

In Loving Memory of

Colin Frederick Pales



28th July 1952 - 24th October 2023

Peterborough Crematorium

Friday 24th November at 10am

Service led by Julie Smith

Order of Service

Entrance Music

Let It Be - The Beatles

Opening Words

Colin's Life

Poem

'I Was Loved, Therefore I Am' by Ana Draper
Read by Penny Symonds

I was loved, therefore I am;
And in being loved, I am treasured.
When I peeled away my layers,
And all that was left was my essence,
The bareness of me.
I was still loved.

I was loved, therefore I am;
And in being loved, I was able to grow.
In my mistakes held,
In my successes celebrated,
I was always loved.

I was loved, therefore I am;
And in being loved, I learned to love.
In the sun filled day,
In the ecstasy of the night,
I was loved and loved others.

To be loved is all you need:
I was loved...and so, I will always be.

Reflective Music

Amazing Grace (Instrumental) - 101 Strings Orchestra

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, for ever
and ever.

Amen.

Committal

Words of Comfort

Poem

Afterglow by Helen Lowrie Marshall

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.

As We Leave

The Long and Winding Road - The Beatles

