

Vale David Leon Evans

21st November 1933 - 30th May 2021

David Leon Evans born orn Norf'k Ailen orn d' 21st o November 1933. Hi wos d'seken son o Andrew 'Peke' Evans en Rosina nee Moy. Hi haed 7 brothers en' sestas – Borry, Jean, Lou, Pelly, Edie, Nellie en Thelma. Hi wos wan riil Ailen character, who bin el put his haan tu enithing. Hi wos an excellent horsemun, en hi bin yuusa feature et em New Years Dieh races en dem A & H Equestrian events.

Bubby liew skuul fe staat work daun Gowment Haus, said hi stop fe meni yiyas, worken fe for deferent Administrator. Hi liew Norf'k fe work orn Administrator Wilson's faam daun in Victoria. But orn wan trip ap tu Sydney, he ya tal somebody in d' faemili se diyed, en instead o gwen baek tu Victoria hi decide fe come hoem tu Norf'k. Hi pick ap said hi liew, daun Gowment Haus en in 1958 hi miit wan young nerse, Shirley Hewitt huu bin sail aut fram Inglan. Dem tuu maeri, en in 1960 dem haed David, d' eldest o dem tuus four letl salan. Aafta Dids, haed Moira, Jane en Jonathan.

Dems hoem wos duan Kaasckaid, en wi orl noe dem stories fram raun D'Roaring Fortis could fil wun book! Bubby's Kaaskied Butchery wos d' perfect said fe his autgwen en frendli personality. His skills in aa Butcher shop, en lorngfe kaetl wos maticulus. Wetha wos driwen a kaetl, alla breken et daun, hi bin el mike wun riili haad jorb - luk daa iisi. Hi tek plenti praid in his presentieshan, en yorli huu bin work lornfe hem, gwen noe hau passionate hi wos, in orl em thing hi bin el duu.

Nau, wi gut kwait plenti storis o Bubby en aa Duke o Edinburgh. Kos Bubby bin hoel hem in high regard. But f' his fus viset, Bubby aasa dem daun Gowment Haus, wathen hi orta korl aa Duke. En dem laana hem, hi nor gwen bi torken gen His Royal Highness. Wich den miek et letl bet haad, wen aa Duke stroel daun gen hem fe haew' chat, wen hi deya melken wan morning.

Orn aa siem trip, dem tuus kaa brek daun in Kaaskaid. Soe Bubby, who wos aa chauffer, roel staat aa kaa - in reverse. Wen aa Duke staaten, hi wesl hes Chauffer, f' kam tu d' top' dem plain steyas, en hi talla Bubby - 'You did a pretty good job with that car'.

Nau, d' faemli muuw fram d' Roaring Forties up

Tara, fe bii kloes gen aa bucha shop. En em social engagements did kohntinyu. Lieta orn Bubby muuw daun Music Valley. En plenti salan, touris en orl, bin sheya in his hospitality daun deya. Wi kaa hau much P'liis bin work iin, en den gingerly stumble aut. Siyem es em Administraitas. Alan Kerr wudnent g' daun! En Bubby haed f' viset hem or Gowement Haus. Naewa work, kos tan aut d' siyem wieh.

Hi bin luw' gu fishen, en yu bin el ketch hem aut longfe Bruce McKenzie, Dennis Christian en plenti dem. Wi kaa kaunt hau much taim hi bin in' interview, alla orn Telly. Bat es truu hi orlwis noe wuthing f' tal, du main wats em kweschen.

Bubby bin semes' animal whisperer. Wetha hi geten' hors f' kaunt, ala dorg f' sing, ala keht f' hiil. Dem animals bin yuusa luwet.

Plenti salan noe Bubby fe biiyen in' garden, hi bin noe daa mach thing, baut puten a thing in' gaun, flowa, fruut, eni kaina veges. En man a bush hi bin el cook. El miek enithing ties swiit!

Pa, wieh orl aklan gwen mess yuu! En es hi wud tal, Abysinnia.

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Bookings are essential and pre-payment of **\$60 per person** is requested to confirm your place.

For all enquiries and reservations, please email **Natasha** at: **norfolkislandyoga@ninet. nf** or phone: **53590**.

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Es amazing world wi lew een dees days. D' fuss condolence I get was from Pitcairn Island. Uckluns connection lorngfe everything. Wi know uwas come from. Es so special. Bubby lew in wun pretty good time orn earth. He particularly had a connection lorngfe Mother Earth, animals en a sullun.

Bubby privileidge me with meeten dar much a uwas ole Norfolk sullun who was his friends en his community en as yourly know he bin el do anyting f sullun en hi jes luw Norfolk.

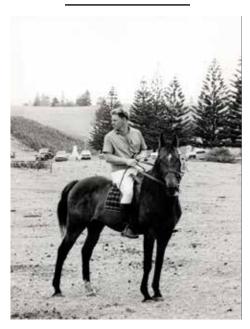
Bubby ya in town lorngfe plenty mates

~ Gran, Nornie Douran. Dem was good mates. But had Beera en Hackett en Funy Bill en dars jes few from Cascade.

Den Rita en Stewe en Hoddie from Bucks Poit Boy Sat, Bobbie en Julia from Steeles Point Nick en Bebbie out ar station Booboo en Doodie en DeChesne in Bun Pine Bruno Marty en Junny Willy Boy, Ikey Bob, Billy Ward jes fe name a few.

Hi know every horse, cattle en a dorg om Norfolk. Hi luw a veggies en a flower. Dem es jes few a d' thing I like a mention.

Rest In Peace Dad. Si yu Sumor In a while, crocodile



Thank you

The family would like to thank the hospital staff; the Dr's and nurses for their excellent care. To Shane and the gravediggers. The wreath makers. Tardy for driving the hears. To Gavin for the coffin and Vince for the cross. To Milton and Trent for the sound and music this afternoon. To Jodie and Tony for the program.

And to all those who have offered their love, support, shared stories and passed on words of encouragement at this time. The family are so grateful. En the grandkids particularly thank yorlye fe all em wetls!

In Memoriam

In Memory of



Britney Quintal - Christian 14/10/1993 - 8/6/2013

If tears could build a stairway and memories a lane I'd walk right up to Heaven and bring you home again.

Love you to the moon and the brightest star and back.

Love Mum, Dad, Dyl, Pete, Carissa, Taj and Mim.

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