



IN LOVING MEMORY OF



*Thomas (Tom)
Derek Rowley*

**18 August 1931 – 2 May 2026
(94 years)**

10.30am, Monday 11th May 2026
Burnblea House, Cleveland Funeral Home
173 Ingestre Street, Whanganui





Remembering

Tom Rowley

Opening video: 2013 Tropfest Film Festival Finalist – “Tunnel”

starring Tom Rowley, with Jared Kirkwood & Tim Garman. Scripted, filmed and directed by Joel Garman.

Welcome & Eulogy

Introduction – Tim Garman

Donna Garman (daughter)
Matthew 6: 26 & 28-30

We would love you to share any memories you have of Tom at this time.

Message & Eulogy

Tim Garman (son-in-law)
Psalm 23: 1-6

Hymn

(Amazing Grace – Words opposite)

You are warmly invited to remain with us for light refreshments following the service, after which there will be a graveside gathering for immediate family.

Amazing Grace

Words John Newton, music “New Britain” composer anonymous 1829 & William Walker 1835. Additional words Tom Rowley.

Amazing grace how sweet the sound
My saviour makes to 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 has brought me safe thus far
And grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me
His word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures.

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow
The sun forbear to shine
But God, who called me here below
Will be forever mine.

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 first begun.

