



Darryl Forbes-Dawson

7 November 1938 – 30 November 2009

Darryl Forbes-Dawson, a distinguished stage actor, was born in Auckland, New Zealand and passed away in London after a long illness.

Darryl literally spent his entire life in drama. He started dancing classes at age two and a half and was a child entertainer. He briefly worked in a bank whose testimonial was "he has left to attend to his dramatic affairs."

He studied drama in the UK and he got his start at Nottingham Theatre and during his career, he performed throughout the UK and around the world. He performed with the Royal Shakespeare Company and the Leicester Haymarket Theatre and in several West End venues.

*Some of his memorable roles include Limoges in *The Life and Death of King John*, Burgundy in *Henry VI*, Sexton in *Much Ado About Nothing*, Stanley in *Richard III*, Captain Hook in *Peter Pan*, and Dysart in *Equus*.*

Although he lived and performed around the world, Darryl considered himself a Kiwi and thought of New Zealand as home.

In public and private life he touched many people and is fondly remembered and greatly missed by all his family and friends, and especially Grania, Jose, Naresh and George.

5 Kahikatea trees have been planted at CUE Haven in loving memory of Darryl Forbes-Dawson with contributions from -

Jack & Noreen McKenzie and family
Craig & Mary McKenzie and family
Dawn & Peter McEniery and family
Grania, Jose, Naresh and George
Una Bell and family

The following family and friends attended the planting of the memorial trees on 20 November 2010 - -

Jack & Noreen McKenzie
Gavin & Colleen McKenzie
Craig & Mary McKenzie
Dawn & Peter McEniery
James McEniery
Campbell, Lucy & Josh McKenzie
Dawn Wilson
Kevin, Audrey & James Forbes-Dawson
Richard F Poore
Diane Hill