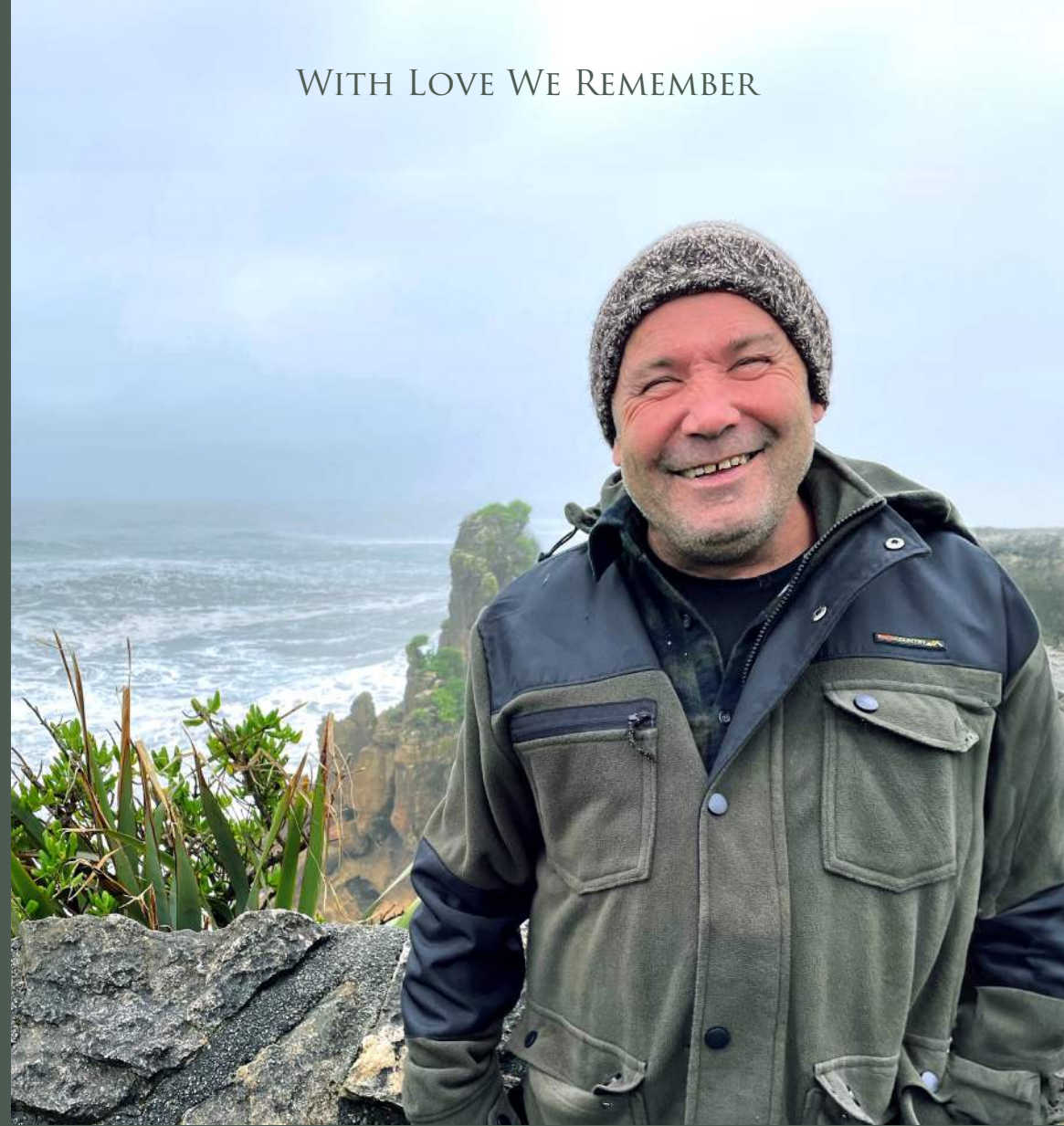


WITH LOVE WE REMEMBER

An Invitation

Alan's family thank you for your presence today and for your kind words of comfort and support. Following this service, you are warmly invited to join the family in the Kingswood Lounge for refreshments.



**ALAN GILLIES**

10 MAY 1965 - 24 MAY 2024

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**Kingswood · Upper Hutt**  
**Friday 31 May 2024 at 10.30 am**

*Celebrant: Paul Jackson*

**Commencement Song**  
*'Six Days on The Road'* by Steve Earle

**Welcome & Introduction**

**Alan's Story**

**Memories & Tributes**  
Family

**Open Tributes**

**Photo Memories**  
*'Me and You and a Dog Named Boo'* by Lobo

**Closing Reflection**

**Poem**  
**'Gone But Not Forgotten'**

Don't think of him as gone away  
His journey's just begun,  
Life holds so many facets  
This earth is only one.

Just think of him as resting  
From the sorrows and the tears  
In a place of warmth and comfort  
Where there are no days and years.

Think how he must be wishing  
That we could know today  
How nothing but our sadness  
Can really pass away.

And think of him as living  
In the hearts of those he touched  
For nothing loved is ever lost  
And he was loved so much.

**Committal**

**Farewell**  
*'The Gambler'* by Kenny Rogers

