



A Celebration for the Life of
John Carter

23rd April 1948 ~ 21st August 2017

Funeral Service
Friday 1st September 2017
Exeter & Devon Crematorium
10.45am
St Peter's Chapel

Service taken by Reverend Jonny Elvin
and Reverend Phillip Brokenshire

Entrance Music

Sailing by Rod Stewart

Gathering and Introduction

Hymn

*All things bright and beautiful,
All creatures great and small,
All things wise and wonderful,
The Lord God made them all.*

Each little flower that opens,
Each little bird that sings,
He made their glowing colours,
He made their tiny wings.
All things bright...

The purple-headed mountain,
The river running by,
The sunset, and the morning
That brightens up the sky.
All things bright...

The cold wind in the winter,
The pleasant summer sun,
The ripe fruits in the garden,
He made them every one.
All things bright...

He gave us eyes to see them,
And lips that we might tell
How great is God Almighty,
Who has made all things well.
All things bright...

Eulogy

Lucy (Grandaughter) and Steve (Son)

Music

We are the champions - Queen

Bible Readings

Psalm 23

- 1 The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
- 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures.
He leads me beside still waters.
- 3 He restores my soul.
He leads me in paths of righteousness
for his name's sake.
- 4 Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil,
for you are with me;
your rod and your staff,
they comfort me.
- 5 You prepare a table before me
in the presence of my enemies;
you anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.
- 6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life,
and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

John 14.1-7

- 1 “Let not your hearts be troubled.
Believe in God; believe also in me.
- 2 In my Father's house are many rooms.
If it were not so, would I have told you
that I go to prepare a place for you?
- 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take
you to myself, that where I am you may be also.
- 4 And you know the way to where I am going.”
- 5 Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going.
How can we know the way?”
- 6 Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life.
No one comes to the Father except through me.
- 7 If you had known me, you would have known my Father also.
From now on you do know him and have seen him.”

Address

The Prayers

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.
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

Morning has broken
Like the first morning,
Blackbird has spoken
Like the first bird.
Praise for the singing,
Praise for the morning,
Praise for them, springing
Fresh from the Word.

Sweet the rain's new fall
Sunlit from heaven,
Like the first dew-fall
On the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness
Of the wet garden,
Sprung in completeness
Where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight,
Mine is the morning
Born of the one light
Eden saw play.
Praise with elation,
Praise every morning,
God's re-creation
Of the new day.

Commendation and Committal

Blessing

Recessional Music

Whiter shade of pale - Procol Harum

*Wendy, Helen, Steve and Lee wish to thank you
for attending the service today, for your prayers,
messages of sympathy and kind donations.*

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or
The Exeter Stroke and Peer Support Group
by retiring collection or c/o
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Funeral Directors
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*You are welcome to join the family after
the service for light refreshments at*
Heavitree Social Club.
East Wonford Hill,
Exeter. EX1 3BS