

*A Service of Thanksgiving for the life of*  
*Donald John Tregea*



*27 November 1934 – 7 May 2018*

## **Gathering in God's Name**

### **Greeting**

Grace and peace from the Lord be with you.

**And also with you**

### **Introduction**

We have come together  
to thank God for the life of Donald John Tregea  
to mourn and honour him,  
to lay to rest his mortal body,  
and to support one another in grief.  
We face the certainty of our own death and judgement.  
Yet Christians believe that those who die in Christ  
share eternal life with him.  
Therefore in faith and hope we turn to God,  
who created and sustains us all.

Various sentences of Scripture are read.

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**

**Eulogy - Sallyann Tregae, Adrian Tregea & David Thornely**

**Musical Tribute – Ring of Fire – Callum and Jackson McPartlane**

**DVD of Don's life**

**Prayer of thanks for Don's life**

**Amazing Grace - Patrick Kearney (Callum and Jackson)**

**Bible Reading - Ecclesiastes 3:1 – 8 – Kylie Tregea,**

**The Address – The Rev'd Stephen May**

**The Prayers**

**The Lord's Prayer**

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

**Our Father, in heaven,  
Hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,  
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,  
now and ever. Amen.

#### How Great Thou Art

1. Oh Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the works thy hands have made,  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,  
Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed,

#### *Chorus*

*Then sings my soul , my Saviour God to thee;  
How great Thou art! how great Thou art!  
Then sings my soul , my saviour God to thee;  
How great Thou art! how great Thou art!*

2. When through the woods and forest glades I wander  
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;  
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur  
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze

#### *Chorus*

3. And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,  
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in;  
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,  
he bled and died to take away my sin;

#### *Chorus*

4. When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation  
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!  
Then I shall bow in humble adoration  
and there proclaim, my God how great thou art!

#### *Chorus*

#### Farewell

Let us entrust our dear brother Don 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 Don 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 for ever. Amen.

#### The Blessing.



*Thank you all for coming. You are welcome to  
Yan Yean Cemetery at 1.15 for the burial, or please  
join us at Growling Frog Golf Club at 2pm.*

