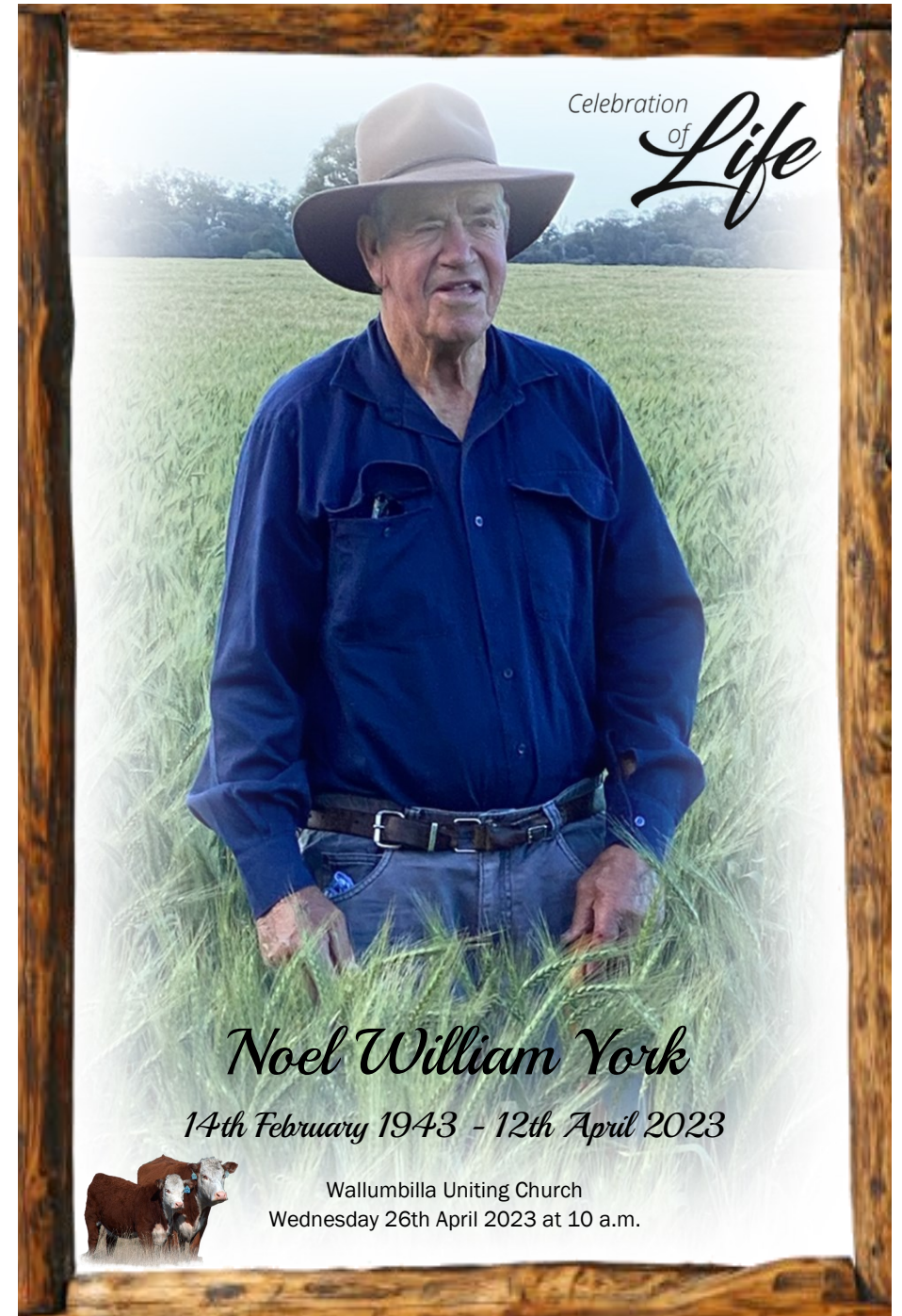




Beverley and the family wish to thank you for your presence here today and for all of your expressions of sympathy and support.

An invitation is extended to you to share in refreshments at the Memorial Hall after the completion of the service at the cemetery.

God has you in his keeping. We have you in our hearts.



ORDER OF SERVICE

Service led by Jenny Noble

Organist – Cathy Jensen

Welcome

Introduction

Opening Prayer

Hymn – Blessed Assurance

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine:
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God;
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

*This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Saviour all the day long.*

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Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels descending, bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

Perfect submission, all is at rest
I in my Saviour am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

AS WE GATHER AT THE GRAVESIDE

Opening Prayer

Commendation

Committal

Affirmation of Faith

Blessed are the dead Who die in the Lord henceforth
Blessed indeed, says the Spirit,
That they may have rest from their labours.
They shall hunger no more neither thirst anymore.
For the Lamb in the midst of the throne
will be their shepherd.

And He will guide them to springs of living water
And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes. Amen

Blessing

Committal Song



Poem – The Final Flight

Read by Alison Roberts

Don't grieve for me; for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call;
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the end of the day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah, yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savoured much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one' touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief;
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.

Closing Prayer

Recessional Song

Bible Readings

Read by Rev Dona Spencer

Ecclesiastics 3:1-8

John 14:1-8

Eulogy

Read by Chris and Amy York

Photo Presentation

Words of Solace

Prayers of Thanksgiving

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,
For ever and ever. **Amen**

Hymn – Nearer My God to Thee

Nearer, my God, to Thee, Nearer to Thee!
E'en tho' it be a cross that raiseth me;
Still all my song shall be
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
Nearer, my God, to Thee
Nearer to Thee.

Tho' like a wanderer
The sun gone down, darkness be over me,
My rest a stone, yet in my dreams I'd be,
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
Nearer to Thee.

Then, with my waking thoughts, bright with Thy praise,
Out of my stony griefs, Bethel I'll raise;
So by my woes to be,
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
Nearer to Thee.

Or, if on joyful wing, cleaving the sky,
Sun, moon, and stars forgot, upwards I fly,
Still all my song shall be,
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
Nearer, my God, to Thee,
Nearer to Thee...

