



# Mr. Herman Van Loan

OCT 4, 1940 - OCT 14, 2018



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**H**erman Van Loan, 78, of Pinellas Park, died Sunday, October 14 after a battle with cancer. He was born in Catskill, New York. A man of diverse interests: hunting, fishing, orchids, snakes, jazz, classical, organ, God's Word. He worked most of his life as an A/C technician and retired as Energy Manager from Rooms to Go after eighteen years.

Survivors include his wife of 28 years, Ruth Ann, a daughter Donna and son-in-law Freddy, a daughter, Anna Mae, a daughter Shoshanna, and a son Todd. He is also survived by three grandchildren and five great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his son Craig.

A memorial service will be held Friday, October 19, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. at Memorial Park Funeral Home, 5750 49th St., N., St. Petersburg, Fl 33709. The family requests that in lieu of flowers donations be made to Reasons To Believe, 818 S. Oak Park Rd., Covina, CA 91724, [reasons.org](http://reasons.org)




# Events

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## Memorial Service

 **Friday**, October 19, 2018


 10:00 AM ET

 **Memorial Park Funeral Home and Crematory**  
5750 49th Street North, St. Petersburg FL 33709



## Cemetery Details

 **Memorial Park Cemetery**  
5750 49th Street North, St. Petersburg FL 33709

 **(727) 369-8228**





# Tribute Wall

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**Jerry L Nelson** posted:

I just saw this tonight. Came as a surprise to me. Years ago I was sitting in my rocking chair and Van pats me on the shoulder and says, "You're a hell of a guy, don't ever change." I have remembered that down through the years. You would be surprised how many times I remembered that, and how many times it guided me throughout life. Even though I have not seen Van in many years, I know where he is, and I know I will see him again. Jerry L. Nelson, RN, BSEE

November 5 at 6:01 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Van Loan family.



October 18 at 8:12 PM



**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Van Loan family.



October 18 at 4:31 AM



**Facilities Department** sent a Dreams From the Heart Bouquet to the Van Loan family.



October 17 at 7:19 AM



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**Frederick Zand** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Van was a man of many words. Many humorous words of life, love and affection. Van was never afraid to vocalize his opinions to those around him whether he knew the person or not. He loved to bust your chops and have fun with you. That, is one of many, reasons I loved him so much. I first met Van about 10 years ago when I married his daughter, Donna . One thing I know for sure, he is loved by many. Through that imposing, stubborn front was a loving, caring, selfless man. He loved his family and friends greatly. He doted on his beautiful, loving wife, Ruth Ann, his wonderful children and grandkids like no man ever does. He was truly a man's man, a family man and someone I truly looked up to. I'll be sure to carry on your legacy and never forget what a truly great man and great human you were. We will all miss you greatly and will forever live on in our hearts and minds. Van, "You'll Never Walk Alone" by Gerry and the Pacemakers. Freddy.



October 17 at 6:59 AM



**Anonymous** sent an Arrive in Style to the Van Loan family.



October 16 at 10:59 AM



**Mike Walton** lit a candle in honor of Herman.

Herman was a man bound with inner strength and determination. His love and care for those who were family and close friends were second to none. We had many great times & laughs together! He will be truly missed. God rest his soul. Mike Walton - Rooms To Go

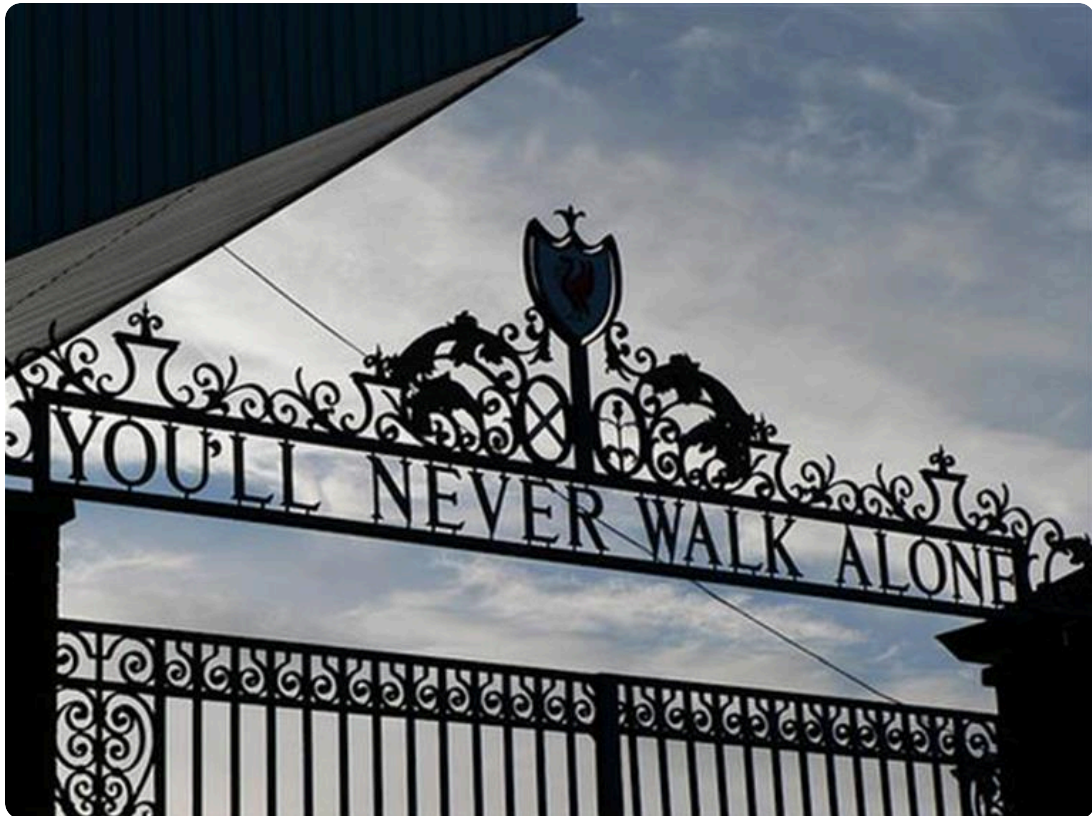


October 16 at 4:51 AM



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October 17 at 6:59 AM





# Memories only last if you share them

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



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