

A SERVICE TO CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF
NORMAN JOHNSON
27TH JUNE 1930 - 10TH OCTOBER 2017



MONDAY 13TH NOVEMBER 2017
11.00 AM

LINCOLNSHIRE CO-OPERATIVE SERVICE CHAPEL
FOLLOWED BY COMMITTAL AT GRANTHAM CREMATORIUM

OPENING MUSIC

NIMROD

Elgar

HYMN

THE LORD'S MY SHEPHERD

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1. The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want;
He makes me down to lie
In pastures green; He leadeth me
The quiet waters by.
2. My soul He doth restore again,
And me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness,
E'en for His own name's sake.
3. Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,
Yet will I fear no ill;
For Thou art with me; and Thy rod
And staff me comfort still.
4. My table Thou hast furnishèd
In presence of my foes;
My head Thou dost with oil anoint,
And my cup overflows.
5. Goodness and mercy all my life
Shall surely follow me,
And in God's house for evermore
My dwelling-place shall be.

PRAYERS

READING

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EULOGY

By Daniel Fletcher

TRIBUTE

By Leon Johnson

TRIBUTE

By Linda Simpson

FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND

Read by Paul Simpson

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

CONCLUDING WITH 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.

COMMENDATION

WE COMMEND NORMAN TO THE MERCY OF GOD

HYMN

ABIDE WITH ME

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;
The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide!
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;
Change and decay in all around I see:
O Thou, who changest not, abide with me!

I need Thy presence every passing hour;
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?
Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless;
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness;
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?
I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy Cross before my closing eyes;
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies;
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee:
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me!

CLOSING MUSIC

TUNE TO THE OLD RUGGED CROSS



Donations, in memory of Norman, for Cancer Research UK
may be left after the service.

The family thank you for your support and presence here today.

Everyone is invited to Newark Masonic Lodge for light refreshments.

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