

Please join Mandy and the family on the flower terrace,
after the service today, as we release a dove,
a symbol of Darren's soul being peacefully released.



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

All are welcome for light refreshments at
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A SERVICE TO
CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF

DARREN ALLCOCK

23rd August 1966 - 21st October 2019



Gedling Crematorium
Friday 8th November 2019 at 2.30 pm
Service conducted by Rebecca White



ORDER OF SERVICE

OPENING MUSIC

Angels On My Side - Rick Astley

OPENING WORDS

by Rebecca White, Civil Funeral Celebrant

TRIBUTE

prepared with memories from the family

VISUAL TRIBUTE

Music: *Cups - Anna Kendrick*



CLOSING MUSIC

Theme from Match Of The Day



READING

A Life That Matters

Ready or not, some day it will all come to an end.

There will be no more sunrises, no minutes, hours, days.

All the things you collected, whether treasured or forgotten, will pass to someone else.

Your wealth, fame and temporal power will shrivel to irrelevance.

It will not matter what you owned or what you were owed.

Your grudges, resentments, frustrations, and jealousies will finally disappear.

So, too, your hopes, ambitions, plans, and to-do lists will expire.

The wins and losses that once seemed so important will fade away.

It won't matter where you came from, or on what side of the tracks you lived.

At the end, whether you were beautiful or brilliant, male or female,

Even your skin colour won't matter.

So what will matter? How will the value of your days be measured?

What will matter is not what you bought, but what you built;

Not what you got, but what you gave.

What will matter is not your success, but your significance.

What will matter is not what you learned, but what you taught.

What will matter is every act of integrity, compassion,

Courage or sacrifice that enriched, empowered or encouraged others.

What will matter is not your competence, but your character.

What will matter is not how many people you knew,

But how many will feel a lasting loss when you're gone.

What will matter is not your memories,

But the memories that live in those who loved you.

Living a life that matters doesn't happen by accident.

It's not a matter of circumstance but of choice.

Choose to live a life that matters.





POEM The Family Man

The family man is a protector and a provider,
He is big and strong and the one to kill the spider.
He is there for his family always, never going astray,
Love and affection is what he will always display.

To the wife, he is a loving mate
And together, a family they do create.
To the children, he is a big, strong dad,
He sends them in the right direction, rarely getting mad.

He gives to his family all that he contains,
Giving never runs short, it always remains.
He brings his family up, never lets them down,
Creates an unbreakable family with love all around.

The family man, is a real man, one in which he knows his part,
He works without complaining and gives them all of his heart.
For a real man is rare and these days hard to find,
He stands by his family always, and never falls behind.

COMMITTAL AND CLOSING WORDS

