



**A CELEBRATION OF THE  
LIFE OF**

**Craig Raymond Cope  
14th July 1972 - 3rd March 2024**

**FUNERAL SERVICE HELD ON:  
Thursday 11th April at 2:00pm**

**THE CITY OF LEICESTER  
GILROES CEMETERY AND CREMATORIUM  
GROBY ROAD, LEICESTER. LE3 9QG.**

## **ENTRANCE MUSIC**

**"All My Love"**

**Led Zeppelin**

**Craig shared this song on facebook with a message**

**"To all the people I know"**

## **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

**Paul Gask, Minister**

**My beautiful first born son Craig,**

**My love for you is endless as is my pain that you are gone.**

**I carry you in my heart always,**

**until we are together again.**

**My memories of you are never ending and I carry them in my heart,  
and I hope they give me the strength to bare that you are no longer here.**

**Love and kisses always, your Mum xxx**

## **TRIBUTES**

**Eulogy**

**A SONG FOR CRAIG**

**"In My Life"**

**The Beatles**

## **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 AND FINAL FAIRWELL**

**'In memory of our brother Craig'**

**You gave no one a last farewell,  
nor never said goodbye.  
You were gone before we knew it,  
and only God knows why.  
A million times we will miss you,  
a million times we will cry.  
In our hearts you hold a place,  
no one else can fill.  
It broke our hearts to lose you,  
but you didn't go alone,  
for part of us went with you,  
the day God took you home.  
You will be in our hearts, always and forever.  
Lisa, Suzanne and Roman xx**

## **CLOSING THOUGHTS**

**CLOSING MUSIC  
"We Love You"  
The Rolling Stones**

**Flowers will be provided for those who wish to say a final fairwell and place a flower with Craig on his final journey.**

## APPRECIATION

Craig's family would like to thank you all for coming today, your love, support and kind expressions of sympathy at this time of deep sadness.



*Refreshments will be served after the service at*

***The West End Club  
Braunstone Avenue  
Leicester. LE3 1LD***

## DONATIONS

*If you wish to make a donation to our chosen charity (The British Red Cross) you can kindly donate via the box provided by Paul Pender & Sons Ltd Funeral Directors.*