



• **Richard and Bill McKellar.**

Father, son and Morris Minor adventure

A three way love triangle. No, there is nothing sordid about this tale - it is an inspiring story of a former Wangaratta father and son, and their adventure to restore a might Morris Minor.

Richard McKellar and his dad, Bill, who were long time local residents, have released - Morris Minor, One in a Million - a beautiful 160 page hard covered coffee table book.

It documents, with the aid of 550 color photos, their marathon journey, and while certain to be of interest to car buffs, the exploration of their relationship widens the book's appeal.

The restored car featured is not just a gar-

den variety Morris Minor, but part of a special build, called a Morris Minor Million.

BMC (British Motor Corporation) celebrated making one million units of the Morris Minor in 1961, with 350 special edition lilac colored Morris Minors. Richard and Bill's car is number 1,000,086.

The car was imported from the UK in 1994, but the restoration did not take place in earnest until 2008.

The book is available at Collins Book Shop in Murphy Street, Wangaratta.

You can visit the Morris Minor garage, a collection of cars Richard has with his Dad, at www.morrisminorgarage.com.