GEERTS

With hearts saddened by loss but overflowing with beautiful memories, the family of Gerard Geerts announce his peaceful passing in his 72nd year surrounded by his loving family in palliative care in Bluewater Health, Norman St. Site in Sarnia, on March 18, 2008. Beloved husband of 48 years to Mary Geerts (nee Herygers). Loving father of John and Kathy Geerts, Mary and Kim Burns, Anita and John Berkelmans, Jane Thuss and Richard, Patsy and Tony Vandenbogaard, and Connie and Jon Bjornson. Cherished grandfather of Tammy, Becky (Sean), Kristina, Kelly, Jeremy, Brian (Maggie), Jody (Chris), Adam, Alicia, Jessie, Jennifer, Cassy, Kaitlyn, Stephanie, Nick, Jason, Angela, Justin, Aaron, and Axel. Great grandfather to Taya and Aden. He will also be sadly missed by his brothers and sisters and nieces and nephews. Predeceased by his parents John and Antonia Geerts. Resting at the Gilpin Funeral Chapel, Forest for Visitation on Thursday, March 20, 2008 from 5-8pm. Funeral service on Friday, March 21, 2008 at 11:00am. Interment at Arkona Cemetery with Pastor Jonathan Ferrier officiating. Interment at Arkona Cemetery with Pastor Jonathan Ferrier officiating. Memorial donations to Bluewater Health gratefully acknowledged. Online condolences at gilpinfuneralchapel.com