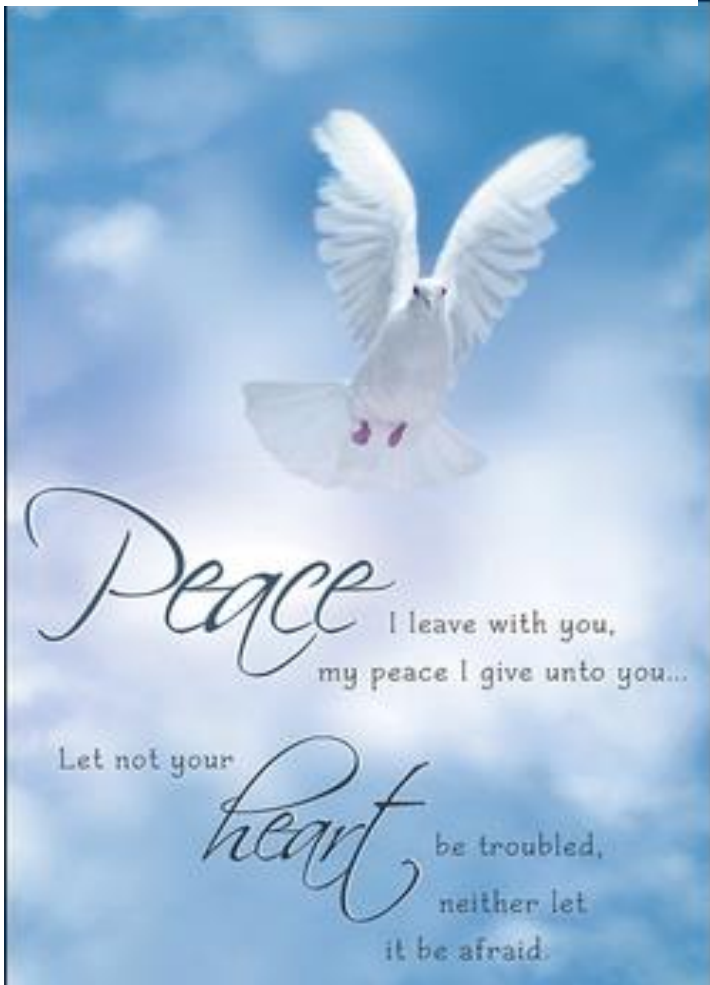


# RICHARD DAVID HENK

Born August 3, 1937 -- Baptized 09/12/1937

Confirmed – Spring 1951

Entered into Life Everlasting March 11, 2019

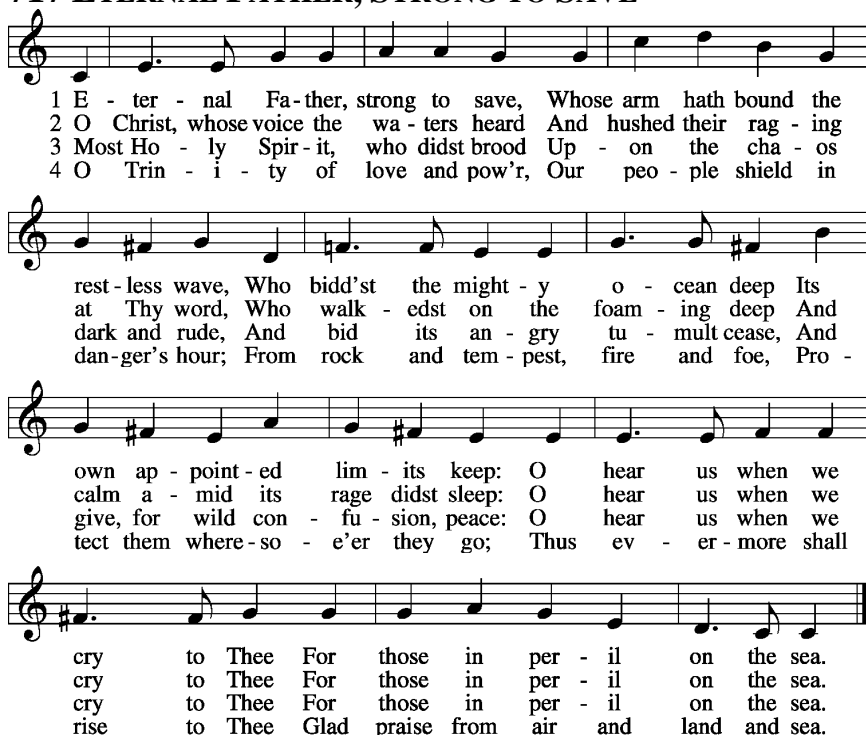


CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Brooksville, Florida

Rev. Paul Meseke - Pastor -- Robin Walter - Organist

## 717 ETERNAL FATHER, STRONG TO SAVE



1 E - ter - nal Fa - ther, strong to save, Whose arm hath bound the  
 2 O Christ, whose voice the wa - ters heard And hushed their rag - ing  
 3 Most Ho - ly Spir - it, who didst brood Up - on the cha - os  
 4 O Trin - i - ty of love and pow'r, Our peo - ple shield in

rest - less wave, Who bidd'st the might - y o - cean deep Its  
 at Thy word, Who walk - edst on the foam - ing deep And  
 dark and rude, And bid its an - gry tu - mult cease, And  
 dan - ger's hour; From rock and tem - pest, fire and foe, Pro -

own ap - point - ed lim - its keep: O hear us when we  
 calm a - mid its rage didst sleep: O hear us when we  
 give, for wild con - fu - sion, peace: O hear us when we  
 tect them where - so - e'er they go; Thus ev - er - more shall

cry to Thee For those in per - il on the sea.  
 cry to Thee For those in per - il on the sea.  
 cry to Thee For those in per - il on the sea.  
 rise to Thee Glad praise from air and land and sea.

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*Please Rise*

## INVOCATION

**[P]** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**[C]** Amen.

## REMEMBRANCE OF BAPTISM

**P** In Holy Baptism Richard was clothed with the robe of Christ's righteousness that covered all his sin. St. Paul says, "Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death?"

**C** We were buried therefore with Him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. For if we have been united with Him in a death like His, we shall certainly be united with Him in a resurrection like His.

### PSALM: PSALM 23:1–6

**P** Together let us pray the 23<sup>rd</sup> Psalm

**C** The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

<sup>2</sup> He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

<sup>3</sup> He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

<sup>4</sup> Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

**<sup>5</sup>Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.**

**<sup>6</sup>Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.**

## **KYRIE**

**[P]** Lord, have mercy upon us.

**[C]** Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.

## **SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY**

**[P]** The Lord be with you.

**[C]** And also with you.

**[P]** Let us pray.

O God of grace and mercy, we give thanks for Your loving-kindness shown to Dick and to all Your servants who, having finished their course in faith, now rest from their labors. Grant that we also may be faithful unto death and receive the crown of eternal life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**[C]** Amen.

*Please be seated*

**OLD TESTAMENT READING: ISAIAH 25:6–9**

On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples  
a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine,  
of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined.  
And he will swallow up on this mountain  
the covering that is cast over all peoples,  
the veil that is spread over all nations.  
He will swallow up death forever;  
and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces,  
and the reproach of his people he will take away from all  
the earth,  
for the LORD has spoken.  
It will be said on that day,  
“Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he  
might save us.  
This is the LORD; we have waited for him;  
let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.”

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**EPISTLE: ROMANS 6:3–11**

Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized  
into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were  
buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order  
that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory

of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. For one who has died has been set free from sin. Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. For the death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Please rise for the Holy Gospel*

## VERSE

**P** If we have died with Christ,  
we shall also live with Him;

**C** if we are faithful to the end,  
we shall reign with Him.

## HOLY GOSPEL: JOHN 10:10–15, 27–30

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the tenth chapter.

**C** Glory to You, O Lord.

The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly. I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. He who is a hired hand and not a shepherd, who does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and flees, and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. He flees because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep.

My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand. I and the Father are one."

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** Praise to You, O Christ.

### **APOSTLES' CREED**

**P** God has made us His people through our Baptism into Christ. Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

**C** I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell.

The third day He rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of God the Father

Almighty.

From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy Christian Church,

the communion of saints.

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life ✠ everlasting. Amen.

*Please be seated for the hymn*

### 537 BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR



1 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, King of cre - a - tion, Son of  
2 Fair are the mead - ows, Fair are the wood - lands, Robed in  
3 Fair is the sun - shine, Fair is the moon - light, Bright the  
4 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, Lord of the na - tions, Son of



God and Son of Man! Tru - ly I'd love Thee, Tru - ly I'd  
flow'rs of bloom - ing spring; Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is  
spar - kling stars on high; Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines  
God and Son of Man! Glo - ry and hon - or, Praise, ad - o -



serve Thee, Light of my soul, my joy, my crown.  
pur - er, He makes our sor - r'wing spir - it sing.  
pur - er Than all the an - gels in the sky.  
ra - tion Now and for - ev - er - more be Thine!

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## SERMON: A CHRISTIAN LIFE IN SONG

### PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

**P** Let us pray to the Lord, our God and Father, who raised Jesus from the dead.

**P** Almighty God, You have knit Your chosen people together into one communion in the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Give to Your whole Church in heaven and on earth Your light and peace. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Grant that all who have been baptized into Christ's death and resurrection may die to sin and rise to newness of life and so pass with Him through the gate of death and the grave to our joyful resurrection. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Grant that all who have been nourished by the holy body and blood of Your Son may be raised to immortality and incorruption to be seated with Him at Your heavenly banquet. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Give to the family of Richard Henk and to all who mourn comfort in their grief and a sure confidence in Your loving care that, casting all their sorrow on You, they may know the consolation of Your love. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Give courage and faith to the bereaved, that within the communion of Your Church they may have strength to meet the days ahead in the assurance of a holy and certain hope and in the joyful expectation of eternal life with those they love who have departed in the faith.

Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Help us, we pray, in the midst of things we cannot understand, to believe and find comfort in the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Receive our thanks for Dick Henk and for all the blessings You bestowed on him in this earthly life. Bring us at last to our heavenly home that with him we may see You face to face in the joys of paradise. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** O God of all grace, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to bring life and immortality to light. We give You thanks that by His death He destroyed the power of death and by His resurrection He opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers. Strengthen us in the confidence that because He lives we shall live also, and that neither death nor life nor things present nor things to come will be able to separate us from Your love, which is

in Christ Jesus, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C Amen.**

### **LORD'S PRAYER**

**P** Taught by our Lord and trusting in His promises, we are bold to pray:

**C Our Father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be Thy name,  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;  
give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those  
who trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.**

**For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory  
forever and ever. Amen.**

### **NUNC DIMITTIS**

**P** "I am the resurrection and the life," says the Lord.  
"He who believes in Me will live, even though he dies;  
and whoever lives and believes in Me will never die."

**C Lord, now You let Your servant go in peace;  
Your word has been fulfilled.  
My own eyes have seen the salvation  
which You have prepared in the sight of every  
people:  
a light to reveal You to the nations  
and the glory of Your people Israel.**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

**P** "I am the resurrection and the life," says the Lord. "He who believes in Me will live, even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in Me will never die."

#### **CONCLUDING COLLECT**

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Let us pray.

Lord God, our shepherd, You gather the lambs of Your flock into the arms of Your mercy and bring them home. Comfort us with the certain hope of the resurrection to everlasting life and a joyful reunion with those we love who have died in the faith; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

**P** Let us pray.

Almighty God, by the death of Your Son Jesus Christ You destroyed death, by His rest in the tomb You sanctified the graves of Your saints, and by His bodily resurrection You brought life and immortality to light so that all who die in Him abide in peace and hope. Receive our thanks for the victory over death and the grave that He won for us. Keep us in everlasting communion with all who wait for Him on earth and with all in heaven who

are with Him, for He is the resurrection and the life, even Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C Amen.**

## **BENEDICAMUS AND BENEDICTION**

**P** Let us bless the Lord.

**C Thanks be to God.**

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.

**C Amen.**

**P** Let us go forth in peace,

**C in the name of the Lord. Amen.**



## 461 I Know That My Redeemer Lives

1 I know that my Re - deem - er lives; What com-fort  
2 He lives tri - um - phant from the grave; He lives e -

this sweet sen - tence gives! He lives, He lives, who  
ter - nal - ly to save; He lives all - glo - rious

once was dead; He lives, my ev - er - liv - ing head.  
in the sky; He lives ex - alt - ed there on high.

7 He lives and grants me daily breath;  
He lives, and I shall conquer death;  
He lives my mansion to prepare;  
He lives to bring me safely there.

8 He lives, all glory to His name!  
He lives, my Jesus, still the same;  
Oh, the sweet joy this sentence gives:  
I know that my Redeemer lives!

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*Kathy Henk and the entire family wish to express their thanks for you being here at Dick's memorial service, it means more than mere words can express. THANK YOU.*

*Please join Kathy and the family for a lite luncheon in the Fellowship Hall immediately to the North of the Church building.*

*Interment for Richard D. Henk will leave from the parking lot at 12:40 p.m. and proceed to Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell Florida. It begins at 1:30 p.m.*

Richard “Dick” Henk was born August 3, 1937 in Elgin, Illinois to Walter and Dorothy Henk. Dick was the second of five children – one older brother (Ron), two younger sisters (Judy and Janet) and a younger brother (Walt).



Dick was baptized, confirmed and grew in faith at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in West Dundee, Illinois. He was married to Kathleen Kays on June 29, 1958 in Ottawa, Illinois. Dick passed to life everlasting on March 11, 2019.

Dick served in the United States Navy in Great Lakes (IL), Bethesda Naval Hospital (MD), and Guantanamo Naval Base (Cuba). He sang with the Chanteymen Naval Chorus, which traveled the U.S. for the Navy. Dick worked in retail, owning a paint, wallpaper and framing store for years. He also worked in real estate, working as a broker to own and operate, along with Kathy, their own real estate office in Zephyrhills, Florida.

Dick directed church choirs and handbells for over 30 years. He also sang in many barbershop quartets over the years. He truly had a love for harmony and music of many kinds. He was a lifelong member of various churches within the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, and a member of Christ Lutheran Church in Brooksville, Florida at his death.

Dick is survived by his wife of 60 years, Kathy, four children – David Henk (Ann) of Poland, Indiana, Linda Meseke (Paul) of Brooksville, Florida, Brian Henk (Sheenah) of Daleville, Alabama, and Wayne Henk (Lynette) of Babcock Ranch, Florida, eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren. He will be interred at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida.