

IN LOVING MEMORY OF



PETER HENRY SHIPTON

14th April 1936 - 21st January 2023

Wednesday 22nd February 2023 at 2.15 pm
Mansfield Crematorium, Thoresby Chapel



ORDER OF SERVICE

Led by civil celebrant, Lisa Evans

Peter personally chose all the music for his funeral service.



ENTRY MUSIC

Conquest Of Paradise - Vangelis
England cricket team's on tour anthem

WELCOME



HYMN

And did those feet in ancient time
Walk upon England's mountains green?
And was the Holy Lamb of God
On England's pleasant pastures seen?
And did the countenance divine
Shine forth upon our clouded hills?
And was Jerusalem builded here
Among these dark satanic mills?

Bring me my bow of burning gold!
Bring me my arrows of desire!
Bring me my spear! O clouds, unfold!
Bring me my chariot of fire!
I will not cease from mental fight,
Nor shall my sword sleep in my hand,
Till we have built Jerusalem
In England's green and pleasant land.

William Blake (1757-1827)

POEM

All Is Well - Henry Scott Holland
read by Janet

Death is nothing at all.
I have only slipped away into the next room.
I am I and you are you.
Whatever we were to each other, that we are still.
Call me by my old familiar name.
Speak to me in the easy way which you always used.
Put no difference in your tone.
Wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow.
Laugh as we always laughed at the little jokes we enjoyed together.
Play, smile, think of me, pray for me.
Let my name be ever the household word that it always was.
Let it be spoken without effort.
Without the ghost of a shadow on it.
Life means all that it ever meant.
It is the same as it ever was.
There is absolute unbroken continuity.
Why should I be out of mind because I am out of sight?
I am waiting for you, for an interval.
Somewhere very near, just around the corner.
All is well.





EULOGY

OUR DAD
read by Kathryn

REFLECTION MUSIC
Ac-Cent-Tchu-Ate The Positive - Bing Crosby



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.

COMMITTAL



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.



CLOSING WORDS

EXIT MUSIC

Singing The Blues - Guy Mitchell

Wednesday win, United lose



All are welcome for light refreshment and to
continue to celebrate Peter's life together at
The Carnarvon, Fackley Road, Teversal,
Sutton-in-Ashfield NG17 3JA.

Donations, if so desired, to
Cancer Research UK
and
Parkinson's UK.

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