

Michael David Philpott 'Mike'

5th August 1944 - 15th August 2020





The Minster Church, Wimborne

Wednesday 9th September 2020

Service conducted by
The Reverend Canon Andrew Rowland



Order of Service

ENTRANCE MUSIC

The Rose - Acker Bilk

SENTENCES FROM SCRIPTURE

INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME

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.



TRIBUTE

from Dave Andrews, golfing friend

FAMILY TRIBUTE

given by The Reverend Canon Andrew Rowland

REFLECTION MUSIC

Somewhere Under The Sun - Raymond Froggatt



COLLECT PRAYER

GOSPEL READING
John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6

HOMILY



PRAYERS

and

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

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;
The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide!
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;
Change and decay in all around I see;
O Thou who changest not, abide with me.

I need Thy presence every passing hour;
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?
Who, like Thyself, my guide and stay can be?
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me.

I fear no foe with Thee at hand to bless;
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?
I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes;
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies:
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me!

Henry Francis Lyte (1793-1847)

COMMENDATION

POEM

Rest In Peace

He has left us and we're so sad,
A wonderful husband, grandad and dad.
This loss of ours is very deep,
We are here, to mourn and to weep.
It's so hard to say goodbye
To such a wonderful and special guy.
Many of us he has inspired,
We all loved him and admired.
To many of us he was a friend,
We could rely and depend.
We'll all miss him so much and dearly
Rest in peace, we wish him sincerely.



BLESSING

ENDING

CLOSING MUSIC
Sailing - Rod Stewart

*The committal service will now take place at
West Moors Cemetery.*



Donations in memory of Mike, if desired, are for
Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance
Personal messages, memories and donations
may be made online at
www.oharafunerals.co.uk

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Rhoda and family would like to thank everyone for attending today and for the lovely cards, flowers and messages of comfort following the very sad loss of Mike.

Their heartfelt thanks.