



COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

State Funeral

The Late The Right Honourable
SIR ROBERT GORDON MENZIES,
K.T., A.K., C.H., F.R.S., Q.C.

Order of Service

at

THE SCOTS' CHURCH
RUSSELL STREET, MELBOURNE

FRIDAY, 19th MAY 1978 at 2 p.m.

Participating Clergy:

The Very Reverend Max Valmour Putnam, B.A., D.D.
The Very Reverend James Frederick McKay, C.M.G., O.B.E., M.A., B.D.
The Reverend William Alexander Fraser, O.B.E., M.A.C.E.

Organist: Lawrence E. Warner

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Organ Prelude

The Procession

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

Opening Sentences and Prayer

Hymn (The Old Hundredth)

All people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.
Him serve with mirth, His praise forthtell ;
Come ye before Him and rejoice.
Know that the Lord is God indeed ;
Without our aid He did us make ;
We are His folk, He doth us feed,
And for His sheep He doth us take.
O enter then His gates with praise,
Approach with joy His courts unto ;
Praise, laud, and bless His name always,
For it is seemly so to do.
For why the Lord our God is good ;
His mercy is for ever sure ;
His truth at all times firmly stood,
And shall from age to age endure.

Ecclesiasticus 44

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES,
K.G., K.T., G.C.B.

Psalm 23 (Tune Crimond)

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want.
He makes me down to lie
In pastures green; he leadeth me
The quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again ;
And me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness,
Ev'n for his own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,
Yet will I fear none ill :
For thou art with me ; and thy rod
And staff me comfort still.

My table thou hast furnished
In presence of my foes ;
My head thou dost with oil anoint,
And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life
Shall surely follow me :
And in God's house for evermore
My dwelling place shall be.

Readings and The Address

Prayers: The Lord's Prayer

Hymn "Now thank we all our God"

Now thank we all our God,
With heart and hand and voices,
Who wondrous things hath done,
In whom His world rejoices—
Who, from our mother's arms,
Hath blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love,
And still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God
Through all our life be near us,
With ever-joyful hearts
And blessed peace to cheer us,
And keep us in His grace,
And guide us when perplexed,
And free us from all ills
In this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God
The Father now be given,
The Son, and Him who reigns
With Them in highest heaven—
The One, Eternal God,
Whom earth and heaven adore ;
For thus it was, is now,
And shall be evermore.

The Benediction

This Service accords with the expressed wishes of
Sir Robert Menzies and his family.

A private family service will follow at
Springvale Crematorium.