

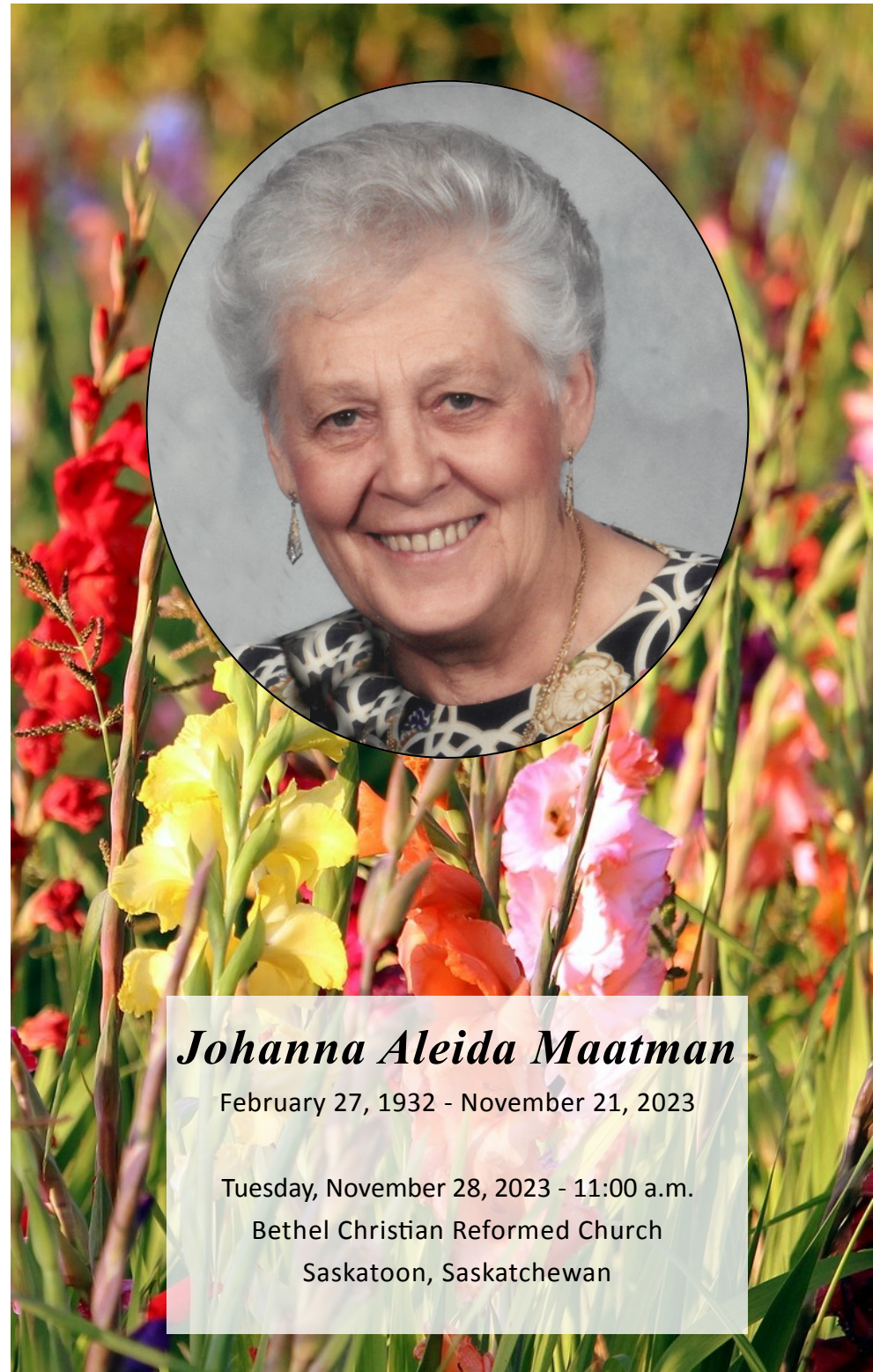
Quinn, Grayson, Jaxon, Milo, and by extended family in Holland. Mom was predeceased by her parents, brothers and sister in laws in Holland, by our dad, John Maatman, son-in-law Theo Maatman, grandsons Chris Mosterd and Steven Marissen, and grandson-in-law Paul Snell.

Footprints In The Sand

*One night I dreamed a dream.
As I was walking along the beach with my Lord.
Across the dark sky flashed scenes from my life.
For each scene, I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand,
One belonging to me and one to my Lord.
After the last scene of my life flashed before me,
I looked back at the footprints in the sand.
I noticed that at many times along the path of my life,
especially at the very lowest and saddest times,
there was only one set of footprints.
This really troubled me, so I asked the Lord about it.
"Lord, you said once I decided to follow you,
You'd walk with me all the way.
But I noticed that during the saddest and
most troublesome times of my life,
there was only one set of footprints.
I don't understand why, when I needed You the most,
You would leave me."
He whispered, "My precious child, I love you and will never leave you
Never, ever, during your trials and testings.
When you saw only one set of footprints,
It was then that I carried you."*

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Johanna Aleida Maatman

February 27, 1932 - November 21, 2023

Tuesday, November 28, 2023 - 11:00 a.m.

Bethel Christian Reformed Church
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

Celebrating The Life Of
Johanna Maatman

PowerPoint Presentation

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Opening Song: #579 *What A Friend We Have In Jesus* (v. 1, 3)

Words Of Assurance: Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1

Song: #483 *How Great Thou Art* (v. 1, 3, 4)

Solo: Beautiful Saviour - Rebecca Devries

Scripture Reading: Psalm 116:1-9 - Peter Devries

Message: The Land Of The Living

Song Of Response: #490 *Blessed Assurance*

Family Sharing – Doreen Mosterd

God's Parting Blessing

Closing Song: #473 *To God Be The Glory*

Recessional: The Holy City

Officiating Clergy

Pastor Rafik Kamel

Pallbearers

Peter John Mosterd, Daniel Mosterd, Darcy Maatman,

Dustin Maatman, Peter Devries & Rebecca Devries

Interment

Hillcrest Memorial Gardens

Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

Memorial Donations

World Renew, 3479 Mainway, Burlington, ON L7M 1A9

or

Hospice At Glengarda, 301 Hilliard St E, Saskatoon, SK S7J 0E5

Life Story

Johanna Maatman (Mom/Oma) went home to be with her Lord and Saviour on November 21, 2023.

Mom was born and raised in the Netherlands. She married Dad in 1955 and immigrated to Canada. They settled in Saskatchewan and in 1963 bought a dairy farm where they raised their family for 20 years. Mom was very involved in the day to day operations on the farm. After moving to Saskatoon in 1983, they continued grain farming and grew gladiolas. After 59 years of marriage, Dad passed away in 2014 and Mom eventually moved to her condo in Elim.

Mom had a strong faith and was passionate about Bethel Christian Reformed Church and Saskatoon Christian School. Mom loved to cook and bake, garden, knit and crochet, read, watch nature and game shows, sing hymns and listen to organ music, and puzzle. Mom was an extrovert and loved people; she liked to make people feel at home and she had a great sense of humor. She was charming but also had strong opinions and was not afraid to voice them.

The family would like to thank all the homecare aides that helped Mom over the last few years; many of you did your job with compassion and made Mom feel so loved. Thank you to all the medical staff; Mom spent time in all three hospitals over the last few months. A special thanks to Dr. Cassie Fleury, Mom's neurologist after her recent stroke. Glengarda Hospice was where Mom spent her final week; we are so grateful for their care and their kindness. Most of all, our family wants to thank Glennda Maatman, Mom's favourite daughter-in-law, for her expertise, kindness and care for Mom.

Mom is survived by her **children**: Wilma (John Marissen), Henny, Doreen (Peter Mosterd), John and Paul (Glennda); **grandchildren**: Brandy (Chris Dieno) and Angela; Stephanie (Lance) and Dustin; Peter (Lisa), Jarret (Candice), Daniel (Tarren), Rebecca (Peter Devries), Zoey and Jazlyn; Tristan; Melissa (Mickey) and Darcy (Brooke); **great-grandchildren**: Carrie-Anne, Phaedra, Aaron, Titan, Lillian, Elizabeth, Abigail, Noah, Nathan, Madison, Brooklyn, Asher, Christopher, Isabelle, Ziva, Kingston and two on the way. Mom is also survived by our **“adopted family”**: Art and Ineke Rekman, Nikki (Mark Klein), Tracy (Jay Santha), Renee (Brian Jones), Levi (Tarah), Liam,