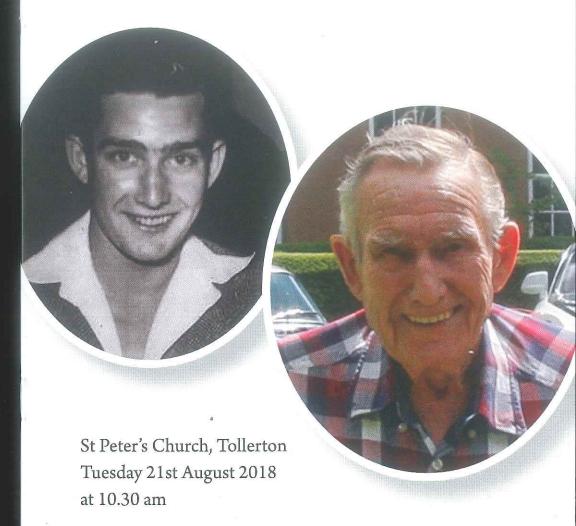
Thanksgiving Service for the Life of Ernest 'Ernie' Tarr

28th July 1931 - 26th July 2018



ORDER of SERVICE

WELCOME

SENTENCES FROM SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER

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)

BIBLE READING

Psalm 23

and

John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6

Reverend Alan Howe
followed by thoughts from the readings

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)

POEM

Grandad written and read by Ernie's granddaughter, Sophia Kershaw

FAMILY TRIBUTE

written and read by Ernie's grandson, Lee Monteith

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)

BLESSING

MUSIC ON EXIT

From The Time You Say Goodbye Vera Lynn



Ernie's family would like to thank everyone for their presence today. It is a great comfort knowing how much Ernie was loved by family and friends.

All are welcome to
Wilford Hill for the burial,
after which we shall celebrate Ernie's life at
Tollerton Hall.
We shall toast with his favourite tipple "Guinness"
around his own special tree.



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