



Clelland Barrie – Pianist

Clelland Barrie was born and brought up in the village of Kinlochleven in the West Highlands, only 25 miles from Inverlochy Castle. He commenced his piano lessons at the age of 7 and continued this through school.

His career was in Civil Aviation which took him worldwide, but Clelland continued to play the piano at every opportunity.

Upon retirement, he returned to his love of music, and entertained guests at Inverlochy Castle Hotel for over 10 years until his passing.

A character that many of our guests will remember well for his dramatic and animated playing, cheeky grin and intellectual conversations at the end of the night.

He also recorded his playing with a collection of popular melodies eg. Going Home (From the film Local Hero), the Skye Boat Song, the Wild Mountain Thyme and The Dark Island and many more...