

# Valentine's Day 2011

## Participants

## Service

## Reuniting Cissy & Ray

The Crown Island Jazz Band (founded 2002 by residents of Coronado). Band members include: Hans Gunder, Reeds; Bob Maddalena, Trumpet; Allan LaMotte, Trombone; Janed Guymon Casady, Piano & Keyboard; Jim Goodwin, Banjo, John Palmer, Tuba; Bob Constantine, Drums.

Procession music  
"When The Saints Go Marching In" (Pressley & Stamps '37)

Welcome Chandler Fans

Loren Latker, Shamus Town Web Site

"I'll Fly Away" (Albert E. Brumley, '29)

Welcome to San Diego

Ann Lipscomb Hill, San Diego Historical Society

"Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee"

(Ludwig Van Beethoven's "Ode To Joy")

Welcome Lovers

Dr. Annie Thiel-Latker

"Amazing Grace" (Newton & Excell)

Raymond Chandler

Powers Boothe AKA Philip Marlowe

Cissy and Ray, readings from "The Long Embrace"

Judith Freeman

Service by Randal Gardner

Rector, St. James by-the-Sea Episcopal Church, La Jolla CA

"Just A Closer Walk With Thee" (Unknown)

Music by Crown Island Jazz Band

Loren Latker, Los Angeles & Chandler historian. Began Shamus Town website 2004. Reunited Cissy & Ray 2010-11.

Dr. Annie Thiel-Latker, Psychologist, author, radio host, Chair of MGA (fundraising for Doctor's Without Borders).

Ann Lipscomb Hill, Esq., Trustee San Diego Historical Society, Board of Overseers UC San Diego, former Trustee USC.

Powers Boothe, famous American TV & Film actor. Notable roles include Emmy-winning 1980 portrayal of Jim Jones, and Cy Tolliver on Deadwood. Powers joined the ranks of Humphrey Bogart when he portrayed Philip Marlowe in the 1980 HBO Series Philip Marlowe Private Eye.

Judith Freeman, novelist, essayist, critic and short story writer whose first work of non-fiction was "The Long Embrace, Raymond Chandler and The Woman He Loved."

The Rev. Randal Gardner, Rector of St. James by-the-Sea Episcopal Church in La Jolla. A former Rector of St. James conducted both Cissy's and Ray's services.

1927 Cadillac, 1936 Cadillac convertible & 1929 Graham Paige limousine courtesy of Gene Calman & the Antique Auto Club of America.



Both Ray & his wife Pearl (Cissy) wished to be together after they died, as they had been for the last 22 years of their lives. However, when Pearl Cecily Eugenia died in 1954, she was cremated and placed in permanent storage at Cypress View because Ray was too bereaved and drunk to make final arrangements.

For 57 years Cissy & Ray have been waiting to be reunited.

Due to the efforts of Aissa Wayne, Esq., Patrick DeCarolis, Esq., and Dr. Annie Thiel-Latker, Loren Latker was able to get a court order from Judge Richard S. Whitney, allowing for the removal of Cissy's remains and interment with Ray.

Today, Valentine's Day, they are finally reunited.