Celebrating THE LIFE OF



Paul Francis Hughes

24th November 1955 - 16th July 2023

Service held at Wiltshire Crematorium, Semington, BA14 6HL Monday 7th August 2023 at 1:15pm

> Service conducted by Dave Smith Chaplain at Dorothy House Hospice

RECEPTION OF COFFIN

Pallbearers Chris Hughes, William Hughes, Joe Hughes, James Clarke

MUSIC EXPERT FROM A HIPPY OPERA

GATHERING

READING

Oneness

Thich Nhat Hanh

"The moment I die,
I will try to come back to you as quickly as possible.
I promise it will not take long.
Isn't it true I am already with you,
as I die each moment?
I come back to you in every moment.
Just look, feel my presence.
If you want to cry, please cry.
And know that I will cry with you.
The tears you shed will heal us both.

Your tears are mine.

The earth I tread this morning transcends history. Spring and Winter are both present in the moment.

The young leaf and the dead leaf are really one.

My feet touch deathlessness, and my feet are yours.

Walk with me now.

Let us enter the dimension of oneness and see the cherry tree blossom in Winter.
Why should we talk about death?
I don't need to die to be back with you.

MEMORIES AND PICTURES OF PAUL

MUSIC I HOPE THERE'S SOMEONE

MOMENTS OF REMEMBERANCE DAVE SMITH

THE LORDS PRAYER ALL

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.

FAREWELL

COMMITTAL

CELTIC BLESSING

MUSIC and EXIT
You'll Never Walk Alone

Refreshments will be served after the service at:

SEMINGTON VILLAGE HALL HIGH STREET SEMINGTON BA14 6JR

DONATIONS

If you wish to make a donation to our chosen charity, this can be done via our funeral directors.

The chosen charity is Dorothy House Hospice, Winsley, BA15 2LE

You can also donate via the following link:

https://www.just giving.com/fundraising/debbie-hughes 38