## TO THE HONOURABLE THE SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATTIVES

This petition of parishioners of Sacred Heart Parish, Cootamundra

Draws to the attention of the House a matter concerning constituents' views on the nature of marriage

We therefore ask the house to please consider our position on the meaning of marriage. Given the variety of domestic arrangements available in Australia, we request that you protect the unique institution of marriage as traditionally understood and actually lived as the complementary love between a man and a woman.