

A celebration of the life of



Victor Gladwin

14th May 1943 - 24th January 2020



Thursday 13th February 2020

at 10.40 am

Markeaton Crematorium



Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL MUSIC

First Movement - Intermezzo from *Karelia Suite*
Sibelius

INTRODUCTION

Celebrant, Pete White



HYMN
Abide With Me

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, oh, 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 pow'r?
Who, like Thyself, my guide and stay can be?
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, 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;
Heav'n's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.



REFLECTING ON VIC'S LIFE

written by family members

TRIBUTE

very close friend, Clive

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,
forever and ever. Amen.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

ACT OF FAREWELL

No person is truly alone.
Those who live no more, whom we love,
Echo still within our thoughts, our words, our hearts
And what they did and who they are
Become a part of all that we are forever.

Say not in grief that he is no more, but in thoughtfulness that he was.

Today is a day to remember, remember times of joy and feel sadness.
It's a day to say goodbye and to remember a life now ended on this earth.

One journey on earth is completed, but all of yours continues.



HYMN
Jerusalem
Northampton Bach Choir

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.

CLOSING WORDS

Think of me as one at rest,
for me you should not weep.
I have no pain, no troubled thoughts,
for I am just asleep.
The living, thinking me that was
is now forever still,
and life goes on without me now,
as time forever will.

If your heart is heavy now
because I've gone away,
dwell not long upon it, friend,
for none of us can stay.
Those of you who liked me,
I sincerely thank you all,
and those of you who loved me,
I thank you most of all.

And in my fleeting lifespan,
as time went rushing by,
I found some time to hesitate,
to laugh, to love, to cry.
Matters it now if time began,
if time will ever cease?
I was here, I used it all,
and now I am at peace.

RECESSIONAL MUSIC

World In Union
International Rugby Anthem
Kiri Te Kanawa



The family would like to thank everyone
for their kind words and support at this sad time.

All are welcome for light refreshments at
The White Swan,
Shepherd Street,
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