



IN LOVING MEMORY OF ROSS

David John Hewitt

27TH OCTOBER 1954 - 6TH OCTOBER 2023

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Service held at Stourbridge Crematorium, Stourbridge, West Midlands

Wednesday, 1st of November 1.30pm

Service conducted by Celebrant Paul Harborne

RECEPTION OF COFFIN
Queen "Somebody to Love"

WELCOME

Poem 'He Is Gone'
by David Harkins

EULOGY
By Paul Harborne

REFLECTION
Queen "I Want to Break Free"

Poem 'Death Is Nothing At All'
by Henry Scott-Holland

COMMITTAL

FINAL WORDS

CLOSURE and EXIT
Dani & Lizzy "Dancing in The Sky"



Death Is Nothing At All'
by Henry Scott-Holland



Death is nothing at all.
It does not count.
I have only slipped away into the next room.
Nothing has happened.

Everything remains exactly as it was.
I am I, and you are you,
and the old life that we lived so fondly together is untouched, unchanged.
Whatever we were to each other, that we are still.

Call me by the old familiar name.
Speak of me in the easy way which you always used.
Put no difference into your tone.
Wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow.

Laugh as we always laughed at the little jokes that we enjoyed together.
Play, smile, think of me, pray for me.
Let my name be ever the household word that it always was.
Let it be spoken without an effort, without the ghost of a shadow upon it.

Life means all that it ever meant.
It is the same as it ever was.
There is absolute and unbroken continuity.
What is this death but a negligible accident?

Why should I be out of mind because I am out of sight?
I am but waiting for you, for an interval,
somewhere very near,
just round the corner.

All is well.
Nothing is hurt; nothing is lost.
One brief moment and all will be as it was before.
How we shall laugh at the trouble of parting when we meet again!



APPRECIATION

*The family would like to thank you all for your
kind support during this time of sadness.*

Refreshments will be served after the service at 2.30Pm onwards at:

Cookley Village Hall and Sports Club

Lea Lane

Cookley, Worcestershire,

DY10 3RH

DONATIONS

*If you wish to make a donation our chosen
charities are Pancreatic Cancer UK and/or Mary Stevens Hospice,
a donation box can be found in the crematorium and at the wake.*