

DIRK JOHANNES VAN EEDEN

BORN: 07-10-1951

DIED: 26-11-2000



(Johan, Mr Van, Pa, Friend, My Pellie)

“I wish I could say something stupendously important, impart some wisdom that will resound around the earth 400 years from now. But I wished many things that didn’t come true.... What Golden Truth have I learnt? What would I be remembered for? What lesson would I like to leave my descendants?

Only this: Let your word be your bond. The measure of a man, be he famous, rich, young... is whether you could trust him to do what he said he would. Right down to the smallest promise - I will be home at 8 PM.”

Quote from Johan’s book on the Van Eeden family history

Quotable Quote:

“Sign up as an organ donor - the ultimate get-well card”