



# Herman Hoepermans

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**H**erman Frits Peter Hoepermans, age 80, of Denver, NC, sailed away peacefully on Friday, November 23, 2018.

Mr. Hoepermans was born in Maartensdijk, Netherlands to Petrus Hoepermans and Sophia VanHeezik Hoepermans. He was Vice President, Asia Pacific.

He is survived by his wife, Leslie Gore Hoepermans, sons, Peter-John Hoepermans (Sabine) of Germany and Kevin Douglas Hoepermans (Sarah) of California.

Services for Mr. Hoepermans will be private. Memorials may be made in his memory to Charlotte Rescue Mission, PO Box 33000, Charlotte, NC 28233.

James Funeral Home and Crematory is serving the family and condolences may be sent through our website at [www.jamesfuneralhomelkn.com](http://www.jamesfuneralhomelkn.com)



## Tribute Wall

Herman Hoepermans

GW

**G.Wille** posted:

His sister. liedeke .?

April 7 at 6:19 AM

KS

**Kathleen & Brian Stiffler** posted:

Oh Leslie - We were so sad to hear of Herm's passing! I know it has been so tough for both of you for some time now. We will always remember Herm as so kind and gentle and the both of you tirelessly working in your yard. Thoughts and prayers for strength, comfort and peace at this time. Kathleen and Brian Stiffler

December 3 at 8:36 AM

AT

**Annelise Oosthuizen Thomassen** posted:

Dear Leslie, So very sorry to learn of Herm's passing away. I will always remember all the good times we spent together in Chicago, France, Holland and Belgium. Herm and Dick were very good friends - a friendship that went back to their university days in Holland. I shall always remember his laughter and smile. I wish you lots of strength to get through this difficult time. Warm wishes, Annelise

December 3 at 4:32 AM

FS

**F. Quinn Stepan** posted:

Dear Leslie, I had a great deal of respect for Herman for the entire period we worked together at the Stepan Company. He with his skill in six languages and his MBA from the University of Chicago was a great asset to the building of our international business. I regret we didn't spend more social time together after he left the Company. He was very instrumental in building our Company into a two billion sales Company. Please extend our sympathies to the extended family. Quinn

December 2 at 5:49 PM

SS

**Sheila And Patrick Schild** posted:

Dear Leslie, We're so very sorry to hear about Herman. We have very happy memories of our days in Hong Kong and your visit here. With much sympathy and love.

December 2 at 9:37 AM



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CC

**Cindy Crawford** posted:

Right on, Cindy! His determination and fighting spirit despite his disease would not hold him back from anything he wanted to accomplish (even sailing)! He adored you and loved your class and always returned home to tell me all that he could do that day. I can't thank you enough for your kindness and understanding. He always wanted to continue, but because of the location of his assisted living facility, it just became too difficult. As heaven gains another angel, I really took comfort in your words of condolences and I thank you for that. Warmest regards, Leslie

December 2 at 8:52 AM

HS

**Hanna And Jason Schoenrock** posted:

Jason and I are so sad to hear this news. Our sympathies to you and our prayers for all who loved Herman. ❤️

December 1 at 12:41 PM

IL

**Ingrid Smith Van Der Linden** posted:

iesmith.vdl@btinternet.com I will never forget Herman and the time we spend together at the Pets

December 1 at 10:18 AM

CC

**Cindy Crawford** posted:

I had the distinct privilege of being Herman's Silver Sneaker Instructor. My goodness, he loved that class. Always trying to push himself with a determination that would not be dampened. I am sure he lived his whole life in this same manner. So glad I was a small part of his life, so sad he is no longer with us.

November 30 at 11:20 AM

DM

**Diana Mullen** January 1 at 8:00 PM

Leslie, I hope you get this message as I just learned of Herm's passing. I'm so sorry and would enjoy chatting with you some time. I am in Naples, Florida now and divorced. My number is (239) 699-6239. I hope this message can be related to you. With sincere sympathy, Diana Mullen BB&T Retiree



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FE

**Felicia** posted:

I don't know your family personally but wanted to express my condolences. It is difficult to deal with the death of a loved one and for that reason God invites us to throw our burden upon Him and He will sustain us. (Psalms 55:22). May your memories of Herman help you to deal with your loss and knowing that soon God will wipe away all tears from our eyes and eliminate death. (Revelation 21:4; Isaiah 25:8) Please Visit [www.jw.org](http://www.jw.org) for more information.

November 30 at 2:46 AM

AB

**Arlene Brown** posted:

Our sweet Sailview neighbors have been in our hearts and minds since our first meeting while building our home just next door. Crossing the community boat dock path was always a joy to spend time on the sitting wall discussing gardening, weather and the leaves it manipulated on our yards. Much like the memories we have since moving away; sometimes light and refreshing, at times a heavy hearted process thinking of the illness taking away the Herman we all cherished, and the burden of care for Leslie for so long. I know she is working on the Fall's deluge of leaves, probably as I write this, dealing with the deep sadness in the loss of her partner in life and gardening. We shared so much all those years; not nearly long enough however as circumstances changed our paths. I'll always remember the many cups of coffee, glasses of wine, holiday dinners and billiard games that kept us close friends. For all the good times, and the harder times we weren't there to help out; you've always been deeply missed and loved. Arlene and Ray Brown

November 27 at 12:23 PM

JT

**John Throckmorton** posted:

I remember the first day I met Herman in 1962. He walked into the Delta Chi house, dropped his travel bags and went to work helping us clean up the place. That was Herman, always ready to help. The other strong memory I have of Herman is when I visited his home in France and was introduced to two small boys and a couple of dogs. We had a good visit. He will be missed.

November 27 at 10:28 AM

MW

**Marten Van Der Werff** posted:

Dear Leslie, I am so sorry to hear of Herm's passing, I always enjoyed our many discussions and meetings - over the last (nearly) 30 years. Warm wishes, Marten & Marianne

November 26 at 6:13 AM



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SS

**Sheryl Simpson** posted:

I am very sorry for your loss. My sympathy to Leslie and family. May he rest in peace with our father in heaven sailing away.

November 26 at 4:46 AM

TL

**Trish Ludwig** posted:

So very sorry to hear about Herm. I have been praying every day for him. May he Rest in Peace in God's Loving Hands Forever. May God Bless You All and Your Families Forever.

November 25 at 1:47 PM

KF

**Krista & Mark Smith / Leona Freeman** posted:

We are all very sorry to hear of Herm's passing. My Dad Jerry Freeman passed away only a few months ago. Let's hope that they are enjoying a round of golf together in Heaven! XOSending you much love and support, Krista, Mark & Leona

November 25 at 11:05 AM

HH

**Herman Hoepremans** posted:

Dear, dear Leslie, You and Herm have been close in our thoughts for so very long, and now I can only imagine what each of you has had to endure as his life was coming to a close. We are so grateful to have known you in those energetic days as Melinda's next-door neighbors. We pray that this transition which has been thrust upon, is offering some comfort and quietude, as well as so many challenges. We'd love to hear from you if time and energy permit. Love always, Marja, and George

November 25 at 8:05 AM

GP

**Glenn And Marcia Powers** posted:

We have enjoyed the friendship of this warm and caring gentleman. A world traveler who shared his joy of the world with all of us and a listener who knew that there was always more to learn. We shall surely miss him.

November 25 at 3:52 AM



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DP

**David & Sheryl Prince** posted:

We will never forget Herm. He was a wonderful man and the four of us had such great times together.

November 25 at 3:02 AM

JB

**Julie Barkan** posted:

So very, very sorry Leslie. We're in Paris so I'm not sure what time it is there but will call later in the day. Much love Julie, Marty and Mel.

November 24 at 8:50 PM

FR

**Fran Raskin** posted:

Sorry to hear the news he was a wonderful man

November 24 at 5:17 PM

MS

**Marlene Simmons** posted:

Dear Leslie this was an absolute shock to both Rick and me. We talk so often to friends here, about the wonderful friends we have had in you and Herm. As neighbor in Sailview, we remember Herms laughing as we sat in your screen porch. Even had our designated coffee cups at your home. We know that the last couple of years have been difficult for both of you. We all hated what Herm was going thru. We feel blessed to have seen him when he was still our fun loving Herm. God bless Herm in his relocation to His final, much deserved rest. Love, Marlene and Rick

November 24 at 4:28 PM

JN

**John And Pat Nordberg** posted:

Our condolences and thoughts to Leslie and the family. I will remember my golfing buddy.

November 24 at 2:52 PM

BG

**Bradley Gore** posted:

We all know Herman went away with fair winds and following seas. He will be sorely missed by all who knew him in better days.

November 24 at 1:48 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Herman by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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