

Kevin (Doug) Curtin
22/02/1932 – 14/08/2024
Roll No.50



Doug was a quiet man. He had been ill for some time and died at home aged 92 on the 14th August. He is greatly missed.

Doug worked on Burns Philp vessels for many years as a Radio Officer. After leaving the sea Doug went to work for the ABC and produced the television pictures we enjoyed on a daily basis. He was responsible for ABC's connection to the American link for the Moon Walk in 1969, a tricky thing to achieve at the time as the Americans used a different technical system.

After leaving the ABC he worked for a time in the State's Court System. He was then asked to build and fit out Ten's technical building, which he enjoyed.

Doug was a homebody and enjoyed doing the lawns and general maintenance. He enjoyed his annual day out on the harbour with the Ancient Mariners meeting old and new friends. He was also a member of the Merchant Navy Association and an Affiliate Member of the Merchant Navy RSL Sub Branch.

Doug and his wife Janette had two boys, sadly their eldest passed away last year due to cancer.

Thank you to Janette for the above Information.