

*A Service of Thanksgiving for the Life
of*



Michael Wilkinson

2nd September 1952 - 28th June 2021

St Alban's Church, Chaddesden
Tuesday 20th July 2021 at 10.00 am

Order of Service

Conducted by Father David Cain

Entrance Music

Amazing Grace by The Huddersfield Choral Society

Opening Prayer

First Reading

1 Corinthians, Chapter 12: verse 31 - Chapter 13: verse 8
read by a parishioner

Music

Sweet Heart Of Jesus by the Choirs of the Diocese of Leeds

Gospel

John, Chapter 11: verses 21-27

Short Homily

Bidding Prayers

read by a parishioner

The response to 'Lord in Your Mercy' is:

Hear our Prayer.

Music for Reflection

A Thousand Years by Christina Perri

Eulogy

led by Mick O'Hanlon

Poem

Goodbye Dad written by Keith

Goodbye to the dad who held our hands after we were born,
Goodbye to the dad who helped raise us, goodbye to the dad
 Who wiped away our tears and then made us smile.
Goodbye to the dad who always tried to teach us right and wrong.
 Goodbye to the dad who never turned his back on us,
 Even though we may have let him down.
Goodbye to the best dad we could have ever wished for,
 Our hero, our one and only.
 Goodbye to the dad who showed us the way
 And is still to this very day.
 Goodbye dad, our hearts will always be broken
And we'll always remember how truly wonderful you were.

Goodbye dad, goodbye.



Final Prayers of Commendation

Music to Depart

Time To Say Goodbye by Sarah Brightman and Andrea Bocelli



Just One More Day

Sometimes I wonder what I would say
If we had just one more day.

Would I tell you the news from home?
Ask you about where you now roam?

Would I tell you all the things left unsaid?
The guilt and regrets still in my head?

Would I want to know that you're okay?
Beg you please to come back and stay?

Would I not say all that much
And just reach out for one last touch?

I don't know what I would say,
But I do sure wish for that one more day.

Margaret, Keith, Paul and Colin would like to thank everyone for their kind words and support at this sad time and invite everyone to join them for refreshments at Derby Golf Club, Shakespeare Street, Sinfyn, Derby DE24 9HD.

*'And now we breathe
the life you leave
for we've learnt from the best
and we'll always be blessed with your love'*

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