

## ***The Sudden Storm Part 5: Timestamps and Summary (33:56)***

- 0:01 – 3:25 Discussion at Renmark Library with Deb Axon, Library Officer at the **Renmark Paringa Library**. The **children's library is dedicated to Elaine Balfour-Ogilvy**. Axon explains how she finds Elaine's story inspirational particularly as it is about the service of women.
- 3:25 – 3:52 Spencer's narrative about **1984 dedication ceremony** for the Elaine Balfour-Ogilvy Children's Library and the unveiling of commemorative plaque by her older brother.
- 3:53 – 4:52 **Cpt Mavis Hannah**, the last surviving nurse from Elaine's unit, 2/4<sup>th</sup> Casualty Clearing Station was at the service, and she stated, '**The story I have to tell is of heroism and endurance**'. **Vivian Bullwinkel** was also invited to the 1984 service but was unable to attend, she sent a letter which was read out by Hannah, Vivian wrote, '**I believe it is important that such sacrifices of Elaine Balfour-Ogilvy should be remembered, particularly amongst the younger generation**'.
- 4:53 – 6:33 Spencer visits the Balfour-Ogilvy family home.
- 6:35 – 13:00 At Loxton with Loxton Street Sign Memorial Committee members Carolyn Wood and Peter Magarey (also a local historian) about the Loxton street-name memorial being an **open access war memorial** and how Elaine's story is understood and commemorated locally with a book about the people the streets are named after and an audio tour.
- 13:00 – 18:55 Visit to the Loxton Street named after Elaine Balfour-Ogilvy. Magarey explains the **layout of the Street Memorial with the military nurses' streets** running north-south and the VC recipients running east-west, with Elaine Balfour-Ogilvy's Street being the longest one. Discussion with Peter Magarey about the importance of maintaining the nurses' stories, and **all those who served**, for future generations. Magarey finishes the tour by taking Spencer to the street dedicated to Lorna Fairweather.
- 18:55 – 26:20 Back at Renmark with Sue Schubert and Ray Hartigan, both RSL Executive Committee Members, at the **Renmark Soldiers Memorial Institute**. Spencer describes the building and the displays. Spencer, Hartigan and Schubert discuss the resilience and stoicism of the nurses and their critical role in war at a time when women had fewer opportunities and were underestimated and undervalued.
- 26:21 -27:13 Hartigan reflects on **war being 'failed diplomacy'** and believes that the **military should be defunded**, and **all money placed into foreign aid** so that there was never another war' because the repercussions of war are far reaching.
- 27:23 – 27: 44 Schubert highlights that it is **because of people like Elaine that we have a 'better world'** she showed that women could do anything in that era, the possibilities therefore are endless for women today.
- 27:45 to end At the **Paringa Art Silo Memorial**, Spencer describes silo murals that includes a painting of Elaine Balfour-Ogilvy. She speaks with Les Webb the Chairman of the Paringa Silo Art Committee about the purpose of the silo art to engage people.