



In Celebration of the Life of  
**Richard Koch**

19th December 1926 - 18th May 2016



The family are grateful for your kindness, words of support and for your presence today. You are very warmly invited to join them afterwards for light refreshments at The Risley Park, Derby Road, Risley, DE72 3SS.

Donations made in loving memory of Richard will support "CANCER RESEARCH UK".

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MARKEATON CREMATORIUM  
ROUND CHAPEL

Wednesday 8th June 2016 at 1.00pm

**PROCESSIONAL MUSIC**

'The World Outside' - Ronnie Hilton

**INTRODUCTORY CATHOLIC RITES**

**INTRODUCTION**

Rev'd Peter White

**REFLECTION ON RICHARD'S LIFE**

**MUSIC FOR REFLECTION**

'Dear Lord & Father of Mankind'  
- Guildford Cathedral Choir

**READING - 'Remember Me'**

Remember me,  
I have only slipped away into the next room.  
whatever we were to each other,  
that, we still are.  
Call me by my old familiar name,  
speak to me in the easy way  
which you always used.  
Put no difference in your tone,  
wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow.  
Laugh as we always laughed at  
the little jokes we shared together.  
Play, smile, think of me, pray for me.  
Let my name be ever the household  
word that it always was.  
Let it be spoken without effect,  
without the trace of a shadow on it.  
Life means all that it ever meant.  
It is the same as it ever was.  
There is unbroken continuity.  
Why should I be out of mind  
because I am out of sight?  
I am waiting for you,  
for an interval,  
somewhere very near,  
just around the corner.  
All is well.

**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.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRAYERS OF COMMITTAL**

**CATHOLIC RITES**

**FINAL WORDS**

**DISMISSAL**

I'd like the memory of me  
to be a happy one.  
I'd like to leave an afterglow  
of smiles when life is done.

I'd like to leave an echo,  
whispering softly down the ways.  
Of happy times and laughing times  
and bright and sunny days.

I'd like the tears of those who grieve,  
to dry before the sun.  
Of happy memories that I leave,  
when my life is done.

**RECESSIONAL MUSIC**

'We'll Gather Lilacs'  
Deanna Durbin & Robert Paige

Service taken by: Rev'd Peter White