



William's family would like to thank everyone for all the kind messages of sympathy, friendship and support given to them at this time and for your presence here today, which is of great comfort.

You are warmly invited to join them for refreshments at the QC (Queen's Council), Market Place, Ilkeston, following the service.

A Celebration of the Life of
**WILLIAM DEREK
BATEMAN**

6th February 1941 - 25th April 2017
Aged 76 years



BRAMCOTE CREMATORIUM
SERENITY CHAPEL

Friday 19th May 2017 at 9.30am
Service taken by: Andrea Garlick, Celebrant

MY FATHER

I remember my father, for all that he gave
His wisdom, his humour, these memories I save.

I remember my father, a man of his word
Soft spoken at times, but always heard.

I remember my father, capable and strong
With caring and kindness, carried along.

I remember my father, in the funniest of ways
A tickle of the senses recaptures those days.

I remember my father, respected .. revered
With honest convictions, not easily steered.

I remember my father, a handsome 'gent'
With love in his eyes and merriment.

I remember my father, whenever I see
That I've done my best to be all I can be.

ORDER OF SERVICE

ENTRY MUSIC

Take These Chains - Ray Charles

WELCOME

READING

'My Father'
by Lyndsey

TRIBUTE

by Mandy

EULOGY

by Andrea

REFLECTION MUSIC

I Walk the Line - Johnny Cash

COMMITTAL

EXIT MUSIC

Crying Time - Dean Martin