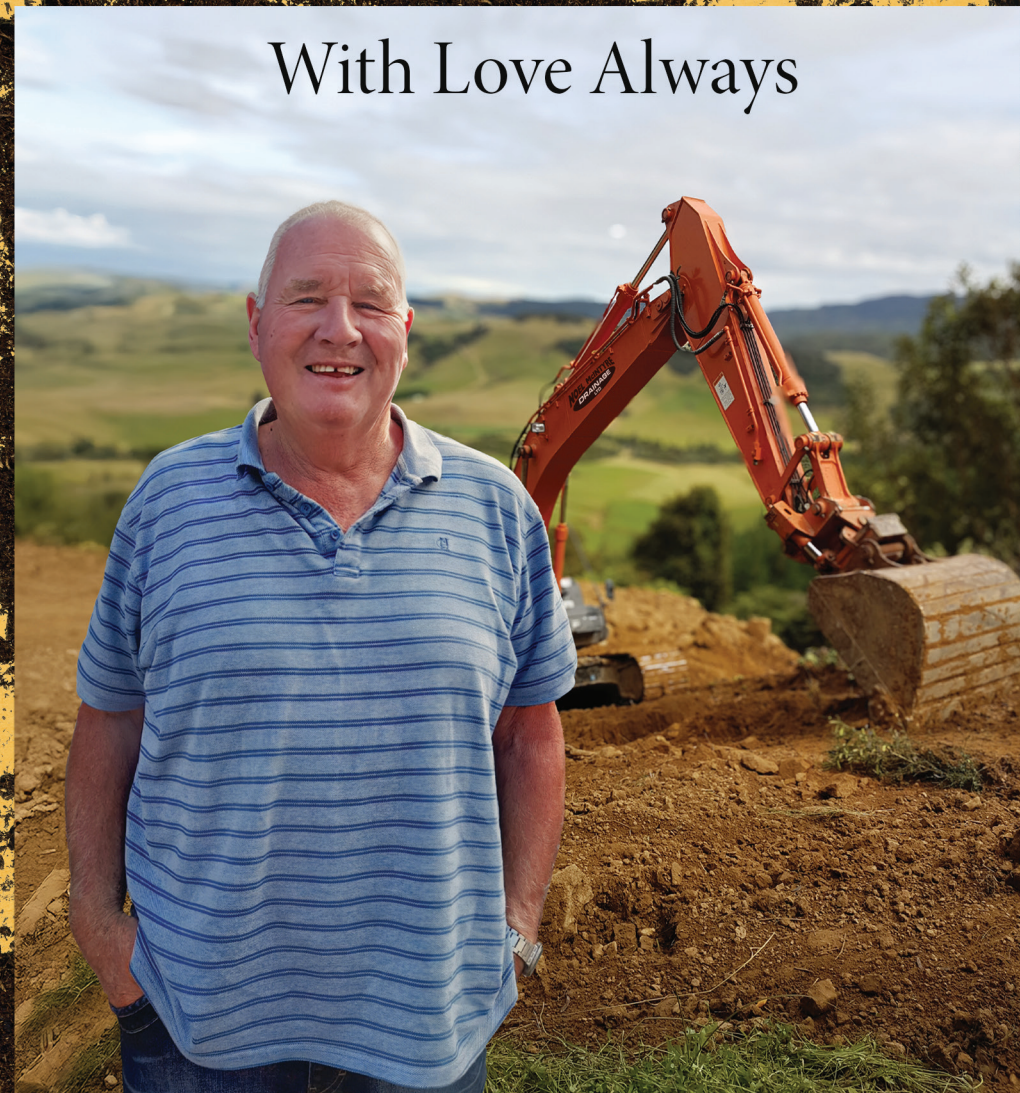




Photo taken at Noel's 70th Birthday

Noel has hung up his high viz and kicked his boots off for the last time. He was our husband, father, father-in-law, grandfather, brother, uncle and a friend to many. "The Boss" We will miss him dearly.



With Love Always



26<sup>th</sup> May 1949 - 09<sup>th</sup> Aug 2025





## Noel's Story

Born on 26 May 1949 in Bluff to Eric John (Ned) and Annie Jean (Jean). Noel grew up as one of 6 children at Greenhills.

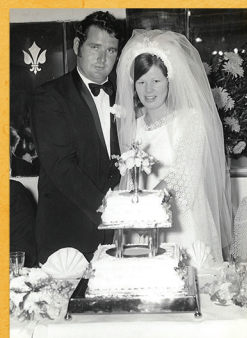
He left school at 15 and worked for his cousin Colin King at Tara Downs driving a bulldozer.



With his first paycheck he purchased his mother a transistor radio.



Noel worked at Ocean Beach as a shepherd and Hoffmans before starting his business in the late 80's.



Noel married Annette on 31 March 1973 at Central Methodist Church in Invercargill.



While living in Weka Street for 18 years, Toni, Glen, Leah and James were born.



Annette and Noel enjoyed travelling and over the past few years visited Fiji, Australia and Hawaii (the furthest he would travel...but only in 1st class).



Noel loved his 8 grandchildren, Logan, Lillie, Campbell, Phoebe, Summer, Fletcher, Keira and Hunter and got a lot of enjoyment out of watching them spend time together.



He was very proud of all his children and grandchildren and what they had accomplished.



Noel was a great fundraiser and supporter of the local community. A longtime sponsor of the Noel McIntyre Drainage Clubman Series at Teretonga to this day.



Noel had a sweet tooth and often hid lollies where Annette couldn't find them.



Noel enjoyed his work and considered a great day was a good day at work.



Noel and Annette were well known within the community for decorating their house in West Plains at Christmas time, raising money for Hospice and St John.

