

Welcome as we Celebrate the Life and Love of

*Barry John Wheeler*

10.1.1949 ~ 4.9.2017



Thanksgiving Service held at  
St John's Anglican Church,  
Doolong Road, Wondunna, Hervey Bay, Qld  
On Friday, 29th September 2017, at 11am.  
Officiated by Reverend Ingrid Busk

**GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME ~ Rev Ingrid Busk**

**HYMN ~ TO GOD BE THE GLORY**

1 To God be the glory, great things he has done;  
so loved he the world that he gave us his Son,  
who yielded his life an atonement for sin,  
and opened the life-gate that all may go in.

**Refrain:**

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the earth hear his voice!  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son,  
and give him the glory; great things he has done.

2 O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,  
to every believer the promise of God;  
the vilest offender who truly believes,  
that moment from Jesus a pardon receives. **[Refrain]**

3 Great things he has taught us, great things he has done,  
and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;  
but purer and higher and greater will be  
our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see. **[Refrain]**

*William Howard Done 1832-1916 Public Domain*

**PRAYER**

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.

**SHARING OF MEMORIES**

**Eulogy** ~ Blanche and Rebel Wheeler

**Poem** ~ Rebel Wheeler

**Air Crew Association** ~ Mick McEwen

**RAAF Police Association** ~ George McIvor

**MEMORIES OF BARRY**

**THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD ~ Ecclesiastes 3:1-15 - Christine Bell**

**HOMILY ~ Rev Ingrid Busk**

**HYMN ~ AMAZING GRACE**

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am 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,  
I have already come;  
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we'd first begun.

*Words: John Newton (1725-1807) Public Domain*

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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, and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

**THE FAREWELL**

**RSL**

**THE COMMITTAL**

**FINAL BLESSING AND DISMISSAL**

No Cortege to J Kirk & Sons' Hervey Bay Crematorium

Barry's Family wish to thank you for your presence here today as we remember and pay tribute to his Life. Your many expressions of love and support at this time is deeply appreciated and will always be remembered.



For those who wish to make a donation to  
Camp Gregory Veterans Retreat,  
in Memory of Barry, envelopes are available.

Family and friends are invited for refreshments  
and to continue sharing their memories of Barry  
at the Hervey Bay RSL's Sports Bar.

**WHEELER, Barry John**

**A123294 WOFF (RTD)**

**Loadmaster and RAAF Policeman**

**10th January 1949 - 4th September 2017**

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In lieu of flowers, donations to Camp Gregory Veterans Retreat at Woodgate is requested.

***At Peace, In God's Care.***



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