



*Fast Willy
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Invitation

The family thank you for your love and support not only for today but for the past week. Following the service you are warmly invited to stay for refreshments and then to continue with your memories of Willy at the Northern Tavern in Windsor from 4.30pm.



With Love We Remember

Willy James Buchanan

05th January 1978 – 12th June 2023

Willy



J Fraser & Sons Chapel
Invercargill / 19th June 2023

Private Cremation

Celebrant: Sally Tily

Welcome/Family

Eulogy

Family Tributes

Hamish Dawson-Tennessee Whiskey

Open Floor

Picture Memories

Words of Farewell/Committal

Close The Gate

For this one farmer the worries are over, lie down and rest your head,
Your time has been and struggles enough, put the tractor in the shed.
Years were not easy, many downright hard, but your love for farming transcended,
Put away your buggy and rest easy, the fences have all been mended.
You raised a fine family, worked the land well and always followed the sun,
Hang up your helmet inside of the shed; your work here on earth is done.
Bikes and farming led your journey through life, often a jagged and stoney way,
The sun is setting, the stock are all sorted, and here now is the end of your day.
Your love of the land has passed onto your kids; the stories flow like cold beer.
You always believed that the land would provide, and it always did somehow.
Take off your whistle and hang it up, no more sweat and worry for you now.
Your work is done, you're forever on the farm: no more must you wait.
Your legacy lives on, your love of the land, and we will close the gate.

