

## The human side of Vlad laws

### Odin Warrior member for 40 years

Law abiding business man, respected in local community. The local police didn't even \_\_\_\_\_ existed until the VLAD laws were introduced, they were ordered by Brisbane Task Force to visit him and were shocked that he had lived here for \_\_\_\_\_ years and they had no idea. He worked hard at \_\_\_\_\_ loved going for a ride on his bike with his patch, wanted to raise \_\_\_\_\_ well-adjusted young men and has brought them up to expect to be treated as you treat others that if you make the wrong choices in life then you have to suffer the consequences.

Well the VLAD laws changed that for his family we had to watch him and our friends be treated as criminals on the grounds of what they looked like and who they chose to have as friends, most of them for 40 years. These are the people who have supported us through life. They had been there for our early years of partying and buying our first home the crowd that celebrated our wedding for three days straight. They were by our side when we lost our \_\_\_\_\_ son in a \_\_\_\_\_ accident and helped us heal and rejoiced with us when in our older years were blessed with two more beautiful boys to complete our family again. And yes there were a few shocked faces when we decided we were going to sell up in \_\_\_\_\_ and become

\_\_\_\_\_ was diagnosed with cancer at age \_\_\_\_\_, he underwent chemotherapy and surgery with loving support from family and friends and recovered completely. Five years later \_\_\_\_\_ was delivered the blow of having cancer again and required more aggressive chemotherapy and major surgery again for any hope of survival. This is where life got so unbelievably hard as the chemotherapy reacted badly and he was rushed to

\_\_\_\_\_ for treatment. The VLAD laws had just been introduced and we could not chance anyone visiting him hospital as they were likely to be arrested for associating in a public place. I was going to \_\_\_\_\_ two to three times a week, coming home, working on family business and caring for our children, on top of travelling the \_\_\_\_\_ round trip without our life long base of friends to help us.

The last year has been maintaining friendships over the phone and waiting for the inhumane laws to be overturned so we could plan \_\_\_\_\_ birthday and our \_\_\_\_\_ year together. But how were we going to celebrate those normal milestones in life without our friends. Ask our friends and business people that knew \_\_\_\_\_. He was a proud compassionate, polite man and was highly respected locally. These people did not see a bad, law breaking, scum of the earth, bad ass bikie who supposedly dealt in drugs, harassed people and had no regard for the law or society – which was the picture being portrayed by the VLAD laws. The local people saw \_\_\_\_\_ for who is was, a man that worked hard, respected others and loved his family.

The family time away from the endless work load of a \_\_\_\_\_ was target and skeet shooting at the local \_\_\_\_\_ range and \_\_\_\_\_ was especially good at it and enjoyed most Sundays with \_\_\_\_\_. The VLAD laws dictated that bikies could not own guns anymore and even took that pleasure away from us.

Your legacy Mr Campbell Newman is of breaking lifelong bonds and isolating normal people in an already hard world. Mr Newman, how do I explain to my \_\_\_\_\_ sons that if they abide the law and do the right thing they will be ok, as is the way they were brought up with respect of the law and police force as they are there to do their job and deal with people that break the law. They have watched their father, mother, family, and friends be judged on how they look and what they are perceived to be like by an inhumane law.

Campbell Newman this is your legacy. Mr Newman, this week of heart breaking planning of funeral is the added stress of the family and friends dealing with local police who cannot help as they aren't sure of the laws and having to contact higher up in Brisbane for permission to farewell together as life long friends should be able to. A farewell conducted under strict conditions due to these incomprehensible, inhumane laws

**Plea to Anastasia Palaszczuk to review and change the laws**

All Muslims are not terrorists, all politicians and police are not corrupt yet your laws dictate all bikers are criminals regardless of their lack of record.

Everyday : and Human that loved Motorcycles, Family and true Friends.