



## Mr. Yue-Yan Chan

November 1, 1944 - October 20, 2024

Mr. Yue-Yan Chan Passed away peacefully on the 20th October, 2024.

Beloved Husband of Polly,

Adored Father of Jing-ting (敬亭) & Jing-Xuan (敬璿),

Loved Father-in-Law of Kevin Smith,

Cherished Grandfather of Max & Harry Smith.

Aged 79 Years. Will be sadly missed and forever in our hearts.

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Should any family and friends would like to send their condolences through floral tributes, the family has selected the \$150+GST Floor Arrangement, the colour theme has already been selected as white, yellow and pink.

Please contact Quay Moments to order flowers at 02 7255 7028 or through email at [hello@quaymoments.com.au](mailto:hello@quaymoments.com.au)

Deadline: Wednesday, 23/10/2024 9am

The family has organised coach service to transport any family and friends

who wish to travel together. The coach will leave Living Stone Evangelical Free Church of Australia Pennant Hills at 11:30am. Please arrive 15 minutes prior.

At the conclusion of the burial service, the family would like to express their gratitude and sincerely invite all families and friends to gather for light refreshments at the Lorikeet Room.

# Cemetery Details

## Frenchs Forest Bushland Cemetery

1 Hakea Avenue  
Davidson, 2085 (AU)

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

OCT **24**. 1:00 PM - 1:45 PM (AEST)

Frenchs Forest Bushland Cemetery (Lorikeet room)  
1 Hakea Ave,  
Davidson, NSW 2085 (AU)

## Burial Service

OCT **24**. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (AEST)

Frenchs Forest Bushland Cemetery  
1 Hakea Avenue  
Davidson, 2085 (AU)

## Funeral Wake

OCT **24**. 2:30 PM (AEST)

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# Tribute Wall

GM

“ Yue-Yan Chan passed away peacefully in his sleep. Calm, brave and kind. He lived in a short and fulfilling life touching many people in the Cherrybrook Chinese Community and the local high school who will not forget him. A real gentleman with a soft spoken voice and a sound knowledge of Chinese history, poetry and the language. We will miss you YY as a good friend and also miss your jokes over dinner table. Loved by all.

Susan & Gary Ma

Gary Ma - October 25, 2024 at 09:31 PM

RC

“ 閱讀先三兄生平述史，確令我眾肅然起敬。窮其一生，他悉心培育莘莘學子之德智，以及致力傳揚中國文化和促進社區共融，冀達致世界和平。他熱衷工作，默默耕耘，非為一己之名利，却本着“非以役人，乃役於人”之理念，竭力服務世眾，共創美好明天。正是彰顯“功成不必在我，功成必定有我”之境界。

我敬重的三哥哥，爾乃變和堂之光。妹深以為敬。

八妹 敬悼

Ruby Claire CHAN - October 24, 2024 at 11:11 PM

AR

“ 敬愛的三舅父，

自小到大你是個幽默風趣的舅父，精于数学(特別小時候最喜歡教我邏輯)，熱衷於國學(書法，詩詞文學，紫微斗數等等)，小時候的暑假帶我們去飲茶和玩樂，到你家作客，長大後到澳洲出差旅行，同樣照顧有加；感謝您的關懷和教導，以往相處的回憶和教導永存心中。

甥 子恒

Arthur - October 24, 2024 at 11:02 AM

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送陈老师

手端紫砂授算术，挥毫泼墨传华文。  
如影随形恋贤妇，父爱温暖护家人。  
樱桃小溪涓涓汇，灼灼贡献不求闻。  
天父眷你赴天国，亲情恋君情不分。  
野凡敬上

野凡 - October 24, 2024 at 07:56 PM

TC

“親愛的三舅公，  
從剛來澳洲讀書，不時到悉尼借宿，到結婚的時候把**bow tie**結上，匆匆十六年，見證了我們一家的相識到結婚生子。  
感激有你的照顧。

*Rest in peace.*

*We will always carry your memory in our hearts.*

*Tim, Daisy and Aaron*

Tim Chang - October 24, 2024 at 08:58 AM

JQ

“Very sad to hear the sudden passing of Yue Yan. He was a true gentleman and scholar. We were colleagues for many years. Condolences and sympathies to Polly and family. RIP  
*Jonathan Quan*

Jonathan Quan - October 24, 2024 at 03:01 AM

CA

“ 敬愛的三叔，  
您學貫中西，熱愛教育，春風化雨，桃李滿門。知姪對中國文化的興趣，每當回港時，也必抽空和我暢談老莊，孔孟，孫子等學說。使我有更深體會，終身受用。另又送我兩幅墨寶，均放在家中。

睹物思人，永遠懷念！

姪

永康

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cary - October 23, 2024 at 08:58 PM



“ Best teacher ever, RIP 🕯️



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Chen Pan - October 23, 2024 at 08:31 PM

PC

“ 敬愛的三叔：  
不知為何小時的我總覺得你非常嚴肅。長大後，才發現你有活潑、幽默的一面。你辦事認真，凡事親力親為，特別是整理族譜、在國內安排興建學校的事宜，真令人敬佩。自移居加拿大後，跟你見面的機會已是甚少。如今，只好等待他日在天鄉再聚。

永遠懷念！

姪女

沛棻

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Patsy Chan - October 23, 2024 at 10:56 AM

LH

敬愛的班長，一路走好！ Polly 保重。  
理光

Li kuang Han - October 23, 2024 at 07:34 PM

LH



Li kuang Han - October 23, 2024 at 07:34 PM

CK

“永別三叔：

您的笑聲、鄉音猶在耳邊，不料想已然訣別！

佩服您的中華文化造詣。記得您澳洲家中書房隨手拿出一本《古文觀止》，對其中某段落的典故就娓娓道來10多分鐘，生動有趣，至今記憶深刻。

感念您的鄉梓情深，不辭勞苦多番探訪、資助國內貧困地區學校。奔波之餘還編出了詳細的陳家族譜。

多謝您對侄孫昱同的照顧、教導！

永遠懷念您！願安息！

侄永鈞

2024年10月23日於佛山

CHAN Wing Kwan - October 23, 2024 at 10:32 AM

ZR

“ 永远怀念三叔对子侄的关怀，感恩昱同在澳洲时对他的教导与帮助。

永远对三叔虽身在海外，仍不辍传扬中华文化心怀敬意。

永远感念三叔心系桑梓，对大陆捐资助学的拳拳爱国之心。

愿安息。

侄媳妇 润晶敬上



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Zhang Runjing - October 23, 2024 at 09:36 AM

JC

“ 親愛的三舅父：

還記得你和三妗母新婚不久，就讓我到你們在西灣河的新居歡渡一宵，又帶我去灣仔飲茶。90年代當我和新安移民澳洲時，你和三妗母成了我們在異地適應的「盲公竹」；當大兒子赴澳洲留學，其後留下來工作至今，你們仍是那樣關顧他，不時叫他來你家，做美味中國菜給這個遊子，讓他感受到暖暖的親情。無言感激！

這幾年，看著你的身體狀況，心裡總是念掛！

今天別了，固然不捨，但我知道，他日天家必再聚！

子慧，新安

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JCW Chang - October 23, 2024 at 09:09 AM

AT

“ Farewell, 姨丈, we are saddened to hear of your passing. We have many fond memories of spending time with you, 姨媽, JT, and JX. May you rest in peace. Your memory will always live on in our hearts.

Adrienne, Bianca, and Colin Tse - October 23, 2024 at 08:50 AM

SK

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss. Our heartfelt condolences to the Chan's family.

We'll remember you, YY, a true community leader, who had served his community in full capacity with a smiling face.



Stella and James Kok - October 23, 2024 at 04:35 AM

YC

“ Farewell to dear Brother 3  
~ A very filial and caring son as well as a loving brother ~  
It hurts so much you're gone. I'm deeply grateful for having shared happy or sorrowful moments together among siblings upon mutual support.  
You will always hold a special place in my heart.  
Love, Sister 4



Y Y CHAN - October 23, 2024 at 04:24 AM

JL

“ Dear YY

*It is sad to see you go. You have done and contributed so much to the community and our Cherrybrook Chinese Community Association.*

*RIP*

*Kevin and Jenny Lau*

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**Jenny Lau** - October 23, 2024 at 12:48 AM

JC

“ 摯愛三兄:

*別矣! 懷緬與您及八妹仨人每相逢就手握手合照的歲月。哀悲今春一別竟成永別!*

*手足濃情永難忘, 長銘心版!*

*七妹*

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**Josephine Y C CHAN** - October 22, 2024 at 11:31 PM

CC

“ Granduncle,

*Having dinner at your home, playing 'Tianjiu pai' with you....*

*so many wonderful memories.*

*Rest in peace*



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**Caleb Chang** - October 22, 2024 at 09:12 PM

CW

“ 2024年10月20日，痛失師兄，人在旅途悲慟不已！遺憾今未能為師兄送一程，唯願師兄安息，一路走好，天堂不再有病痛，繼續揮毫吟詩作對🙏🙏🙏  
吳曉雲敬輓

Cindy Wu - October 22, 2024 at 07:05 PM



“ 親愛的三舅父  
從你自澳洲學成回港工作，至今我們已相識差不多半個世紀。  
還記得你初回港時在中學任教，帶我們兄弟姊妹去參觀學校；在你結婚前在鰂魚涌的新居，請我和子恒去住宿一宵，教我們吟詩作對；我到法國工作時，特地送給我紫砂功夫茶具；我和家寶結婚時送給我們中式書桌；我們移民澳洲時，你和三舅母的各樣幫助和照顧；及後三個兒子回澳洲讀高中和大學，你每每邀請他們到你家吃飯和耍樂，更常提點他們生活和學習安排；近年來你弄孫為樂，每次到澳洲探望你時，多見你笑逐顏開，能三代同堂，稱心滿意。這些片段，雖經歷了五拾個寒暑，但亦記憶尤新。  
你的離去，在人當然有不捨之情，但知道有一天將會在天家再聚，那時再沒痛苦和哭號，只有歡笑和喜樂，心中便有些開懷。  
為你能釋去世上一切勞苦，現在神的懷抱中，享受這份平安和寧靜，我們在夫家再聚，阿門。  
外甥子惇上  
2024年10月23日書於馬來西亞吉隆坡

Ir Chang - October 22, 2024 at 01:50 PM

IC

「夫家」是「天家」才對

Ir Chang - October 23, 2024 at 12:30 AM

AC

“ 尊敬的三叔永別了!

三叔為人隨和，平易近人，和先嚴家慈亦甚投緣，對子侄亦關心。雖放洋留學，但詩詞書法，無一不精。尤記得四十多年前宴會中，閒談間提到不到詩體，出了一起上聯：「呼婦負夫夫苦婦」，席間無人能對，令我記憶至今。

今年三月，三叔才回港拜先父，不料竟成永訣。

侄 永昌

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**Alex Chan** - October 22, 2024 at 12:33 PM

PC

“ Dear Yue Yan,

*You left us without a word. How sad we are! I treasured the days we two together alone these few weeks. We shared our happiness and sadness, ups and downs.*

*All of a sudden, you were unconscious and passed away silently. Hope you are happy and peaceful now.*

*You are always in my heart!*

*Sister 5*

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**Pauline Y Y CHAN** - October 22, 2024 at 08:31 AM

PC

*"ae" be amended to read "we"*

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**Pauline Y Y CHAN** - October 22, 2024 at 08:35 AM

KL

“舅老爺博古通今，也願意將知識與後輩分享，我也有幸蒙他分享一點心得，記得他還錄影了一段《三字經》給孫兒學習呢！感恩今年能見證舅老爺受洗歸入基督，深信將來必能在天家重聚。



**Ka Po Leung** - October 22, 2024 at 05:43 AM

GC

“舅公，遠離香港的家到此升學，感謝有您的關懷愛護還記得你做的 [砸魚]，美味非常。今天短暫分別，他日天家再見。

**Gabriel Chang**



**Gabriel Yan Chu Chang** - October 22, 2024 at 05:05 AM

SL

“*Simon Lee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Yue-Yan Chan*



**Simon Lee** - October 22, 2024 at 04:42 AM

AC

“*Alfred Chow lit a candle in memory of Mr. Yue-Yan Chan*



**Alfred Chow** - October 22, 2024 at 03:19 AM

AC

*YY has always been a light of my life, since early secondary! Other than Maths, Astronomy has been a gift YY has offered during the spare time of his lessons. He inspired my journey of loving astronomy by reading books, star & galaxy observations, and later into some astrophotography. And his teaching, and therefore his light, was also passed to my son and my family.*

**Alfred Chow** - October 22, 2024 at 03:30 AM

JC

“ *Jimmy Chow lit a candle in memory of Mr. Yue-Yan Chan*



**Jimmy Chow** - October 22, 2024 at 03:01 AM

TW

“ *Tommy Wan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Yue-Yan Chan*



**Tommy Wan** - October 22, 2024 at 12:43 AM

TW

“ *Tommy Wan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Yue-Yan Chan*



**Tommy Wan** - October 22, 2024 at 12:42 AM

TW

*Sir Y Y,  
Although you taught me not too long in my secondary education, you are my longest contacts amongst the others. Thank you for your different style of teaching to raise me up.  
Rest in Peace.*

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**Tommy Wan** - October 22, 2024 at 12:57 AM

EC

“ *Some people say the most valuable antique is an old friend. Good Bye. RIP.*

*Eugene Cheung*

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**Eugene Cheung** - October 21, 2024 at 08:32 PM

PS

“ *My deepest condolences.  
Mr Chan was not just a teacher to me, but a true mentor and guide who had shaped my life in countless ways. His wisdom and kindness have left an indelible mark in my heart. The life lessons he had taught me will forever be remembered. Rest in Peace.*

*Patrick*

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**Patrick Shen** - October 21, 2024 at 06:20 PM

MK

*Yue-Yan was a deep friend of mine. He was very skilled at many things. He was modest and a very caring teacher who really enjoyed the beauty of maths. He had deep integrity and loved his family*

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**Michael Kennedy** - October 21, 2024 at 06:39 PM

JA

Extending my deepest sympathies for the loss of the whole Chan's family(my employer's siblings) know that my thoughts and prayer are with you and your family at this sorrowful time,,, THANK YOU SO MUCH MR.CHAN YOUR KINDNESS AND GENEROSITY to me everytime to came here in hk 🙏🙏🙏 your always in our hearts❤️ Rest in Peace 🙏

janemadayag - October 21, 2024 at 10:36 PM

AC

三叔陳裕炘辭世

敬愛的裕炘三叔父

自我年少之時，叔父已赴洋求學。雖相隔迢迢，仍間有通訊。每每接來信，字裏行間皆感叔父之親切關懷，及用心教導，實受教不淺，亦成為我處世的榜樣。

及後叔父返港執教鞭，相聚較頻。叔父對國學詩賦，倫理之道的深度認識及不懈追求，令我深受啟發，並勤於學習。

叔父後舉家遷澳洲定居及工作，對國粹書法專心研習。在澳洲，香港及中國內地皆時有作品展出，成績斐然。

叔父一生為人正直，好禮，慎言，然笑容可恭，談吐時帶幽默。教學多年，桃李天下，深受學生之愛帶和敬仰，亦為澳港兩地之教育事業貢獻良多。

叔父亦建立了一個溫馨，融洽，及相互守望的模範家庭，令人羨慕。

今叔父雖歸塵土，然音容將永留我等心間。

願叔父主懷安息。

侄

永堅

二零二四年十月廿四日。

Alfred Chan - October 21, 2024 at 11:23 PM

CF

“ 親愛的三表叔：

主懷安息

願你在天國一切安好

愷嫻、愷娟、愷姬、廣雄、愷嫻

敬上 🙏🙏🙏

Chan's Family - October 21, 2024 at 11:11 AM

LC

“ 敬愛的老師，  
永遠懷念您！一路好走🙏🙏🙏🌸  
我們的相識緣於一份星島日報(海外版)，是上天賜與的緣份！在香港  
相見後一見如故！亦師亦友！  
我們每次在香港、廣州、澳洲相聚...開心的時刻永記心中(輯錄在2視  
頻)！再次多謝您送給我們的墨寶！  
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潔儀、潔瑜、潔慧



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**Linda Chow** - October 21, 2024 at 11:06 AM

RC

*I am deeply touched by such a true friendship shown by Chow's sisters to my dear Brother 3. When reading your messages , I continuously cried. My heartfelt appreciation to you all!*

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**Ruby Claire CHAN** - October 21, 2024 at 07:19 PM

LC

*Dear Ruby,  
Take good care too.  
Please keep in touch. Have yum cha together later then.*

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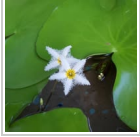
**Linda Chow** - October 22, 2024 at 12:16 AM

RC

*Millions of thanks for your kind concern Linda!*

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**Ruby Claire CHAN** - October 22, 2024 at 07:58 AM



“ *May the love which comes from the memories of the dearly departed comfort you now and in the days ahead.*

*May Uncle Chan Yue Yan rest in peace. We are sharing in your sorrow*  
from 廣雄, 愷康, 愷娟, 愷姬, 愷嫻



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**Apple Chan** - October 21, 2024 at 10:42 AM

DL

“ *To my brother in law, you lived a great life and have a loving family. I treasured our times together and will always be in my memories.*

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**David Lee** - October 21, 2024 at 08:28 AM

JC

“ 摯愛三弟:  
雁行失序  
祈願吾弟主懷安息  
六姊(八妹代筆)

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**Jeanne P Y O CHAN** - October 21, 2024 at 07:59 AM

GT

“ *Our deepest condolences to Aunt Polly , Jing Ting & Jing Xuan. Uncle was a gentleman with grace & knowledge, & he will be greatly missed.*

*歲月流轉，哀思不減，愿逝者安息，生者堅強，繼續前行。*

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**Georgiana Tang** - October 21, 2024 at 07:14 AM

KC

“ *My deepest condolences to you and family. Mr Chan is not the best teacher but great mentor to all of us from Epping Boys High School. May you rest in peace, Mr Chan*

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**Kevin Cheng** - October 21, 2024 at 05:59 AM

EF

“ *Dear Chan Family. I am saddened to hear of the passing of Yue-Yan. He was a true gentleman and scholar and will be remembered fondly by his fellow teachers at Epping Boys HS and his former students. May he rest in peace. Deepest sympathy from Elizabeth Florek.*

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**Elizabeth Florek** - October 21, 2024 at 05:49 AM

RC

“ *May dear Brother 3 rest in peace ~ gone but never forgotten, always in our hearts ! Sister 8*  
*別矣，永難忘！常銘心版！*

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**Ruby Claire CHAN** - October 21, 2024 at 03:19 AM