

*Remembering
Rex*



With Love
We Remember

Rex Griffith

Rex was born in Nelson
on 27th February 1940

He passed away peacefully in Whanganui
on 31 August 2026

A service to celebrate his life
held in the Cleveland Chapel
179 Ingestre Street Whanganui
on 7th September 2026
at 1:00pm

Followed by private cremation

Celebrant: Jonathon Greenwell
Funeral Director: Craig Cleveland

The Hunter Home From The Hills

Under the wide and starry sky,
Dig the grave and let me lie.
Glad did I live and gladly die,
And I laid me down with a will.
This be the verse you gave for me:
Here he lies where he longed to be;
Home is the sailor, home from the sea,
And the hunter home from the hills.

Home is the sailor, home from sea:
Her far-borne canvas furled
The ship pours shining on the quay
The plunder of the world.

Home is the hunter from the hill:
Fast in the boundless snare
All flesh lies taken at his will
And every fowl of air.

'Tis evening on the moorland free,
The starlit wave is still:
Home is the sailor from the sea,
The hunter from the hill.

Thank You And Invitation

Thank you for your love and support in being here today.

Following the service you are warmly invited
to gather in the reception lounge for refreshments
and a further time of sharing.