

The Oaks Crematorium
Havant

In Loving Memory of



DAVID JOHN STEVENSON
(RET'D MAJOR)

12th November 1930 ~ 21st January 2025

David's family would like to thank you for attending today to celebrate his life and invite you to join them afterwards for refreshments at The Half Moon, Sheet, GU31 4BE

Donations in memory of David will benefit British Heart Foundation can be made at <https://www.funeralguide.co.uk/130860> or at Rowland's Funeral Services, St Peter's Road, Petersfield GU32 3HX

Friday 28th February 2025
at 1.00 pm

GATHERING MUSIC
Sailing - Royal Marines Band Portsmouth

OPENING MUSIC
Calon Lan (A Pure Heart)
performed by Richard McVeigh

WORDS OF WELCOME

HYMN

Eternal Father, strong to save,
Whose arm hath bound the restless wave,
Who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep
Its own appointed limits keep;
Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee,
For those in peril on the sea!

O Christ! Whose voice the waters heard
And hushed their raging at Thy word,
Who walkedst on the foaming deep,
And calm amidst the storm didst sleep;
Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee,
For those in peril on the sea!

O Trinity of love and power!
Our brethren shield in danger's hour;
From rock and tempest, fire and foe,
Protect them wheresoe'er they go;
Thus evermore shall rise to Thee
Glad hymns of praise from land and sea.

THE TRIBUTE TO DAVID
delivered by Simon Dimmock (Grandson)

TIME FOR REFLECTION WITH MUSIC AND PHOTOS
Dafydd y Garreg Wen (David of the White Rock)
performed by Richard McVeigh

POEMS
Life Lessons by Joanna Fuchs
read by Diana Dimmock (Daughter)
We Had A Wonderful Grandfather, author Unknown
read by Megan Bolam (Granddaughter)

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.

THE COMMENDATION AND COMMITTAL

COMMITTAL MUSIC
Elgar's Nimrod performed by the Band of the Royal Engineers

THE BLESSING

CLOSING WORDS

CLOSING MUSIC
Bring Me Sunshine - Morecambe and Wise