



Berend "Ben" Haveman

November 28, 1935 - February 5, 2019

Berend (Ben) Haveman passed away on Tuesday, February 5, 2019 at the age of 83. Beloved husband of Ann Weilbacher Haveman. Loving father of Kristin Haveman Todd (John Robert Todd, II) and Hans Pieter Haveman. Son of the late Janita Spraakman Haveman and Pieter Haveman. Brother of Christiaan Pieter Haveman (Mieke Repko Haveman). He is also survived by seven grandchildren: Liam, Charlie, Onno, Denvur, Trent, Charlotte and Hayes.

He was born in Leeuwarden, The Netherlands. He attended the College of Marine Engineering and emigrated to the United States in the early 1960s. Throughout his life he worked in the maritime industry and later started his own company, Technical Maritime Associates. He continued his work with TMA until his retirement in 2006. He had a life long passion for sailing and all things nautical. He was fiercely loyal and had a strong love for family. This was particularly evident in his generosity with his children and grandchildren.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the memorial services at Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church, 312 Lafitte Street, Mandeville, LA 70448 on Monday, February 11, 2019 at 11:00 am with visitation at the church on Monday beginning at 10:00 am. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in memory of Mr. Haveman to be made to either Mary Bird Perkins Cancer Center Attention: Northshore Hero, 4950 Essen Lane, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70808 and/or Lake Pontchartrain Basin Foundation-Save Our Lake Memorial, P.O. Box 6965 Metairie, LA 70009 E.J. Fielding Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Please sign the online guest book at www.ejfieldingfh.com.

Events

FEB **Visitation** 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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FEB **Memorial Service** 11:00AM

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Comments



“ Just read it on the internet. Our very deep condolences, dear Ann, Kirstin and Hans.
The Haveman Family, Steenwijk Holland

Peter Haveman - February 13 at 08:22 AM



“ Our deepest sympathies to Ben's family, especially to Ann who brought him such happiness in his latter years. He was our friend who helped us start our business in many ways, and always with a smile and encouragement. It was always a pleasure to pick up the phone and hear him on the other end. Good sailing Ben.

Tom & Karen Stakelum - February 11 at 10:05 PM



“ Deeply saddened by the news of Ben's passing. My heartfelt condolences. I'll truly miss him

Bobby Surendra

Bobby Surendra - February 10 at 09:44 PM



“ Very sorry to hear the sad news.
Ben was a great guy, a kind and polite person, a real friend. He will be missed by everyone who knew him but especially by his family and friends. RIP Dear Ben.
My thoughts and prayers are with you, Ann.
Veni

Veni Katsaros - February 08 at 09:15 PM



“ Veni Katsaros purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Berend "Ben" Haveman.



Veni Katsaros - February 08 at 05:45 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Berend "Ben" Haveman.



February 08 at 12:43 PM



“ Ben was a mentor, a boss, a friend and at times even a surrogate father to me over the course the 10 years we worked together. To say he taught me a lot is an understatement. I managed to get 30 years experience in the 10 years I was with Ben. There is too much to say about Ben that I simply cannot articulate. Those of us that knew him were blessed to have crossed his path. His physical presence in this world will be missed but the spirit of Ben Haveman and the wisdom he passed along will continue on in all who called him a friend.

Brian Jones - February 08 at 10:37 AM



“ I will always remember Ben fondly. He'd take Hans and me out on the Pontchartrain for weekend excursions. He, and Hans, introduced me to all things maritime, and the beauty of it. He was always happy on the water. God Bless You Ben!

David Duncan - February 08 at 07:55 AM



“ My sincere condolences to the Haveman family. Hans is a great friend of mine who has shared many great memories of his father with me. RIP Mr. Ben

Tim Crick - February 07 at 11:46 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Berend "Ben" Haveman.



February 07 at 02:56 PM