

In Loving Memory of



Patrick Ingram Phillips
'Pat'

9th October 1941 - 14th December 2020



*Markeaton Crematorium,
Main Chapel*

*Friday 8th January 2021
at 2.00 pm*



Entry Music

Songbird

by Kenny G

Introduction



Poem

When Tomorrow Starts Without Me

When tomorrow starts without me,
And I'm not there to see,
If the sun should rise and find your eyes
All filled with tears for me,

I wish so much you wouldn't cry
The way you did today,
While thinking of the many things
We didn't get to say.

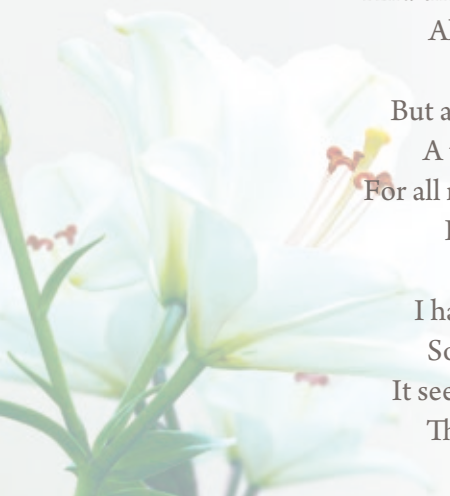
I know how much you love me,
As much as I love you,
And each time that you think of me,
I know you'll miss me too.

But when tomorrow starts without me,
Please try to understand,
That an angel came and called my name
And took me by the hand,

And said my place was ready
In heaven far above,
And that I'd have to leave behind
All those I dearly love.

But as I turned to walk away,
A tear fell from my eye.
For all my life, I'd always thought
I didn't want to die.

I had so much to live for,
So much left yet to do.
It seemed almost impossible
That I was leaving you.



I thought of all the yesterdays,
The good ones and the bad,
I thought of all the love we shared,
And all the fun we had.

If I could re-live yesterday
Just even for a while,
I'd say good-bye and kiss you
And maybe see you smile.

But then I fully realised
That this could never be,
For emptiness and memories
Would take the place of me.

And when I thought of worldly things
I might miss come tomorrow,
I thought of you, and when I did,
My heart was filled with sorrow.

But when I walked through heaven's gates,
I felt so much at home
When God looked down and smiled at me,
From His great golden throne.

He said, "This is eternity
And all I've promised you.
Today your life on earth is past,
But here life starts anew.

I promise no tomorrow,
But today will always last,
And since each day's the same way
There's no longing for the past.

You have been so faithful,
So trusting and so true,
Though there were times you did some things
You knew you shouldn't do.

But you have been forgiven
And now at last you're free,
So won't you come and take my hand
And share my life with me?"

So when tomorrow starts without me,
Don't think we're far apart,
For every time you think of me,
Remember I'm right here in your heart.



Family Tribute

Visual Tribute

Hymn

Morning Has Broken
by Neil Diamond

Prayers of Penitence

Bible Reading

Psalm 23

A psalm of David

¹ The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing.

² He makes me lie down in green pastures,

he leads me beside quiet waters,

³ he refreshes my soul.

He guides me along the right paths

for his name's sake.

⁴ Even though I walk

through the darkest valley,

I will fear no evil,

for you are with me;

your rod and your staff,

they comfort me.

⁵ You prepare a table before me

in the presence of my enemies.

You anoint my head with oil;

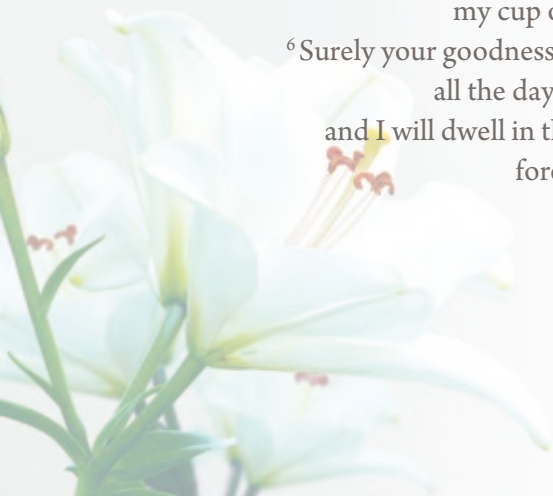
my cup overflows.

⁶ Surely your goodness and love will follow me

all the days of my life,

and I will dwell in the house of the Lord

forever.



Address

Prayers

Commendation and Farewell



Committal

Dismissal

Exit Music

Time To Say Goodbye

by Sarah Brightman and Andrea Bocelli







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