

A Celebration of the Life of

Michael Matthews



30th May 1941 - 16th June 2024

Service held at Bangor Crematorium

Thursday 4th July 2024 at 2.30pm

Officiated by Peter Wild

Processional Music
Moonlight Serenade - Glen Millar

Welcome and Reflections

Letter from Heaven

*When tomorrow starts without me and I'm not here to see.
If the sun should rise and find your eyes, filled with tears for me.
I wish so much you wouldn't cry the way you did today, while thinking
of the many things we didn't get to say.
I know how much you love me as much as I love you.
And each time you think of me, I know you'll miss me too.
When tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart, for every
time you think of me, I'm right there inside your heart.*

Reflection

Wonderful World - Louis Armstrong

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.

Farewell

Closing Words

I heard your voice in the wind today (Anon)

*I heard your voice in the wind today
and I turned to see your face
The warmth of the wind caressed me
as I stood silently in place.
I felt your touch in the sun today
as its warmth filled the sky
I closed my eyes for your embrace
and my spirit soared high.
I saw your eyes in the window pane
as I watched the falling rain
It seemed as each raindrop fell
it quietly said your name.
I held you close in my heart today
it made me feel complete
You may have died but you are not gone
you will always be a part of me.
As long as the sun shines
the wind blows
the rain falls
You will live on inside of me forever
for that is all my heart knows.*

Good Night and God Bless Mike

Recessional Music
Going Home - Ken Colyer Jazzmen

