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In Loving Memory of



JOHN GILLSON BUCK

27th November 1927 - 24th May 2019

Radcliffe Methodist Church Friday 7th June 2019 at 2.00 pm



ORDER OF SERVICE

ENTRANCE Please stand and applaud as the procession enter

OPENING WORDS

POEM There Is A Train by Edward Thomas read by John's son, Nigel

BLESSING The Airman's Prayer

EXIT MUSIC The Dam Busters March



HYMN

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the works Thy hand hath made, I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder, Thy power throughout the universe displayed;

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art! Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander, And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees; When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, And hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze: *Then sings my soul...*

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing, Sent Him to die - I scarce can take it in: That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin; Then sings my soul...

When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation, And take me home - what joy shall fill my heart! Then shall I bow in humble adoration, And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art! Then sings my soul... Stuart K. Hine (1899-1989)

HYMN

When I survey the wondrous cross, On which the Prince of glory died, My richest gain I count but loss, And pour contempt on all my pride.

Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, Save in the cross of Christ my God; All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to His blood.

See from His head, His hands, His feet, Sorrow and love flow mingled down; Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, Or thorns compose so rich a crown!

His dying crimson, like a robe, Spreads o'er His body on the tree; Then I am dead to all the globe, And all the globe is dead to me.

Were the whole realm of nature mine, That were a present far too small; Love so amazing, so divine, Demands my soul, my life, my all.

PRAYER

MEMORIES OF JOHN AND A CELEBRATION OF HIS LIFE by John's son, Barrie and Reverend Mark Roberts

HYMN

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry. All who dwell in dark and sin, My hand will save. I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright. Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night. I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain, I have wept for love of them, They turn away. I will break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love alone, I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame, I will set a feast for them, My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide Till their hearts be satisfied, I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send? Dan Schutte (b.1947)



BIBLE READING Isaiah, Chapter 40: verses 28-31

REFLECTION

PRAYERS

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.