



On behalf of Vaughan's family we thank you for your love, support and attendance today. You are warmly invited to remain here for light refreshments.

In honour of Vaughan please consider donating to St John Ambulance, donations may be left at the service.

As a lasting tribute please leave a message or memory in the Memorial Book.

In the care of the Waterson's team
 **waterson&boyd**
FUNERAL SERVICES

VAUGHAN STEVEN HUGHES

9 DECEMBER 1980 | 16 AUGUST 2024



CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF VAUGHAN

Held in the Te Aroha RSA
Saturday, 24 August 2024, at 1pm
Celebrant: Barbara Miles

ORDER OF SERVICE

PROCESSIONAL

Don't Cry – Guns n Roses

READING

A Fabricator Welder

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

Bo & Kobe Hughes

WELCOME

EULOGY

Paul Tilsley

PHOTOGRAPHIC MEMORIES

FAMILY TRIBUTES

Kristy Williams
Michelle Mace

OPEN TRIBUTES

REFLECTION

COMMITTAL

AIMEE'S TRIBUTE

Read By Karen Williams

RECESSIONAL

Songbird – Fleetwood Mac

A FABRICATOR WELDER

Do you think we make too much money,
We guys who burn the rod
Then listen to a few facts of the trade
And you'll change your mind, by gee
Welding's not like common labour
It cannot be learned in a day.

It is an art that's damn hard to master, why shouldn't it get good pay.
Try wrapping yourself in leather, on a day that's hotter than hell.
Cover your head with a helmet. Crawl in a hole to make a weld.
Let the sparks from the melting rod burn you from head to foot.
Breathe the fumes from the coated rod that is nothing but dirty soot.
Soak in the rays from the electric arc, It's just like too much violet ray.
Then try to do your family chores
At the end of a long hard day.
Go to the doctor for an exam.
Here's what his verdict will be.
Your eyes can't last many years, my man, and your lungs look like TB
So we've got to make it while we can.
Every dime we get we earn.
And the guy who thinks we have it soft, has a hell'uva lot to learn.

PALLBEARERS IN

Dylan Roach
Grant Williams
John Buckton
Tony Vincent
Paul Tilsley
Mark Odlum

PALLBEARERS OUT

Dylan Roach
Grant Williams
Bruce Perkinson
Cameron Laimbeer
Jacob Tilsley
Seth Tilsley