



# In memoriam Oma Snell

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Jesus gives real joy

After a long and blessed life, the wife of the founder of Hands to Serve, a wonderful cook for the team, a sorter of clothing, but above all our beloved 'Oma' passed away on december 7th.

Now she is in the presence of her Lord Jesus whom she served her whole life. We will miss her dearly, but are thankful for the witness that she could be during her life.



In 1963 she and her husband took the step to come to Europe to serve the Lord. And started Hands to Serve (Stichting Hand) in 1966.

The emphasis of the work was organizing vehicles for mission organizations. Even now that is one of the main branches of Hands to Serve.





Oma was active in sorting the donated clothing until she was 92. Because of her love for her Lord and Saviour she wanted to keep serving His servants.

Later she celebrated her 100th birthday in her own home. Due to the deterioration of her health she lived in a nursing home for the last part of her life.

What an exceptional life she had. Born in an era with very few cars or airplanes and no internet at all. She lived through two world wars. The early passing away of her husband Tiny, just a few years after arriving in the Netherland must not have been easy. Through this all she still witnessed about her deep faith in Jesus. That was her motivation to keep on working at Hands to Serve. She is an example for us due to her perseverance and faithful serving of missionaries all those years.

