Leonard Francis Hanratty

(Len)

30 December, 1922 – 25 July, 2010

Len Hanratty was born in Rozelle, NSW, Australia and died at St Leonards, NSW, from heart failure aged 87 years.

He was the sweetest companion of Ethel, his wife of 51 years, and a kind and loving father to Narelle and her siblings.

Len lived a full and happy life. He'd been a ballroom dancer and pigeon racer in his earlier years, a golfer and snooker champion in later years. He grew roses and vegetables, and his annual harvest of tomatoes at Christmas time was famous. For more than 80 years, he fished the waterways of Sydney Harbour and Broken Bay, communing with the moon and the tides in the search of his beloved bream and flathead.

He was a man who loved life and all its creatures. A man who brought joy to all around him