



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

STEVE SHARPE

26th September 1952 - 31st July 2021



Tuesday 24th August 2021  
at 3.30 pm

Wilford Hill Crematorium, West Chapel



# ORDER OF SERVICE

Conducted by Father Jamie Franklin

THE GATHERING

THE INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME

THE COLLECT

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

*Please sit to listen to*  
PSALM 23 AND A BIBLE READING

The Lord is my shepherd;  
therefore can I lack nothing.  
He makes lie down in green pastures  
and leads me beside still waters.  
He shall refresh my soul  
and guide me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.  
Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil;  
for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.  
You spread a table before me  
in the presence of those who trouble me;  
you have anointed my head with oil and my cup shall be full.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.  
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be:  
World without end. Amen.



## MY BROTHER

read by Geoff on behalf of Linda

My infant friend who led me astray,  
But what fun we had on those escapee days away.

A complex boy and a complex man  
And at times I wasn't your biggest fan.

But a heart so big,  
You put others to shame.  
Your good deeds done with grace,  
Not ever for gain.

Our daily texts  
And weekly calls I'll miss.  
Where I said, "I love you, Steve",  
And you said, "I love you, sis".

So, God bless and keep you, Steve.  
There is no other  
That I can call 'My big brother'.

*by Linda Sharpe, 2021*







## EULOGY AND HOMILY

Eulogy read by Father Jamie on behalf of the family

## TIME FOR REFLECTION

Music: He Ain't Heavy, He's My Brother

## THE INTERCESSIONS

*followed by*

## 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.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever.

Amen.



THE COMMENDATION AND FAREWELL

THE COMMITTAL AND THE BLESSING



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

*A.W. LYMN*

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