

Memories of Brother Raymond McKeowan C.Ss.R

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Brother Raymond McKeowan, he died in 1996 in Dundee and was a member of the Perth community and is buried in the garden cemetery in Perth.

In the 1980s Raymond developed a bad heart and was under medication, constant medication. At the same time someone joined the community at Perth to help with the work of the community but had been all her life up to that point a practising nurse. She was worried about Raymond and his medication because when there was a glass of wine at dinner Raymond would take two or three glasses without any worry, and she realised that he should not be taking any drink at all with that medication. She had to work with Raymond and Raymond said “oh no the Dr told me not to drink while I was having this medication” and she said “well I see you having two or three glasses of wine”. “Ah yes” he said “but when I know I am going to have a drink I don’t have any tablets that day, so I am OK.”