, Grandchildren & Siblings

WORDS OF COMFORT

Psalm 16

HYMN

Peace Like a River (Stanza 1 & 4)

CLOSING PRAYER

Pastor Nathan Elgersma

CLOSING HYMN

God Be with You Until the End (Stanza 1 & 3)

Please join us in the foyer for refreshments following the service.