

***IN LOVING MEMORY OF
SHIRLEY CARMEN CRAIG
1930 – 2005
MISS YOU FOREVER
JIM AND FAMILY***



Shirley was born on 29/6/30 at Evan St Balmain and was one of 5 children. She met Jim and married him on the 7th of March 1949 and they had 4 children. They moved to Ashcroft in 1961 and remained there until her passing on the 4/6/05. Shirley had a heart of gold as she was always putting others before herself and not once did we hear her complain why me. Shirley was as tough as they come, 2 years ago she beat bowel cancer, pneumonia and golden staph all within 8 weeks of each other. Unfortunately, Shirley succumbed to liver cancer, fighting once again to the very end. She was our mum in a million.

*When God was making mothers
As far as I can see
He spent a lot of time on one
And saved the other for me
He made a perfect women
Compassionate and kind
With more patience and affection
Than you could hope to find
He gave this lovely lady
A heart of solid gold
And after God had finished
He must have broke the mould*

I am home in heaven dear ones, Oh so happy and so bright, There is a perfect joy and beauty.

*In this everlasting light, all the pain and grief is over
Every restless tossing passed
I am now at peace forever
Safely home in heaven at last
You must not grieve so sorely
For I love you dearly still
Try to look beyond the shadows
Pray to trust our fathers will
There is work still waiting for you
So you must not idly stand
Do it now while life remains
While I rest in Jesus land*