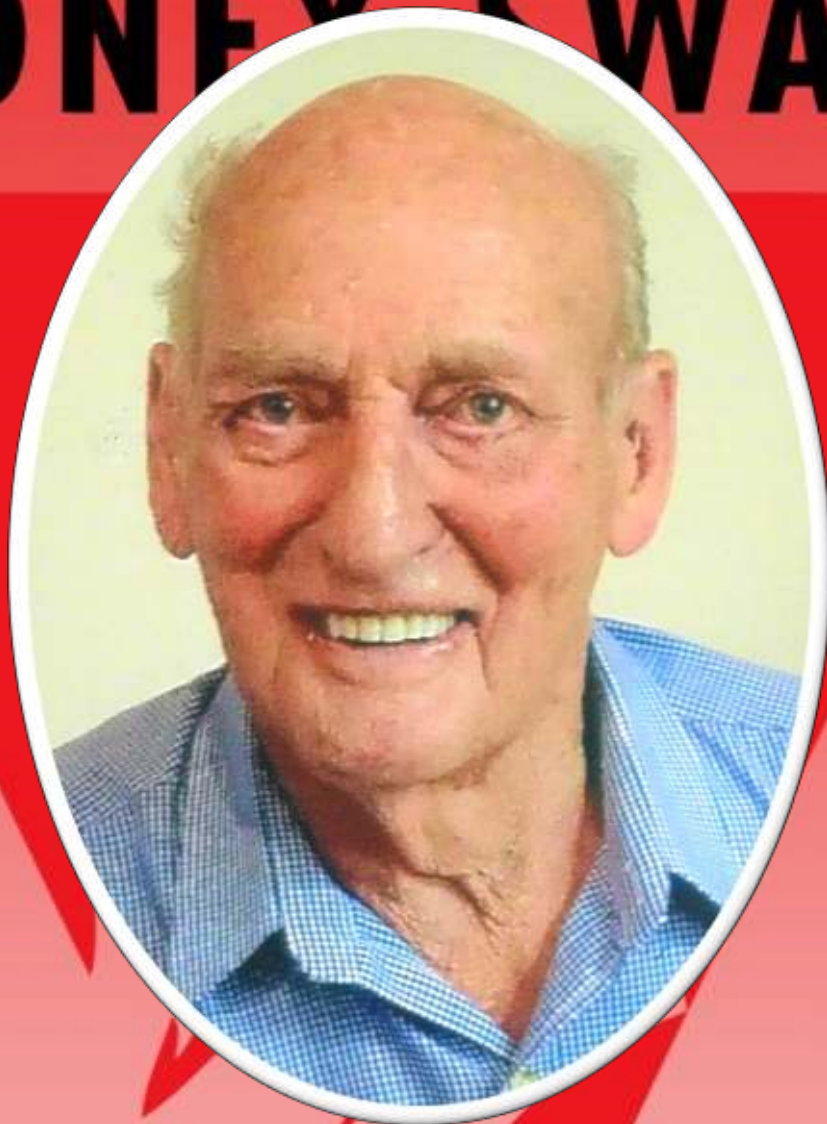


A Celebration and Thanksgiving for the
Life and Love of

Colin Bruce Smith
“Curly”

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28th September 1934 ~ 24th April 2021

Alan Harris McDonald Chapel
Thursday, 29th April 2021 at 2:00pm



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CELEBRANT

Beverley Shaw

OPENING SONG

“Amazing Grace” by Celtic Women

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Beverley Shaw

23RD PSALM

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures

He leads me beside still waters

He restores my soul.

He leads me in right paths for His name's sake.

Even though I walk through the valley
of the shadow of death, I 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 overflows.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me

all the days of my life,

and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

EULOGY

Read by Katrina Smith & Julie Hargrave



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POEM

“Our Pop’s Garden”

Read by Caitlin & Tierre

Our Pop kept a garden
A garden of the heart
He planted all the good things
That gave our lives their start
He turned us to the sunshine
And encouraged us to dream
Fostering and nurturing the seeds of self esteem
And when the winds and rain came
He protected us enough
But not too much because he knew
We would stand up strong and tough
He always taught us right from wrong
Markers for our pathway that will last a lifetime long
We are our Pop’s garden
We are his legacy.
Love you Pop.
~Unknown Author~



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REFLECTION MUSIC

“Here I Am Lord” by David Mueller Choir

POEM

“Broken Chain”

Read by Elissa & Jade

We little knew this morning
That God would call your name
In life we loved you dearly
In death we do the same
It broke our hearts to lose you
You did not go alone
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home.
You left us peaceful memories
Your love is still our guide
And though we cannot see you
You are always at our side.
Our family chain is broken
And nothing seems the same
But as God calls us one by one
The chain will link again.

~Unknown Author~

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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 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
Forever and ever.
Amen.

POEM

“Look for me in Rainbows”

Read by Jake & Stephen

Time for me to go now, I won't say goodbye
Look for me in rainbows, way up in the sky
In the morning sunrise when all the world is new
Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.
Time for me to leave you, know I won't say goodbye
Look for me in rainbows high up in the sky.
In the evening sunset, when all the world is through
Just look for me and love me, and I'll be close to you.
It won't be forever, the day will come and then
My loving arms will hold you, when we meet again
Time for us to part now, we won't say goodbye
Look for me in rainbows shining in the sky.
Every waking moment and all your whole life through
Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.
Just wish me to be near you, and I'll be there with you.



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THE IRISH BLESSING

Curly

May the road rise to meet you
May the wind be always at your back
May the sun shine warm upon your face
The rains fall soft upon your fields and,
Until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of His hand

RECESSIONAL MUSIC

“You Raise Me Up” by Westlife
“Nicky Nacky Nocky Noo” by ABC Kids

It is with love and gratitude the family thank you for your kindness and expressions of sympathy at a time when it is needed and deeply appreciated.

The family would like to welcome you to the adjoining Alan Harris McDonald Function, for light refreshments and to share the many wonderful memories of Curly's life.

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EST. 1928