

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
**Entry ID:** AWE6556

## Kennard, Gabrielle Pamela Joan (Gaby)

(1944 - )

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**Born** 1 January, 1944, Melbourne Victoria Australia

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**Occupation** Aviator

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### Summary

In 1989, Gaby Kennard became the first Australian woman to fly solo around the world.

### Events

#### 1990 - 1990

Awarded a Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM) for service to aviation

### Archival resources

#### National Library of Australia, Oral History and Folklore Collection

[Gaby Kennard interviewed by Rob Linn](#)

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