

# *Celebrating*

THE LIFE OF



**RAYMOND MURRAY GIBBONS**

*5TH MARCH 1955 - 2ND JANUARY 2023*

*SATURDAY 28TH JANUARY 2023*

*CEREMONY HELD AT RIPPLE VILLAGE HALL - 3PM  
LEADING ONTO THE RAILWAY INN, RIPPLE*



## **A CELEBRATION OF RAY'S LIFE**

**He will be missed by all of us lucky to have known him.**

**- WELCOME & INTRODUCTION -**

*By*

*Marie Pembridge*

**- FEEL NO GUILT IN LAUGHTER -**

*Read By*

*Maddie Gibbons*

**Feel no guilt in laughter, he'd know how much you care.**

**Feel no sorrow in a smile that he is not here to share.**

**You cannot grieve forever; he would not want you to.**

**He'd hope that you could live your life the way you always do.**

**So, talk about the good times and the way you showed you cared,**

**the days you spent together, all the happiness you shared.**

**Let memories surround you, a word someone may say**

**will suddenly recapture a time, an hour or a day,**

**that brings him back as clearly as though he were still here,**

**and fills you with the feeling that he is always near.**

**For if you keep those moments, you will never be apart**

**and he will live forever locked safely within your heart.**



- AIN'T NO SUNSHINE -

Bill Withers

*Sang By*

*Jasmine Jones*

- EULOGY -

A short journey throughout Ray's life.

*By*

*Alex Gibbons*

*Isobella Jones*

*Wilson Jones*

"You can shed tears that he is gone,  
or you can smile because he has lived."

- LEAN ON ME -

Bill Withers

*Sometimes in our lives*

*We all have pain*

*We all have sorrow*

*But if we are wise*

*We know that there's always tomorrow*

*Lean on me*

*When you're not strong*

*And I'll be your friend*

*I'll help you carry on...*



## **APPRECIATION**

*OUR FAMILY WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU ALL FOR  
YOUR KIND SUPPORT DURING THIS DIFFICULT  
TIME.*

**REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED AFTER THE**

**SERVICE AT:**

THE RAILWAY INN

STATION ROAD

RIPPLE

GL20 6EY

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