

6th June 1953 Sparring partners reunited

Kate, John and family warmly invite you to join them at Ken and Margaret's home following the service 15a Kirk Lane, Ruddington, Nottingham NG11 6NN.

> Ken expressed a wish that we "should all raise a glass in his memory and to celebrate a life well lived."



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Ken Williams

11th February 1930 - 23rd May 2017

Wilford Hill Crematorium, Main Chapel

Friday 16th June 2017 at 12 noon



In my Liverpool home

We would like to thank you all for the many kind messages of sympathy and support we have received and the generous donations in Ken's memory to his chosen charities **Nottinghamshire Hospice at Home** and **Macmillan Cancer Support.**

We would also like to express our thanks and deepest gratitude to ours and Ken's many friends, the Community Nursing Team in Ruddington, Nottinghamshire Hospice at Home, Macmillan Nurse, and the Carer's Trust for their love, care and support of Ken and of us during his final months.

Our thanks to Reverend Dr Andrea Russell for fulfilling Ken's longstanding wish that she conduct his funeral service.

Kate, John and family.



Hymn

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy, Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy, Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray, Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith, Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe, Be there at our labours, and give us, we pray, Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindliness, Lord of all grace, Your hands swift to welcome, Your arms to embrace, Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray, Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm, Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm, Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray, Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day. Jan Struther (1901-1953)

Blessing

Music on Leaving We'll Meet Again by Vera Lynn

Order of Service

Conducted by Reverend Dr Andrea Russell

Entrance Music

Méditation from Thaïs by Jules Massenet

Welcome Andrea Russell

Hymn

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.

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.

Yea, though I walk through death's dark vale, Yet will I fear none ill; For Thou art with me, and Thy rod And staff me comfort still.

> My table Thou hast furnishèd In presence of my foes; My head Thou dost with oil anoint, And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life Shall surely follow me; And in God's house for evermore My dwelling-place shall be. Scottish Psalter (1650) **Reading** 1 Corinthians, Chapter 13

> **Eulogy** John Robertson

Address Andrea Russell

Prayers

Commendation and Committal