

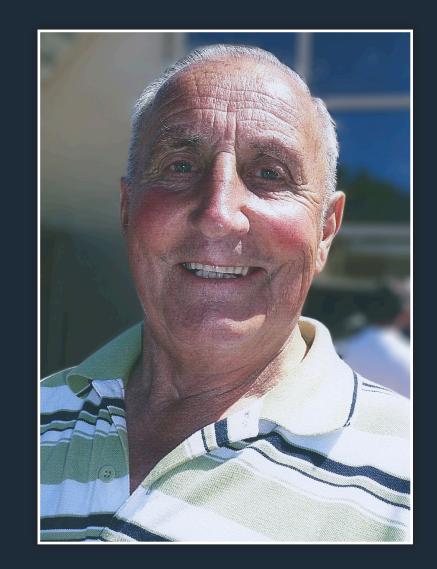
### AN INVITATION

The family thank you for your care and support today. Following the service you are warmly invited to join them in the adjacent Reception Lounge for refreshments and a time to share more memories of Garth.

### **TRIBUTES**

If you would like to send the family a message, share a story, or pay tribute to Garth, please do so in the online tribute book at www.tributes.co.nz

### With Love We Remember



## GARTH ALEXANDER PORTEOUS 6 July 1929 - 26 March 2015



# HOPE AND SONS CHAPEL , DUNEDIN , 2 APRIL 2015 , PRIVATE CREMATION

Celebrant Merle Andrew

ENTRANCE MUSIC Tennessee Waltz Connie Francis

WELCOME

READING

EULOGY

FAMILY TRIBUTES Jan

GENERAL SHARING An opportunity to share a memory of Garth

TIME FOR REFLECTION Cab Driver Mills Brothers

#### READING

WORDS OF FAREWELL

FAREWELL MUSIC I Guess Things Happen That Way Johnny Cash

### SONG OF THE DRIFTER

I've cut me load and that's me song, it's time I hit the track I've been round here for far too long and now I'm headin' back I'm splittin' from this worn out scene, I'm packin' up me gear I'm takin' off for pastures green, I'm snatchin' it from here.

I've heard the things they said to me, I've bogged meself in stuff I've took responsibility and now I've had enough So good luck, mate, I'm movin' on, I'll leave the place to you And if they ask you where I've gone, just tell them I shot through.

And if we meet some other place, no stranger will you be I'll remember name and face, you've all been good to me I'll greet you like a brother, I'll make you laugh somehow And then one day I'll drift away just like I'm doin' now.

Barry Crump