Funeral Prayers for

Alberto Aiello

26.5.1943 - 4.10.2020

My beautiful Daddy!

I wasn't ready to say goodbye, you were gone too soon without a sign and I don't know how I'm going to live without you by my side.

No words can explain the way I am missing you and the emptiness I'm feeling inside.

I wish you could come back, so I could talk to you one more time and you could plant that little fig tree you couldn't wait to bring to me.

You really were a gift from God, you were faultless and touched so many hearts. You had a heart so pure and as big as this world You taught me how to love by giving the best of who you are always, without want and without need. Without you I wouldn't be who I am or where I am today.

As I laid next to you on the floor my head on the pillow next to yours, I thanked you for being my best man!

For walking with me through my hardest times, for giving me hope when I thought there was none.

I will never forget the sacrifices you made for all of us.

I only hope you are as proud of me as I am so proud of you

I loved you everyday and I will miss you everyday.

You are
My protector
My hero
My strength
My heart, my soul
My today
My tomorrow
My forever
You are My world

I used to be your angel and now you are mine. And I will always be your little girl!

Funeral Prayers held at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church, Inverloch Tuesday 13th October, 2020 - 2.00pm Father Manny Lomagno

ORDER OF SERVICE

Entrance Hymn: 'Here I am Lord' - John Michael Talbot

Introduction: Fr. Manny Lomagno

Opening Prayer: Fr. Manny Lomagno

Into your hands, O Lord, we humbly entrust our brother Alberto. In this life you embraced him with your tender love; deliver him now from every evil and bid him enter eternal rest. The old order has passed away: welcome him then into paradise, where there will be no sorrow, no weeping nor pain, but the fullness of peace and joy with your Son and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever.

All: Amen

Eulogy: Joseph Aiello (son) & James Gentile (on behalf of grandchildren)

DVD PRESENTATION: 'O sole mio' & 'Nessum Dorma'- Luciano Pavarotti

Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:14-5:1 - read by James Gentile

We know that he who raised the Lord Jesus to life will raise us with Jesus in our turn, and put us by his side and you with us. You see, all this is for your benefit, so that the more grace is multiplied among people, the more thanksgiving there will be, to the glory of God.

That is why there is no weakening on our part, and instead, though this outer man of ours may be falling into decay, the inner man is renewed day by day. Yes the troubles which are soon over, though they weigh little, train us for the carrying of a weight of eternal glory which is out of all proportion to them. And so we have no eyes for things that are visible, but only for things that are invisible; for visible things last only for a time, and the invisible things are eternal.

For we know that when the tent that we live in on earth is folded up, there is a house built by God for us, an everlasting home not made by human hands, in the heavens.

The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm: read by Natalie Gentile Response: To you, O Lord, I lift my soul. (R) Remember your mercy, Lord, and love you have shown from of old. In your love remember me, because of your goodness, O Lord. (R)

Relieve the anguish of my heart and set me free from my distress. See my affliction and my toil and take all my sins away. **(R)**

Preserve my life and rescue me. Do not disappoint me, you are my refuge. May innocence and uprightness protect me: for my hope is in you, O Lord. **(R)**

Gospel Acclamation: (ALL)

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David! Alleluia!

Gospel: Fr. Manny Lomagno

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew 25:31-46

Jesus said to his disciples: 'When the Son of Man comes in his glory, escorted by all the angels, then he will take his seat on his throne of glory. All the nations will be assembled before him and he will separate men one from another as the shepherd separates sheep from goats. He

will place the sheep on his right hand and the goats on his left. Then the King will say to those on his right hand, "Come, you whom my Father has blessed, take for your heritage the kingdom prepared for you since the foundation of the world. For I was hungry and you gave me food; I was thirsty and you gave me drink; I was a stranger and you made me welcome; naked and you clothed me, sick and you visited me, in prison and you came to see me."

Then the virtuous will say to him in reply, "Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you; or thirsty and give you drink? When did we see you a stranger and make you welcome; naked and clothe you; sick or in prison and go to see you?"

And the King will answer, "I tell you solemnly, in so far as you did this to one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did it to me."

Next he will say to those on his left hand, "Go away from me, with your curse upon you, to the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels.

For I was hungry and you never gave me food; I was thirsty and you never gave me anything to drink; I was a stranger and you never made me welcome, naked and you never clothed me, sick and in prison and you never visited me."

Then it will be their turn to ask, "Lord when did we see you hungry or thirsty, a stranger or naked, sick or in prison, and did not come to your help?"

Then he will answer, "I tell you solemnly, in so far as you neglected to do this to one of the least of these, you neglected to do it to me." And they will go away to eternal punishment, and the virtuous to eternal life. The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Homily: Fr. Manny Lomagno

Prayers of the Faithful:

Introduction: Fr. Manny Lomagno

God, the Almighty Father raised Jesus His Son from the dead. With confidence we ask him to save all his people, living and dead. Rosanna MacNicol - That God will receive our praise and thanksgiving for the life of Alberto. We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord hear our prayer

Rosanna - That all of us, Alberto's family and friends, may be comforted in our grief. We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord hear our prayer

Madison MacNicol - For us the Church, that we may prepare worthily for the hour of our death, when God will call us by name to pass from this world to the next. We pray to the Lord

All: Lord hear our prayer

Madison - Many friends and members of our families have gone before us and await the kingdom. May God grant them an everlasting home with Christ. We pray to the Lord

All: Lord hear our prayer

Conclusion: Fr. Manny Lomagno

God, our shelter and our strength, you listen in love to the cry of your people: hear the prayers we offer for our departed brothers and sisters. Cleanse them of their sins and grant them the fulness of redemption. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Final Commendation: Father Manny Lomagno

Prayer of Farewell:

ALL: Response: Receive his soul and present him to God the Most High.

Saints of God, come to his aid! Hasten to meet him, angels of the Lord! (R)

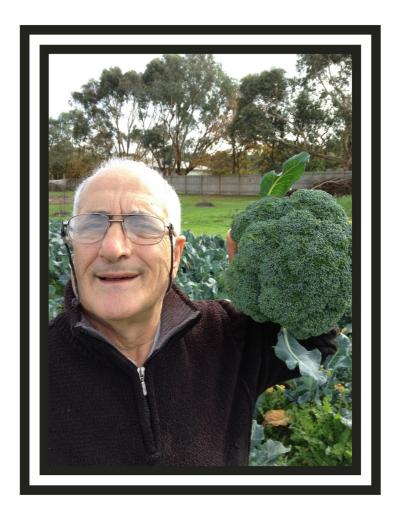
May Christ, who called you, take you to himself; may angels lead you to Mary and Joseph. (R)

Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. (R)

THE LORDS PRAYER: (ALL)
All: Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Final Blessing: Father Manny Lomagno

Recessional: 'Torna a Surriento' (Return to Sorrento) - Luciano Pavarotti



AIELLO - Alberto

Born at Sorrento, Italy on May 26, 1943

Passed away at Inverloch on October 4, 2020

Beloved husband of Josette.

Loved and loving Dad and father-in-law of

Joseph & Renee, and Rosanna.

Adored Nonno to James, Natalie, Madison and Bailey.

Forever in our Hearts

