

# Lynda Grant

Archive, Assisting Me in the Office & Volunteer Usher



My family comes from the Western District of Victoria. I have 2 brothers, one either side, I went to state school at Dundonell, now boast a wind farm, also went to Derrinallum High School. Upon finishing High School, I went to Emily McPherson College in Melbourne in my last year it amalgamated into R.M.I.T, I graduated with a Diploma of Art (Fashion). After working for Sarnie of Melbourne for a couple of years, I then decided to travel, which became an adventure of a lifetime! I travelled through Africa from South Africa up the east coast across and up to Morocco in the company of 20 other people lining in a tent and travelling in a truck.

Upon arriving in England, I then went up to Scotland and worked in a hotel of a couple of months, travelled extensively through Europe many times. I worked in the clothing industry in London just off Oxford Circuit as a Pattern Maker for a number of years. I then got a job working for a Big Mail Order Company in Hong Kong for a number of years. I travelled backwards and forwards between London & Hong Kong & loved every minute of it.

After being away for over eleven & half years, I decided it was time to come home. I sold my flat in London and bought a farm in Dunnstown. I also had a job in Melbourne, I worked for Toronto which was a division of Pelaco and travelled up & down for many years.

After finishing working in Melbourne and requiring a shoulder operation, I decided to volunteer work with Royal South Street Archive Team. I didn't know what I was typing about with all the different section to Calisthenics, so I decided to volunteer through competition and have been ever since. I do a lot to help Julie out and try to make her life easier during the competition, hopefully I achieve that rather than annoy her.

Let's hope for a better happier 2021 for RSSS.

\*\* I can tell you that Lynda helps me a lot through the year, & even came to my home in 2020 to help me, which I am grateful for.