

November 2, 1996

Ron Baker

Dear Ron, Jenne and Family,

This will be a short note just to let you know how much we appreciate having you with us in Corpus Christie this past month. It seems that if you or Arthur (the good looking Aussie) are not in attendance a big part of our reunion is missing!

Here is the latest in video production direct to you from Corpus! As you can tell it did not come from Hollywood, but we learn to make do with what we have, and the labor is not as costly. Hope you want have too much trouble in getting it converted to your system.

As you may recall you gave the "Ode" at our Saturday night dinner. As stated we would like to use all or part of it in our ceremony also, so if you would be so kind to write it down for me I would appreciate it very much. It says so much in a short time. "Thanks"

I just yesterday picked up the photos that Ken took on Saturday night for me to put our yearbook together. So my project should get underway soon.

If you would be so kind and report to Captain Swan what we discussed in our business meeting. We will try to get the minutes prepared and sent out within the next two or three months. I will also send copies of the yearbook at the same time.

Sylvia wanted me to again thank you for the neckerchief and the belt buckle. It was such a nice thing for you to do. Hopefully we can repay the kindness.

Please express my personal wishes to the HMAS Melbourne Association and all our friends and shipmates and know that you are all enjoying good health.

Sincerely

J. C. Campbell, President  
U.S.S. Frank E. Evans Association