# IN LOVING MEMORY OF GEORGE HENRY MAXFIELD

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30th May 1936 - 9th August 2024

St Mary's Church, Edwinstowe

Monday 9th September 2024 at 1.00 pm



## ORDER OF SERVICE

Led by Reverend Claire Melless

ENTRANCE MUSIC And I Love You So by Perry Como

### WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

HYMN How Great Thou Art (No. 380)

> BIBLE READING Psalm 23



#### POEM

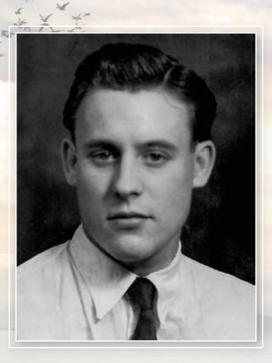
Crossing The Bar by Alfred, Lord Tennyson read by Christopher

Sunset and evening star, and one clear call for me! And may there be no moaning of the bar, when I put out to sea, But such a tide as moving seems asleep, too full for sound and foam, When that which drew from out the boundless deep turns again home.

Twilight and evening bell, and after that the dark! And may there be no sadness of farewell, when I embark; For tho' from out our bourne of Time and Place the flood may bear me far, I hope to see my Pilot face-to-face when I have crossed the bar.

## EULOGY read by Paul

#### HYMN All Things Bright And Beautiful (No. 21)



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### NAVAL PRAYER read by Hayley

O God, we ask you to take into your care and protection all who sail in ships. Make them alert and wise in their duties. Make them faithful in times of routine, prompt to decide and courageously to act in times of crisis. Protect them in the dangers and the perils of the sea. Even in the storm grant that there may be peace and calm within their heart. When they are far from home and far from loved ones, help them to be quite sure that, wherever they are, they can never drift beyond your care. Take care of their loved ones in the days and weeks and months when they are separated, sometimes with half the world between them, and every time that they have to part, bring them together in safety and in loyalty again. This we ask for your love's sake. Amen.

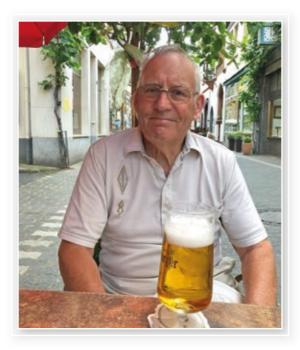
#### PRAYERS

ending with THE LORD'S PRAYER Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation But deliver us from evil, For thine is the kingdom, The power and the glory, Forever and ever. Amen.

#### COMMENDATION

#### BLESSING

EXIT MUSIC Unforgettable by Nat King Cole



The family would like to thank everyone for their kind words and support at this sad time.

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