


In Loving Memory of



Robert William Walls
'Billy'

28th October 1936 ~ 20th August 2025

A photograph of a jockey riding a brown horse during a race. The jockey is wearing a yellow and purple jacket, white breeches, and a yellow helmet. The horse is galloping on a green track, with a wooden fence and a blue sky with clouds in the background. The number '3' is visible on the horse's saddle cloth.

Mansfield Crematorium, Newstead Chapel
Monday 22nd September 2025 at 1.00 pm



Order of Service

Conducted by Colum O'Shea, Civil Funeral Celebrant

PROCESSIONAL MUSIC

All I Can Say Is Goodbye
Tom Jones

WORDS OF WELCOME



POEM

Miner's Epitaph
by Mark Gregory

Of all the men who lived and died,
This miner's tale we now provide;
He was a man who gave his life
Far from his family and his wife;
He braved the darkness and the cold,
And mined the earth for gems and gold.
His work is done, his rest is won,
And now he sleeps beneath the sun.

HYMN

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross,
The emblem of suffering and shame;
And I love that old cross where the dearest and best
For a world of lost sinners was slain.

*So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
Till my trophies at last I lay down;
I will cling to the old rugged cross,
And exchange it some day for a crown.*

O that old rugged cross, so despised by the world,
Has a wondrous attraction for me;
For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above
To bear it to dark Calvary.
So I'll cherish...

In that old rugged cross, stained with blood so divine,
A wondrous beauty I see,
For 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died,
To pardon and sanctify me.
So I'll cherish...

To the old rugged cross I will ever be true;
Its shame and reproach gladly bear;
Then He'll call me some day to my home far away,
Where His glory forever I'll share.
So I'll cherish...

George Bennard (1873-1958)





EULOGY

PICTURES OF BILLY

Music: Can't Help Falling In Love
Elvis Presley

REFLECTION



COMMITTAL

CLOSING WORDS

RECESSIONAL MUSIC

My Way
Frank Sinatra



The family would like to thank everyone
for their kind words and support at this sad time.

All are welcome for light refreshment at
The Sherwood Inn,
Kirklington Road,
Rainworth,
Mansfield
NG21 0LA.

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Alzheimer's Society
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