



# Vishva Hindu Parishad of Australia Inc.

## World Hindu Council

### Hindu Australians pay tribute to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II

British Hindus, along with the rest of United Kingdom, are deeply saddened and shocked to learn of the sudden demise of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

On behalf of the Hindu community of Australia, I acknowledge and express a deep sense of sadness following the news announcing the passing of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

We pray to The Supreme Brahman to grant her Divine Soul eternal peace.

We know that these thoughts are in the minds of all her subjects, and that prayers are being offered for Her eternal peace at temples all over the country.

I am sure all Hindu Organisations, Temples and Associations will pay their respects over the coming days, and follow protocols issued by the Government in respect of the events and activities organised, just like 74 Hindu and Jain organisations collectively shared a solemn moment remembering the life of Her Majesty on 9 September 2022 in Adelaide.

Her Majesty served as Head of State of the United Kingdom and Australia for an unparalleled seven decades, spanning periods of significant social change. In fulfilling her duties to the Australian community, Her Majesty did so with extraordinary commitment, and with great dignity and grace.

We will continue to draw inspiration from Her Majesty's steadfast 70 years' service to the commonwealth and her subjects.

Hindu Australians, as much as they are saddened at the demise of Late Her Majesty, also pledge their sincere loyalty to His Majesty King Charles III, and offer prayers for his long reign, following in the inspiring footsteps of our beloved Queen.

Long Live The King!

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