

IN CELEBRATION FOR THE LIFE OF

Allan Bryn Jones

31st July 1940 - 13th April 2025



Markeaton Crematorium, Main Chapel

Friday 16th May 2025

at 11.00 am



Order of Service

Processional Music

He Ain't Heavy, He's My Brother - The Hollies

Introduction and Welcome

Reverend Pete White



Reading

God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be,
So He put His arms around you and whispered, "Come to me."
With tearful eyes, we watched you and saw you pass away.
Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay.
A golden heart stopped beating, hard-working hands at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best.

Reflecting on Allan's Life

Music for Reflection

My Ding-A-Ling - Chuck Berry



Reading

For Allan, who's found his peace once more,
Reunited with Sylv, whom he adored.
Born and bred in Derby, a life well-spent,
With laughter and love, his spirit content.

A joiner and driver, he built and he drove,
Crafting with skill in all that he strove.
Immaculate always in tailored attire,
With humour so sharp, igniting the fire.

Clean and shaven, with hair always neat,
He brought joy to his friends on every street.
To town he would wander with charm to impart.
At the Seven Stars, he played his part.

A ladies' man, with a twinkle in his eye.
In stories and laughter, his memory won't die.
So here's to you, Allan, forever held dear.
In our hearts, your laughter will always be near.



Prayers of Farewell

In the hush of twilight's gentle sigh,
Where golden rays embrace the sky,
A journey calls, beyond our sight,
To realms aglow with endless light.

Through valleys deep and mountains high,
Where whispered winds and rivers vie,
Your spirit sails on wings of grace
To find its peaceful resting place.

Though tears may fall like morning dew,
And hearts are heavy, missing you,
Know that love will guide your way
As you embark on this new day.

So go with courage, go with peace,
May all your pain and worries cease,
For in the arms of timeless rest,
You'll find a home, forever blessed.



Music for Reflection

A song Allan loved to sing at parties:
What A Wonderful World

Poem

No Night Without

There is no night without a dawning,
No winter without a spring
And beyond the dark horizon,
Our hearts will once more sing.

For those who leave us for a while
Have only gone away
Out of a restless, care worn world
Into a brighter day.



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,
forever and ever. Amen.

Closing Words

Afterglow

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 life is done.

Recessional Music

Time To Say Goodbye - Sarah Brightman and Andrea Bocelli





Allan's family would like to thank you for attending today and are grateful for your kindness and words of support during this time.

They would like to warmly welcome you all back to Fraser Hall, The Leylands, Broadway, Darley Abbey, Derby DE22 1LD for light refreshments, following this service.

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and

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