

**Peter Thomas Fox** was born in Ferntree Gully, Vic, on 26 August 1945 and completed his secondary education at Wesley College, Melbourne. He attended Melbourne University and graduated as a Bachelor of Arts and Laws in 1969. Before entering the Army as National Serviceman 3798476 with the second intake of 1970 Peter was employed as a Solicitor by Maddock Lonie & Chisholm and was admitted to practice in 1970. On graduating with Class 2/70 Peter was allocated to AALC and posted to HQ Puckapunyal Area. In March 1971 he was transferred to AHQ and discharged from the Army there after 20 months of service. Peter came to the Bar in 1973 and was accredited as a mediator in 1993. In 2000, he was appointed a member of the Chief Justice's Supreme Court Rules Committee and a member of the County Court Rules Committee. He retired from the Bar in 2007.



Peter died suddenly at St Vincent's Hospital, Melbourne, on 17 November of a brain hemorrhage. His funeral was held at the Springvale Botanical Cemetery on 25th November after which light refreshments were partaken of in the function rooms at the cemetery. Peter leave behind his wife Barb, children Susi & Andrew and grandchildren Heath, Deccie, Eloise, Rhys, Milly & Seba

Peter's funeral was attended by approximately 300 family, friends and work colleagues from the Victorian Bar. Eulogies were delivered by Peter's brother Bill, his daughter Dr Susi Fox and Justice Tim Ginnane of the Supreme Court. His son Andrew read a poem which was a moving tribute to his father. Scheyville was well represented by members of Class 2/70, Wayne Bruce, Bryan Thomas, Ian Watkins and Richard [Rick] Francis, the latter being one of six pall-bearers.