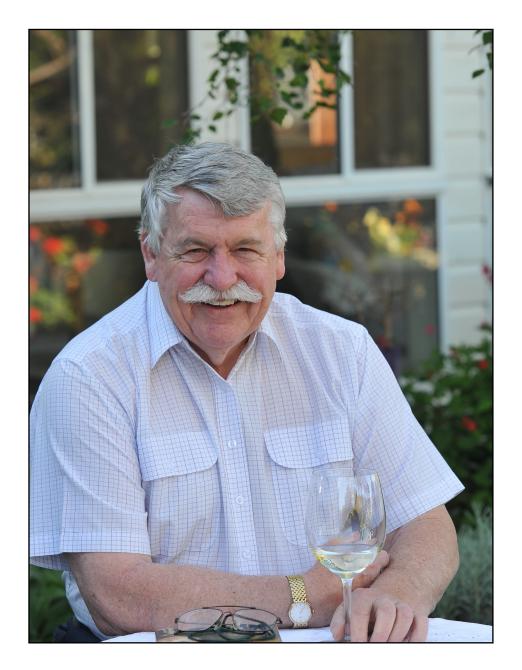
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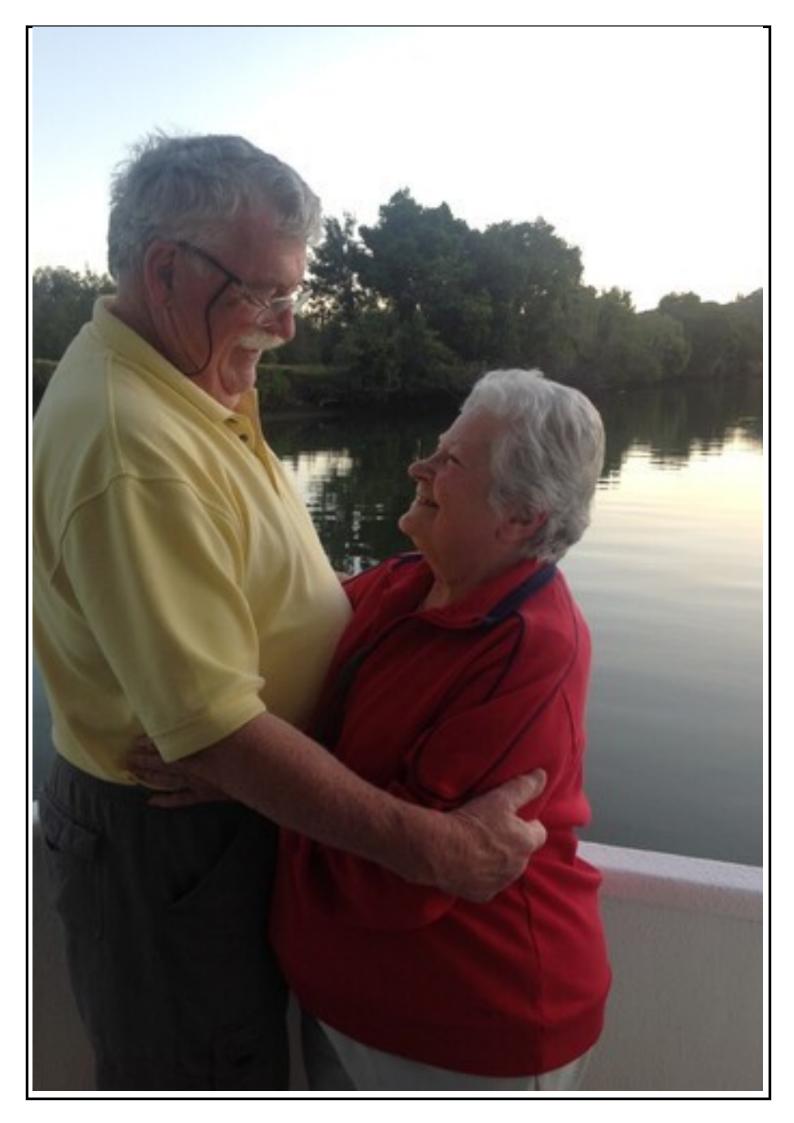
A CELEBRATION OF THE LIFE OF

David Deane



5th July 1937 ~ 4th December 2021

Monday 13th December 2021 Commencing 10:00am



David Deane

Dearly loved husband of

Adele

Loved father and father in law of

Susan & Ross, Jeffrey (dec), Amanda & Fred, Graham, Ian(dec) & Darrelyn, Jan & Stewart and Gaye & Colin

Adored Poppy of

Luke, Meg, Molly, Max, Josh, Jordon, Jodie, Shane, Michael, Cassie, John, Katie, Hannah and their partners.

Great Poppy of

Zac, Kaitlin, Maddison, Phoebe, Zeth, Ethan, Riley, Abby, Alfie and Joseph

Pall Bearers

Graham Deane Ross Goyen

Fred Loneragan Colin Lees

Shane White Paul Foley

Celebrant: The Rev'd Frederik Le Mesurier,

Assistant Curate, Parish of Griffith

Assisting: The Very Rev'd Thomas Leslie, Dean of St Alban's

Please Stand for the Entrance of the Clergy.

Entrance Music: Here I am Lord!

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry,
All who dwell in dark and sin,
My hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright,
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard You calling in the night.
I will go, Lord
If You lead me,
I will hold Your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain,
I have wept for love of them.
They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard You calling in the night.
I will go, Lord
If You lead me,
I will hold Your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame,
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide,
'Til their hearts be satisfied,
I will give my life to them.
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The Celebrant greets the people.

Grace and peace from the Lord be with you; And also with you.

The Dean offers words of welcome.

Sentences from Scripture

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish, but may have eternal life.

John 3.16

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Lamentations 3.22-23

Let us pray.

Loving God, you alone are the source of life. May your life-giving Spirit flow through us, and fill us with compassion, one for another. In our sorrow give us the calm of your peace. Kindle our hope, and let our grief give way to joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Eulogy: Read by Susan and Gaye

Tributes: Darren De Bortoli

Paul Foley

Family memories: Read by Susan and Gaye

Reflection Item: A photo montage of scenes from David's life.

Music: 'Memory'

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

We stand to sing Psalm 23.

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want;

He makes me down to lie

In pastures green; he leadeth me

The quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again,
And me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness,
E'en for his own name's sake.

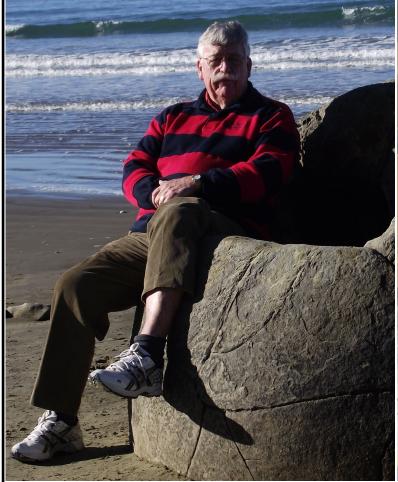
Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,
Yet will I fear no ill:
For thou art with me, and thy rod
And staff me comfort still.

My table thou hast furnished
In presence of my foes;
My head thou dost with oil anoint
And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life Shall surely follow me; And in God's house for evermore My dwelling-place shall be.

Jessie Seymour Irvine, Arr. David Grant.







"Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going." Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?" Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

The Homily by Fr. Frederik.

We Stand to Sing: Make me a Channel of your Peace.

Make me a channel of your peace.

Where there is hatred let me bring your love,
Where there is injury your pardon Lord,
And where there's doubt true faith in you.

Oh master grant that I may never seek, So much to be consoled as to console. To be understood as to understand, To be loved as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of your peace.
Where there's despair in life let me bring hope,
Where there is darkness, let me bring your light,
And where there's sadness ever joy.

Oh master grant that I may never seek, So much to be consoled as to console. To be understood as to understand, To be loved as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of your peace.

It is in pardoning that we are pardoned.

In giving of ourselves that we receive.

And in dying that we're born to eternal life.

John Earwaker, Arr. Heather Moen-Boyd

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Read by the Dean

Let us pray with Confidence to God, the giver and sustainer of life.

Lord God, Creator of all, you have made us creatures of this earth, but have also promised us a share in eternal life. May David, who has gone from our sight, share this eternal life with your saints in heaven, where there is neither sorrow nor pain, but life everlasting. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Loving God, we give into your merciful keeping those who have gone before. We pray particularly for Jeffrey and Ian.
As we commend David to your eternal presence,
Bring him with Jeffrey, Ian and all your people,
to the fullness of life you promised.
This we ask through Jesus Christ Our Lord.

Amen.

God of all mercy, giver of all comfort: look graciously, we pray, on those who mourn.

We pray particularly for David's family, For Adele, Jan and Stewart, Gaye and Colin, Susan and Ross, Amanda and Fred, Graham and all David's Grand Children and Great grand Children. Casting all their cares on you, may they know the consolation of your love; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord.

Amen.

Heavenly Father, You have made us in your image, and called us to reflect your truth and light. We thank you for the life of David. For all he shared with us. We give thanks for the joy he so generously shared. His Commitment to Family and Friends, his Love and Hope he shared with all around him. Above all, we thank you for your promise to David, Ian, Jeffrey and all the departed, that we shall be made one again in our Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen.

As our Saviour Christ has taught us we are confident to pray.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

THE FAREWELL

Please stand.

Let us entrust David to the loving Mercy of God:

David's coffin is sprinkled with Baptismal water, as a reminder that, in his Baptism, he was caught up in the eternal life of the Risen Christ.

Go forth, good Christian, on your journey from this world, in the name of God the Father who created you; in the name of Jesus Christ who suffered for you; in the name of the Holy Spirit who strengthens you; in communion with the blessed saints, and aided by angels and archangels and all the heavenly host. May your portion this day be in peace, and your dwelling in the heavenly Jerusalem. **Amen.**

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, you have given us a sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life.

In your keeping are all who have departed in Christ.

We here commit the body of our dear Brother David to be cremated, earth to earth, ashes to ashes, dust to dust; in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, who died, and was buried, and rose again for us, and who shall change our mortal body that it may be like his glorious body.

Thanks be to God who gives us the victory through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

May God in his infinite love and mercy bring the whole Church living and departed, to a joyful resurrection and the fulfilment of his eternal kingdom. **Amen.**

Rest eternal grant to him, O Lord.

And let light perpetual shine upon him.

May he rest in peace.

And rise in glory. Amen.

The Final Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you;
The Lord make his face to shine upon you,
and be gracious to you.
The Lord lift up his countenance upon you,
and give you peace. Amen.

Please stand, as the coffin is taken from the Church.

RECESSIONAL MUSIC: 'Going Home'

Played on Bagpipes, adapted from Antonín Dvořák's 9th Symphony





Adele and her extended families thank you for attending the service today. Your prayers, love, support and friendship are greatly appreciated.

Special thanks to the staff at Scalabrini Village for the exceptional level of care and compassion shown to David during his stay.

You are invited to join the family for light refreshments at the church hall immediately following the service.



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