

1968 - 2008

40th Anniversary of the death of members of The Liverpool Catholic Ramblers' Association killed in an aircrash on 9th August 1968.

he picture on the front cover is an original design of a woodcut onceived by artist Erika Muller after witnessing the crash. he dedicated the first 48 prints to the relatives of the dead.

They are remembered with love and great affection. We have all aged, but to us the girls will remain forever happy, energetic young ladies.

They were such characters – each one full of fun and enthusiasm. Their kind, caring natures made them exceptional individuals and it was our good fortune to have known them.

Their lives may have been short, but they were lives filled with the joy and laughter good friendship brings.

The Staunton and Hall families from Liverpool and the rest of the 48 victims of the crash should not be forgotten at this time.

God bless them all and grant them eternal peace.



Jean Baxter Age 24



Barbara O'Keefe Age 25



Mary Byron Age 25



Irene Rawlinson Age 23



Valerie Humphreys Age 22



Monica Hanna Age 25



Maureen McLindon Age 20



Mary Fletcher Age 25



For the past 40 years a memorial plot dedicated to the crash victims has been lovingly tended by Frau Betty Reith in Langenbruck (site of the crash), and a mass was held there on 9th August 2008, marking the 40th anniversary.

From quiet homes and first beginnings out to the undiscovered ends. There's nothing worth the wear of winning but laughter and the love of friends. Hilaire Belloc.