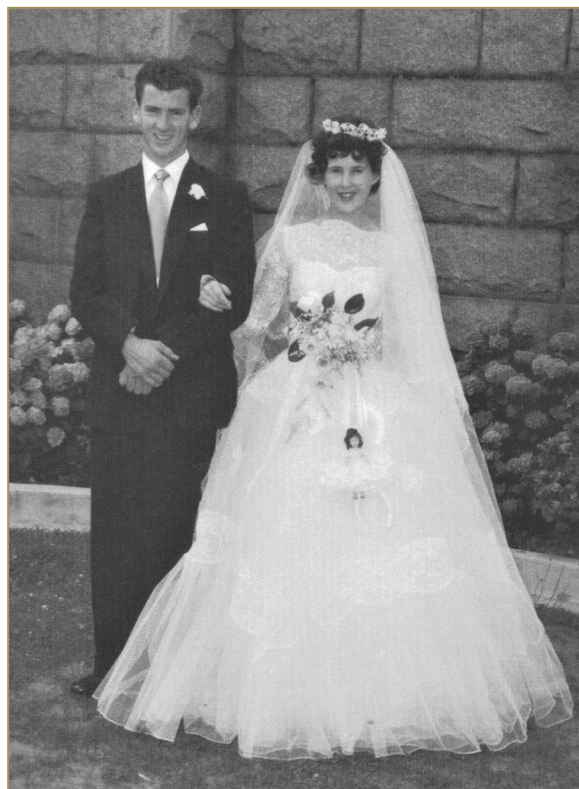


Rick, Lisa, Sharon and Michelle together with  
their families would like to thank you all  
for your comfort, support and for joining with them today  
to celebrate the life of their much loved  
Father, Father-in-law and Pa,

**Ron Martín**



The Funeral cortege will leave at the conclusion of the Service  
for the Bendigo Lawn Cemetery.



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*Service of Thanksgiving*  
*Celebrating the life of*



**Ronald Raymond Martin**  
**'Ron'**

**22nd March, 1938 - 1st November, 2020**  
**Aged 82 Years**

**Bendigo Funeral Centre Chapel**  
11.00am Friday November 6th, 2020  
**Celebrant: Fr. Tony Shallue**

## *ORDER OF SERVICE*

### *Opening Song*

Wings of A Dove (Charley Pride)

### *Welcome*

Fr. Tony Shallue

### *Opening Prayer*

Fr. Tony Shallue

### *Eulogy*

Read by Fr. Tony Shallue on behalf of Ron's Family

### *Photo Presentation*

Looking Forward, Looking Back (Slim Dusty)

A Pub With No Beer (Slim Dusty)

The Gambler (Kenny Rogers)

### *Reading*

Fr. Tony Shallue

### *Homily*

Fr. Tony Shallue

### *Poem*

I Am With You

### *Final Commendation & Farewell*

Fr. Tony Shallue

### *Recessional Song*

Gloria (Laura Branigan)

## *I Am With You*

Death is nothing at all -

I have only slipped away into the next room.

Whatever we were to each other, that we are still.

Call me by my old familiar name,  
speak to me in the easy way which you always used.

Laugh as we always laughed  
at the little jokes we enjoyed together.

Play, smile and think of me.

Let my name be the household word  
that it always was.

Let it be spoken without effort.

Life means all that it ever meant;

It is the same as it ever was;

There is absolutely unbroken continuity.

Why should I be out of your mind  
because I am out of your sight?

I am but waiting for you, for an interval,  
somewhere very near, just around the corner.

All is well, nothing is past, nothing is lost.

One brief moment and all will be as it was before,  
only better, infinitely happier and forever we will be as one.

