

About Me For Me

ABOUT ME:

When were you born?

Where were you born?

What do you know of your early childhood?

Who brought you up?

What is your earliest memory?

Name the important milestones in your life. Describe them in chronological order.

How is your life now?

FOR ME:

Family members and next of kin.

Local Doctor

Specialists – eye doctor, dentist etc

Lawyer if any

Driver's Licence Number. Passport Number

Other details.

I was born on the night of Halloween – October 31st 1948

It turns out that my mother didn't make it to a hospital ,so I was born on the back seat of a car,in outback Western Australia.My Dad was a GP and his name is on my Birth Certificate as the Doctor who assisted with my birth.

I was born just after the end of the Second World War,and at age 1 we all moved to Melbourne,and I grew up here from 1949.We lived in a nice house until I was in 2nd Grade at Deepdene State School,then we moved,and we lived in this house until I got married,in 1975.

I was brought up in my fami ly with my Mum and Dad and an elder brother and sister. - both are still alive and well,but my Mum and Dad have passed away. After my Dad died,my mum remarried – in her 60's – so I had a step-father – who also died before my Mum did.

It seems I spent several days in hospital after my birth,and apart from the normal growing up milestones such as getting teeth,crawling,walking, I didn't talk until I was 3.But I went to school (walked to and from school every day for 6 years,then road my bike to secondary school for 6 years) with my sister,then secondary school by myself.I started at Melbourne University in 1967,and met Val in 1973 and we have now been married since 1975,with 4 children.The most recent milestone I reached was retirement in 2016.

Life now is very easy – we have grandchildren,and can go on holidays without having to apply. Although I still pay tax,I was given a Seniors Card by the Government,so travel is cheap.