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*To Celebrate the Life of*



**DEREK FRANK WHEATLEY**

17th September 1931 - 26th February 2019

Trent Valley Crematorium  
Tuesday 19th March 2019  
at 1.30 pm

# *Order of Service*

Conducted by Reverend James Lindsay



## OPENING MUSIC

Don't Cry For Me  
CeCe Winans

## WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

## SCRIPTURES OF HOPE

## PRAYERS FOR COMFORT

## BIBLE READING

Psalm 121

I lift up my eyes to the mountains,  
where does my help come from?  
My help comes from the Lord,  
the Maker of heaven and earth.

He will not let your foot slip,  
he who watches over you will not slumber;  
indeed, he who watches over Israel  
will neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord watches over you.  
The Lord is your shade at your right hand;  
the sun will not harm you by day,  
nor the moon by night.

The Lord will keep you from all harm,  
he will watch over your life;  
the Lord will watch over your coming and going  
both now and for evermore.

## COMMENDATION AND FAREWELL

## PRAYER AND BLESSING

## CLOSING MUSIC

Cotton Eye Joe  
Rednex

*Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life,  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

*Psalm 26: verse 6*

POEM  
Goodbye Grandad

So heaven has received another angel,  
the night sky another star.  
Your life has become a loving memory,  
we know you will never be far.  
We know you are watching over us,  
as our lives go on.  
We will treasure the memories we have of you,  
we can't believe you're gone.  
You were a loving, caring grandad,  
you were there for us a lot.  
You will always hold a place in our hearts,  
a loving, treasured spot.  
You were really one in a million,  
a cut above the rest.  
All that knew you would agree,  
you simply were the best.  
So, Grandpop, we will say goodbye,  
we love and miss you with all our hearts,  
but as long as we have our loving memories,  
we will never be too far apart!

*Sarah Harrison (adapted)*

FAMILY READING  
by Damon

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION  
What Colour Is The Wind  
Charlie Landsborough



POEM  
You Can Shed Tears

You can shed tears that he is gone,  
or you can smile because he has lived.  
You can close your eyes and pray that he will come back,  
or you can open your eyes and see all that he has left.  
Your heart can be empty because you can't see him,  
or you can be full of the love that you shared.  
You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday,  
or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.  
You can remember him and only that he is gone,  
or you can cherish his memory and let it live on.  
You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back,  
or you can do what he would want:  
smile, open your eyes, love and go on.

*David Harkins*

## HYMN

Dear Lord And Father Of Mankind

Dear Lord and Father of mankind,  
Forgive our foolish ways!  
Re-clothe us in our rightful mind,  
In purer lives Thy service find,  
In deeper reverence, praise.

In simple trust like theirs who heard  
Beside the Syrian sea  
The gracious calling of the Lord,  
Let us, like them, without a word  
Rise up and follow Thee.

O Sabbath rest by Galilee!  
O calm of hills above,  
Where Jesus knelt to share with Thee  
The silence of eternity,  
Interpreted by love!

Drop Thy still dews of quietness,  
Till all our strivings cease;  
Take from our souls the strain and stress,  
And let our ordered lives confess  
The beauty of Thy peace.

Breathe through the heats of our desire  
Thy coolness and Thy balm;  
Let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;  
Speak through the earthquake, wind, and fire,  
O still, small voice of calm.

## 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.

## TRIBUTE TO DEREK

