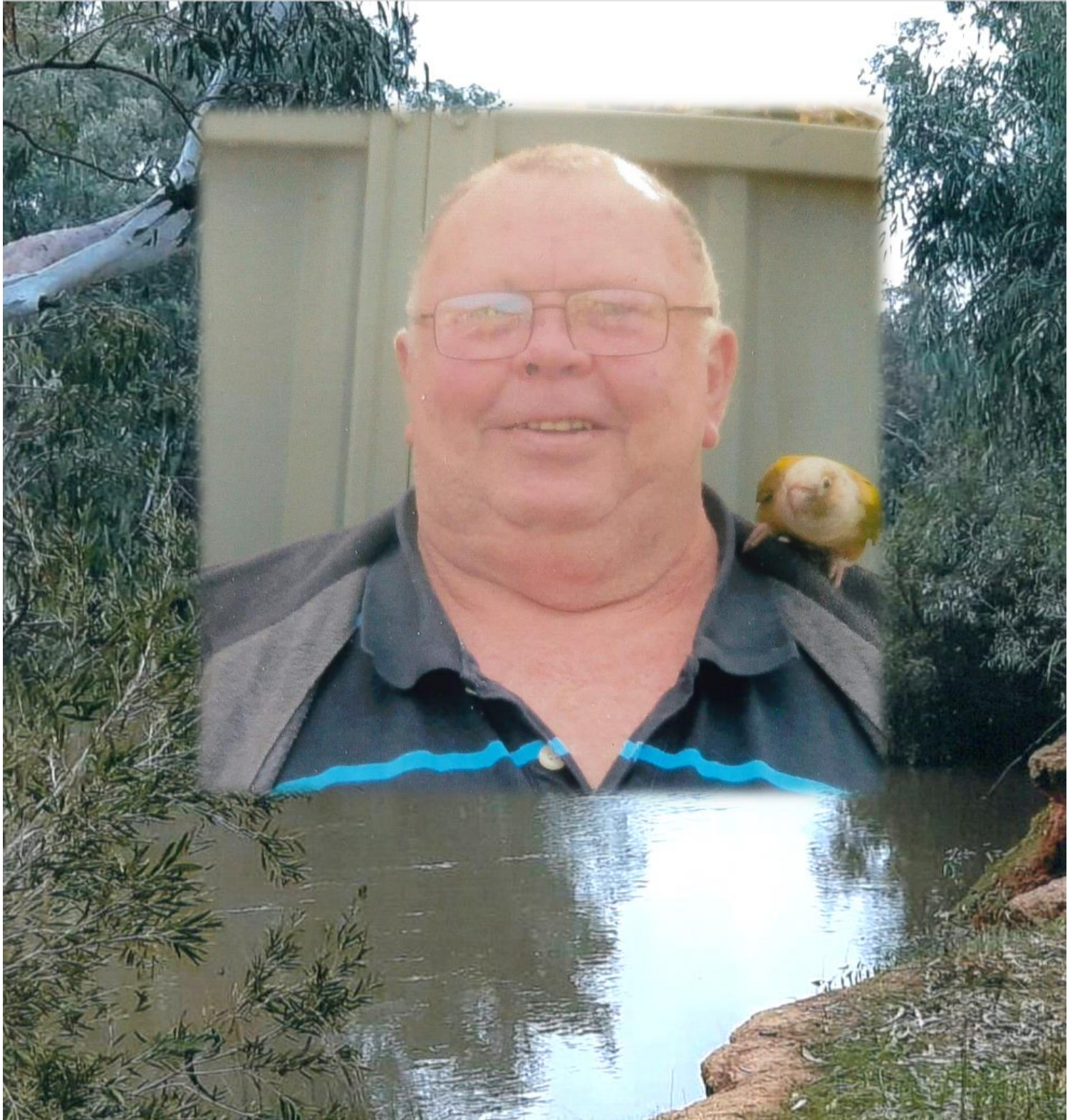


# Dickie



## Barry John Day

02.08.1949 – 12.08.2019

## Entrance Song

World Champion Fool by Ron Lowry

## Welcome and Introduction

Fr Dean Bongat

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**All - Amen**

The Lord be with You.

**All - And with your Spirit.**

Welcome everyone to this celebration of the life of Dickie Day.  
We are all here to bid farewell to him. May this celebration  
of ours remind us, that like Jesus, Dickie will not only  
experience death but also the resurrection on the last day.

## Penitential Rite

Sisters and brothers, to prepare ourselves in this occasion,  
let us call to mind all our sins.

Lord Jesus, you are the hope resurrection, Lord have mercy.

**All - Lord have mercy.**

You died so that we might live, Christ have mercy.

**All - Christ have mercy.**

You open for your people the way from death to life, Lord have mercy.

**All - Lord have mercy.**

## Words of Remembrance

Steven McMonigle

## Lighting of the Paschal Candle

Rosalind Todd

In baptism, Dickie received the light of Christ.

This light has guided him through his life.

**All - May that light guide him to eternal life.**

## Sprinkling with Holy Water

In the waters of baptism, Dickie died with

Christ and rose with Him into eternal life.

**All - May Dickie now share eternal life with Christ in Glory**

## Opening Prayer

O God, almighty Father, who have strengthened us by the mystery of the Cross and promise us a share by the mystery of your Son's Resurrection, mercifully grant, we pray, that your departed servant Dickie may be gathered into the company of your chosen ones. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.

## Reading

### A Reading from the Letter of St Paul to Timothy 4: 6-8

Read by Bernadette Day

As for me, the hour has come,

The time is here for me to leave this life.

I have done my best in the race,

Fought the good fight,

Run the race.

I have run the full distance and I have kept the faith,

And now there is, waiting for me,

The prize of victory, awarded for a righteous life,

The prize which the Lord, the righteous judge

Will give me on that day, and not only to me,

But to all those who wait with love for Him to appear.

## Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**Come, you whom my Father has blessed, says the Lord:  
inherit the Kingdom prepared for you since the foundation of the world.**

**Alleluia!**

The Lord be with you

**All - And with your Spirit.**

## Gospel

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to John

Fr Dean

**ALL- Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus said to his disciples: 'Do not let your hearts be troubled.

Trust in God still, and trust in me. There are many rooms in my Father's house; if there were not, I should have told you.

I am going now to prepare a place for you, and after I have gone and prepared you a place, I shall return to take you with me; so that where I am you may be, too. You know the way to the place where I am going.' Thomas said, 'Lord, we do not know where you are going, so how can we know the way?' Jesus said:

'I am the Way, the Truth and the Life.

No one can come to the Father except through me.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

**ALL - Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ**

## Prayers of the Faithful

Read by Donna Day

Fr. Dean - Friends, let us come before God in prayer as we give thanks for the life and love of Dickie.

May God comfort Dickie 's family and friends who mourn and help us to comfort one another. Let us pray to the Lord.

**All - Lord, hear our prayer.**

We pray for all those who have cared for Dickie, may their kindness and patience be rewarded. Let us pray to the Lord.

**All - Lord, hear our prayer.**

We pray for Dickie, a child of God and heir to the kingdom, that he may be held securely in God's loving embrace now and for all eternity. Let us pray to the Lord.

**All - Lord, hear our prayer.**

We pray for all the dead, especially our friends and relatives and may their memories live on amongst us. Let us pray to the Lord.

**All - Lord, hear our prayer.**

Fr. Dean - Lord, hear our prayers. Hold Dickie in your love forever as we hold him in our hearts. We make our prayers through Christ our Lord.

**All - Amen**

## A Life in Pictures

She's My Baby by Johnny O'Keefe

**The Lord's Prayer**  
**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 trespassers,**  
**As we forgive those who trespass against us,**  
**And lead us not into temptation,**  
**But deliver us from evil.**  
**Amen.**

## **Final Commendation and Farewell**

Before we go our separate ways, let us take leave of Dickie. May our farewell express everyone's affection for him, may it ease our sadness and the sense of loss of his family and friends and strengthen their hope. It is our faith that we shall meet again when the love of Christ, which conquers all things, conquers even death itself.

We bless Dickie's mortal remains with the water that recalls the day of his baptism, the day on which he put on Christ. In the day of Christ's coming may he be clothed in Christ's glory. We honour his body with incense, this body which has been for all his life as a temple of the Spirit of God.

## Sprinkling of the Holy Water and Incensing

Saints of God, come to his aid, come to meet him angels of the Lord.

**All - Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.**

Dickie, may Christ who called you, take you to himself;  
may the angels lead you to Abraham's side.

**All - Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.**

Eternal rest grant unto Dickie O Lord,  
and let your perpetual light shine upon him.

**All - Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.**

Into your hands, God of mercies, we commend Dickie in the sure  
and certain hope that, together with all who have died in Christ.

May he rise with Him on the last day. We are thankful for  
the blessings Dickie received in this life; they are signs of your  
goodness to us and our unity with all the saints. Almighty God listen  
to our prayers and open the gates of paradise to Dickie and help  
his family and friends here to be comforted with the assurance of  
faith until we all meet in Christ and are with you and Dickie forever.

We ask this in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**All - Amen**

## Recessional Music

Sing (And Tell the Blues So Long) by Johnny O'Keefe

David, Donna, Bernadette and Kylie  
thank you for your love and support.

Following the Service, you are invited to  
join together for light refreshments at  
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