

## Hazel MACKIE Memories

I am **Hazel Mackie** born on the 21<sup>st</sup> June 1938 at the Maleny Soldiers Memorial Hospital. I was brought into the World by **Dr. Parer**.

My Dad, **Robert Mackie** had a Butcher Shop in Maple Street next to Waddell's General Store. I have a sister **Jean**, two brothers' **Robert** and **John**. Jean and Robert attended Maleny State School. John attended Caloundra State School after our Primary education.

Jean and myself attended Moreton Bay College in Wynnum. I was there for one year from January to December 1953. I went nursing at Royal Brisbane Hospital from 1955 to 1957. I met my husband, married, had 5 children – 3 girls and 2 boys. We have 6 grand-children and 3 great-grandchildren.

I moved to Perth W.A in 1984 and worked at Repat General Hospital, Hollywood from 1984 to 1986. After leaving Perth we went to Derby in the Kimberleys where I worked at the Derby Regional Hospital from 1987 – 1989. We moved back to NSW where I now live in Wollongong, close to my daughters, **Jo-Ann** and **Lisa** and a spit away from my eldest daughter **Bronwyn** in Tasmania. I'll be here today.



Below: Dad - Robert Mackie



Left: Robert, Jean, Hazel & Mum (Hazel)