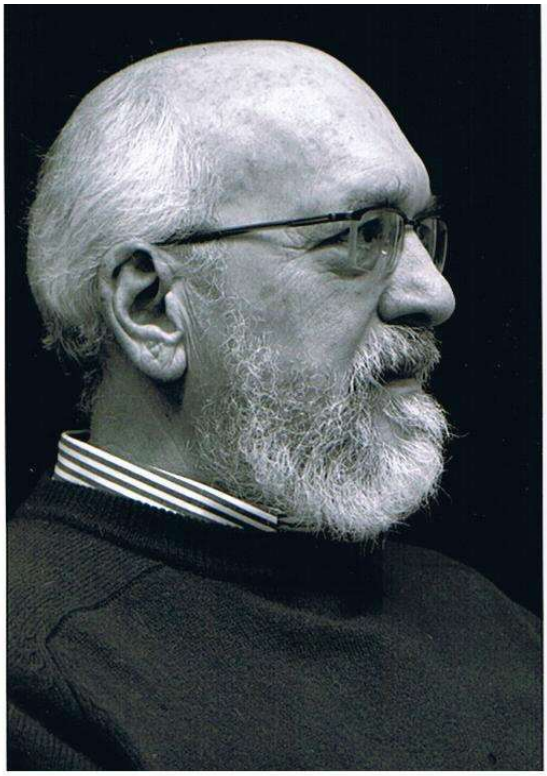
JOHANNES CORNELIUS DONATUS WITLOX (1945-2023)

I was so sorry to receive an email from Margaret Witlox to let me know that Jan Witlox had died August 16 in Bovensmilde, Holland.



In 2007 Bjorn Witlox put me in touch with Jan Witlox when we just starting YDNA testing and were looking into the possible connections of the descendants of Johannes Whitloc b.1300 Omstreeks, Holland and the Whitlocks of London. We subsequently determined the family detailed on our W90 chart had a similar but different YDNA. Both the W02H and W90 families trace back close to the beginning of surnames.

Starting in August 2010 Jan began publishing the Witlox Newsletter (Digitale Nieuwsbrief Familie Witlox) I have a file with every issue and with the use of Google Translate I was able to follow Jan's research. From time to time we each contributed to each other's Newsletters.

We were particularly interested in the history surrounding the Duke of Brabant who married Margaret a daughter of King Edward of England and spent some time in England. In the 1290's he was involved in the moving of the city of Winchelsea to higher ground and some of the tenants allocated lots in the new town were Witlocs and it was thought that the Duke had brought them from Holland with him.

Our condolences to Jan's family for their loss, he will be missed.

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