A celebration of the life of



29th December 1954 - 24th August 2024

Harewood Park Cremetorium | Friday 20th September, 2024 at 2pm

Order of Service Conducted by Alexandra Fellowes - Civil Celebrant

Entrance Music by Fleetwood Mac 'Landslide'

Opening words & Introduction

Remembering Brian
Eulogy By Steve Curry

Reflection

Music by Judy Collins
'Both sides now'

Prayer 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.

A Final Farewell

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

Death is nothing at all.

I have only slipped away to the next room.

I am I and you are you.

Whatever we were to each other,

That, we still are.

Call me by my old familiar name.

Speak to 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 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 effect.

Without the trace of a shadow on it.

Life means all that it ever meant.
It is the same that it ever was.
There is absolute unbroken continuity.
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 around the corner.
All is well

Closing Words.

Exit Music by Pink Floyd 'Shine on you crazy diamond'



Appreciation

My family would like to thank you all for coming today.

Donations in memory of Brian may be made to the Garden House Hospice.

If you wish to donate by phone please call us on 01462 679540.

Cheques can be made payable to Garden House Hospice Care, and sent to

Fundraising at Gillison close, Letchworth, Hertfordshire, SG6 1QU.

After the service, you are warmly invited to join the family for light refreshments

at:

The Shephall Tavern Shephall way, Shephall Stevenage, SG2 9QH