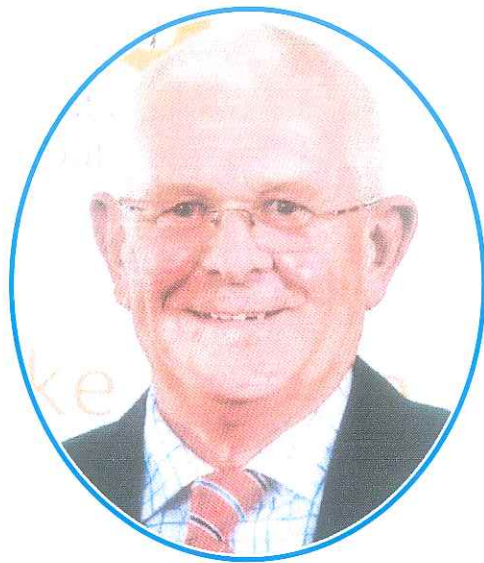


*To Celebrate the Life
of*



Martin Beals

7th June 1947 - 31st January 2018

St Paul's Church, Carlton

Wednesday 28th February 2018
at 2.30 pm



Order of Service

Entrance Music

Unforgettable

by Nat King Cole and Natalie Cole

Welcome and Introduction



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)

Tributes



Poem

Feel No Guilt In Laughter

Feel no guilt in laughter, he knows how much you care,
Feel no sorrow in a smile that he's not there to share.
You cannot grieve forever, he wouldn't want you to,
He'd hope that you would carry on, the way you always do.
So talk about the good times and the way you showed you cared,
The days you spent together, all the happiness you shared.
Let memories surround you, a word someone may say
Will suddenly recapture a time, an hour, a day,
That brings him back as clearly as though he still were here
And fills you with the feeling that he is always near.
For if you keep those moments you will never be apart
And he will live forever, locked safe within your heart.

Psalm 23

Bible Reading

from 1 Thessalonians, Chapter 4: verses 13 - 18

Address

Prayers *closing 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.



Hymn

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come:
'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me,
His word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures.

Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail,
And mortal life shall cease:
I shall possess, within the veil,
A life of joy and peace.

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we'd first begun.

John Newton (1725-1807)



Commendation and Blessing

Exit Music

Ev'ry Time We Say Goodbye
by Ella Fitzgerald

*Following the service, the committal will take place at
Gedling Crematorium, Catfoot Lane, Nottingham NG4 4QH.*



At the Crematorium

Entrance Music

Time To Say Goodbye

by Andrea Bocelli and Sarah Brightman

Hymn

Make me a channel of Your peace.
Where there is hatred, let me bring Your love;
Where there is injury, Your pardon, Lord;
And where there's doubt, true faith in You.

*O Master, grant that I may never seek
So much to be consoled as to console,
To be understood as to understand,
To be loved, as to love with all my soul.*

Make me a channel of Your peace.
Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope,
Where there is darkness, only light,
And where there's sadness, ever joy.
O Master, grant that I may never seek...

Make me a channel of Your peace.
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
In giving to all men that we receive,
And in dying that we're born to eternal life.

Sebastian Temple (1928-1997)

The Committal

Prayers

Exit Music

Sleep Instead Of Teardrops
by Del Amitri



Farewell My Friends

*It was beautiful as long as it lasted,
The journey of my life.
I have no regrets whatsoever,
Save the pain I'll leave behind.
Those dear hearts who love and care...
And the strings pulling at the heart and soul...
The strong arms that held me up
When my own strength let me down.
At every turning of my life I came across good friends,
Friends who stood by me,
Even when the time raced me by.
Farewell, farewell, my friends,
I smile and bid you goodbye.
No, shed no tears for I need them not,
All I need is your smile.
If you feel sad do think of me
For that's what I'll like.
When you live in the hearts
Of those you love, remember then
You never die.*

Gitanjali Ghei, inspirational poet (1961-1977)

The family would like to thank everyone for their
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