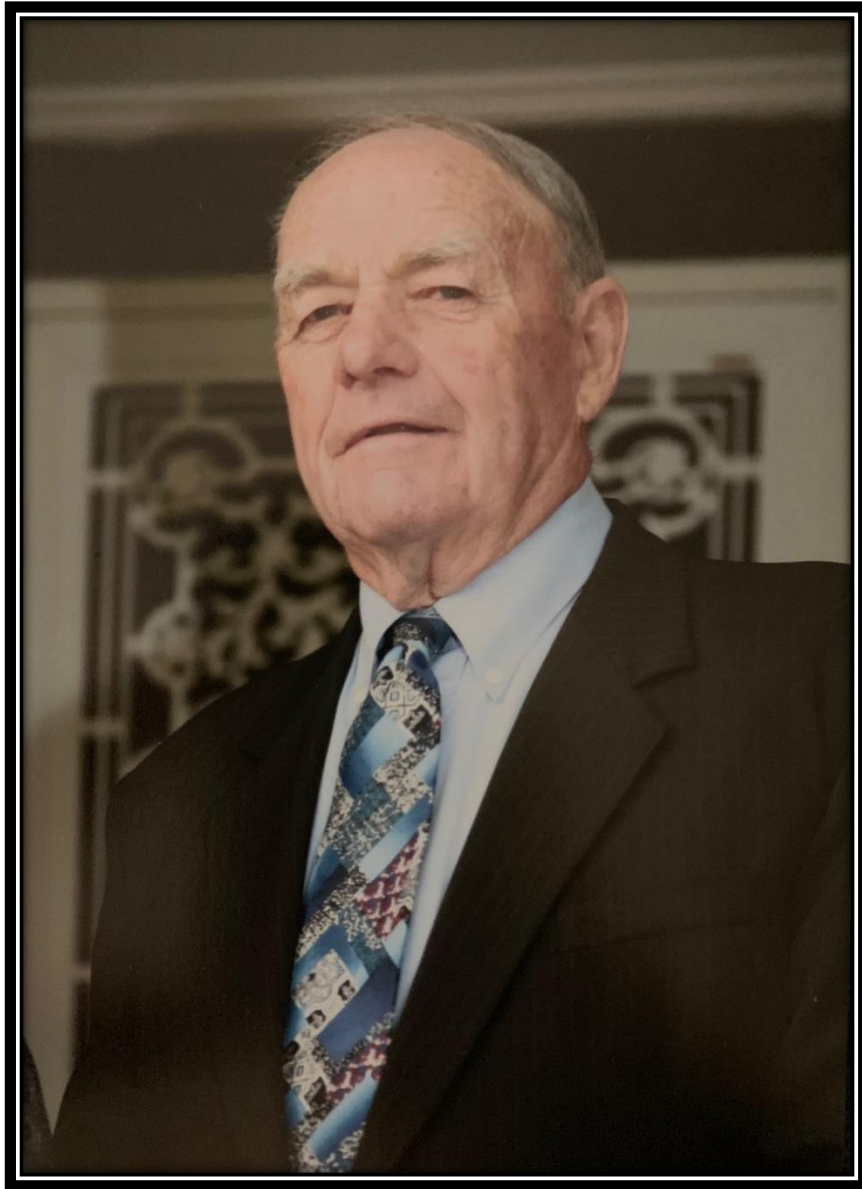


A celebration of the life of
Royce Alexander



18th January 1935 - 4th July 2019

St Alban The Martyr Anglican Cathedral, Griffith

Saturday 20th July 2019 at 10:00am



Royce Alexander Dredge

Beloved Husband of

Florence Dredge

Loved Father and Father in Law of

David Dredge

Kevin Dredge (deceased)

Andrew Dredge (deceased) & Helen Brasington

Craig and Charlene Dredge

**Loved Grandfather to his
Grandchildren**

Dion & Mel, Nathan, Sebastian, Brooke, Hannah and Bella

Great Grandchildren

Brielle and Paige

Pall Bearers

David Dredge

Craig Dredge

Dion Dredge

Nathan Dredge

Sebastian Dredge

Nathan Drayton

Parish Priest

Fr Rob Harris

Organist

Robyn Galloway

Welcome

Gathering in God's Name

Grace and peace from the Lord be with you.

And also with you.

“I am the resurrection and the life”, says the Lord
“those who believe in me, even though they die, yet will they
live”.

John 11:25

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

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 grief give way to joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Hymn

Amazing Grace

Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound

That saved a wretch like me.

I once was lost but now I'm found;

Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear

And grace my fears relieved.

How precious did that grace appear

The hour I first believed.

Through many dangers, toils and snares

We have already come.

'Twas grace hath brought us safe thus far

And grace will lead us home.

When we've been there ten thousand years

Bright shining as the sun;

We'll have no less days to sing God's praise

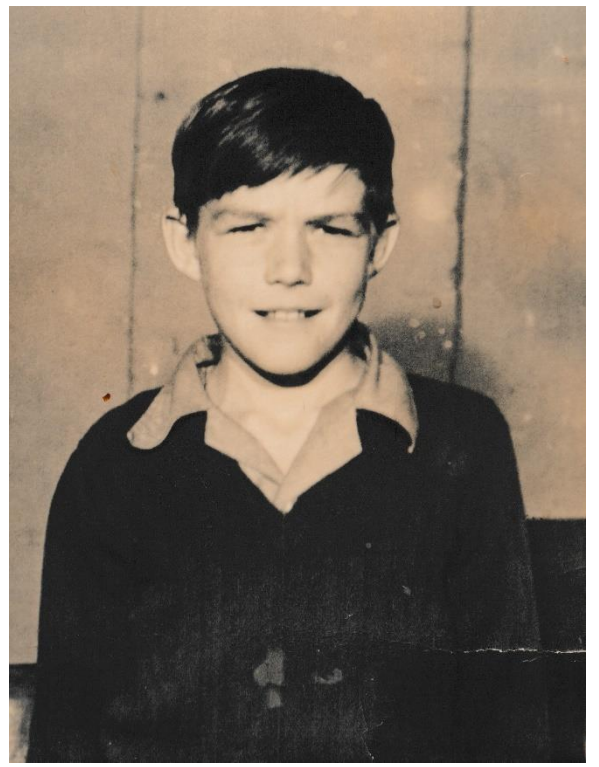
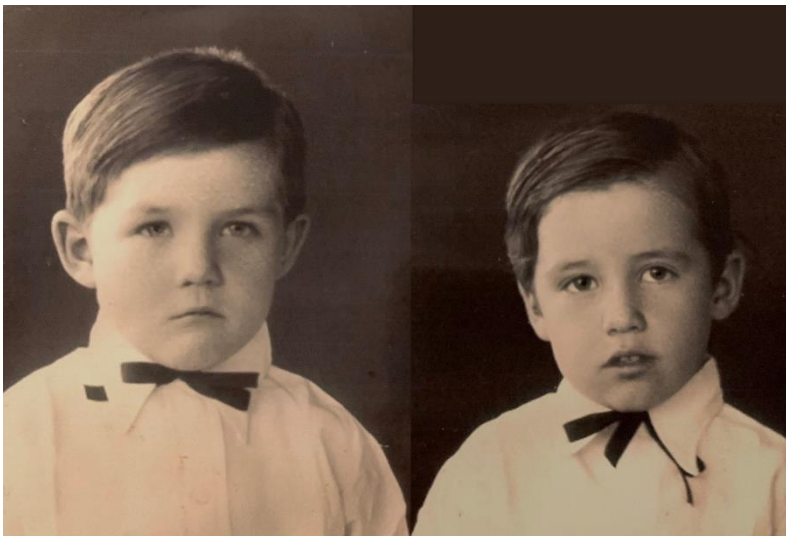
Than when we first begun.

Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound

That saved a wretch like me.

I once was lost but now I'm found;

Was blind, but now I see.







Psalm 23

Read by Brooke Dredge

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He makes me to lie down in green pastures;

He leads me beside still waters.

He restores my soul; He leads me in paths of
righteousness, for his name sake.

Yeah, thou I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I will fear no evil, for you are with me,

Your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.

You anoint my head with oil, my cup runs over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of
my life and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Scripture – John 14: 1-6

Read by Fr Rob Harris

Jesus said, “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, the truth and the life.
No one comes to the Father except through me.”

Eulogy

David Dredge

Address

Fr Rob Harris

Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in Heaven,
hallowed by 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.

Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory.

Forever and ever.

Amen



The Farewell

Let us entrust Royce to the mercy of God.

Holy and loving Father,
by your mighty power you gave us life.

And in your love,
you have given us new life
in Christ Jesus.

We entrust Royce to your merciful keeping:

in the faith of Jesus Christ,
who died and rose again to save us,
and now lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit in glory forever.

Amen

Blessing and Dismissal

Recessional Music

Working Class Man



A limb has fallen from the family tree.

I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me".

Remember the best times, the laughter, the song. The good life
I lived while I was strong. Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.

Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through.

My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest. Remember all how truly I was
blessed. Continue traditions, no matter how small.

Go on with your life, don't worry about falls,

I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin.

Until the day comes until we are together again.



*The Dredge family wish to thank you for your kind words of
sympathy, love, support and friendship.*

*Your expressions of shared grief are of great comfort to them.
You are invited to join with them at the Griffith Ex-Servicemen's Club for
some light refreshments following the funeral.*



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