



## Johannes "Jan" W. van der Linden

January 6, 1924 - February 17, 2026

North Augusta, SC – Visitation for Johannes Wilhelmus Henricus Caspar “Jan” van der Linden, age 102, who passed away peacefully on February 17, 2026, will be held Monday evening from 5 until 7.

Mr. van der Linden was born January 6, 1924, in Eindhoven, Netherlands, he made his home in North Augusta, SC for more than 50 years. Jan was married to his beloved wife, Elaine Crawford van der Linden, with whom he shared a life of service and compassion. He was preceded in death by Elaine and his son, Hans van der Linden.

Professionally, Jan was a project manager with DSM Chemicals, building chemical plants all over the world, and in later years he pursued a unique passion by building geodesic domes, reflecting both his creativity and engineering spirit.

He is lovingly remembered by his children, Frits van der Linden, Wim van der Linden, Rudi van der Linden (Maricel), Ine van der Linden, Eric van der Linden (Terra), Mark van der Linden and Brian Grubbs; grandchildren, Stephen, Richard, Koen, Rik, Martijn, Sander, Freek, Jeroen, Rianne, Efri, Zane, Banks and Knox; sisters, Ria and Han; brother, Piet.

Jan will be remembered as a devoted husband, father, grandfather, engineer,

and compassionate advocate for animals. His long life was one of purpose, generosity, and love, and he will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

In addition to his professional accomplishments, Jan and Elaine founded and operated Molly's Militia, an animal rescue organization dedicating themselves wholeheartedly to the welfare of animals. In honor of their shared mission, the family kindly requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to Molly's Militia, [www.mollysmilitia.org](http://www.mollysmilitia.org) or to a charity of choice.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **23**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Posey Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Johannes "Jan" W. van der Linden



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**Posey Funeral Directors** - February 20 at 04:02 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Johannes "Jan" W. van der Linden.



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February 23 at 02:52 PM



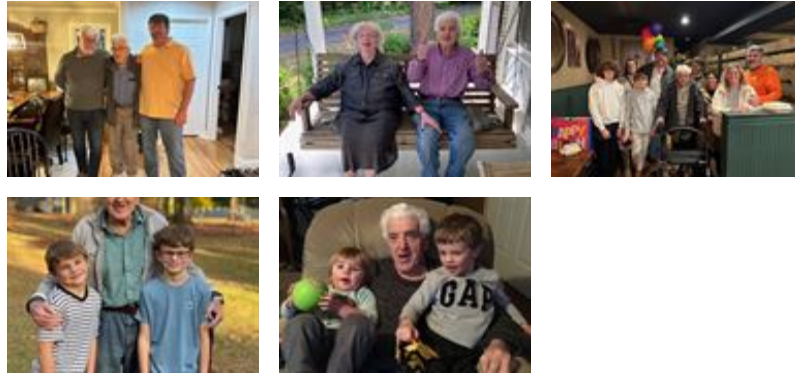
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**Posey Funeral Directors** - February 23 at 01:04 PM

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“ Donna Hasty purchased the *Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum* for the family of Johannes "Jan" W. van der Linden.



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**Donna Hasty** - February 23 at 09:43 AM

SS

“ Sending my deepest condolences and prayers to the family.



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**Sarah Smith** - February 21 at 11:03 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Johannes "Jan" W. van der Linden.*



February 20 at 11:47 AM



“ *Sincere condolences to Mr. Van der Linden's family, here and in the Netherlands. I met him many years ago when I was a friend of his dear son Hans. Peace and comfort to you all.*

**Linda Nalley Al-Jabere** - February 19 at 09:54 PM



*I never met Mr. Van der Linden, but he must had been a remarkable man. Condolences to his family.*

**Carolyn Runyon** - February 20 at 09:44 AM



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February 18 at 06:09 PM



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