

### "Thanks for coming"

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

All are welcome for light refreshment at The Vale, 780 Mansfield Road, Woodthorpe, Nottingham NG5 3GG.

Donations in memory of Alan for Hayward House may be sealed in the donation envelope and placed in the box on leaving the service, left online at

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# Alan Raymond Parkin

In Loving Memory

of

19th January 1950 - 19th July 2024

Gedling Crematorium Thursday 15th August 2024 at 2.00 pm



# Order of Service

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**ENTRANCE MUSIC** Keep Hauling Fishermen's Friends

WELCOME

EULOGY

# **CLOSING WORDS**

DEPARTING MUSIC In My Life The Beatles

# POEM Look For Me In Rainbows by Vicki Brown

Time for me to go now, I won't say goodbye; Look for me in rainbows, way up in the sky. In the morning sunrise when all the world is new, Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.

Time for me to leave you, I won't say goodbye; Look for me in rainbows, high up in the sky. In the evening sunset, when all the world is through, Just look for me and love me, and I'll be close to you.

It won't be forever, the day will come and then My loving arms will hold you, when we meet again. Time for us to part now, we won't say goodbye; Look for me in rainbows, shining in the sky.

Every waking moment, and all your whole life through Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.

> Just wish me to be near you, And I'll be there with you.

# **READING** I Am Not Gone

I am not gone.

I am in the hearts and bodies of my children. I am in the raising of my children and their children. I am in their laughter and in their eyes, Following a lifelong pattern I have set before them. I am in their caring and in their strength. I am in the minds of everyone that has known me, Search your hearts for good memories And then you will know I am not gone.

**TRIBUTES AND MEMORIES OF A WONDERFUL MAN** by Eve and Natalie

#### POEM

from Jane

It seems to me the day you left, The sun forgot to shine, Because it feels as though the lights gone out, Within this heart of mine.

My body feels so broken, Because we had to say goodbye, And my tears they flow like raindrops, Every time I cry.

The pain that I am feeling, Is like a storm inside my heart, And it only grows much stronger, Everyday that we're apart.

It's hard to see the future, And to make it through the day, But I know you will be with me, And will help to light the way.

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When the light goes out for me, I know what I shall do, I'll close my eyes one final time, And I will be with you.

Yours always, Jane.

REFLECTION MUSIC Thank You For The Days The Kinks

### **IRISH BLESSING**

May the road rise up to meet you, may the wind be always at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face, the rains fall soft upon your fields, and until we meet again, may God hold you in the hollow of His hand.

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