

Celebrating
THE LIFE OF



John Anthony Lindsell

4TH December 1954 - 3rd October 2024

*Service held at: Randalls Park Crematorium
Randalls Road, Leatherhead Surrey KT22 0AG
Wednesday, 30th of October at 14.45*

Service conducted by Alison Grubb

Entry Music
"He Ain't Heavy, He's My Brother"
The Hollies

WORDS OF WELCOME

POEM - Read by Phoebe Lindsell

Raise A Glass

**I had toasted many in my life time.
Glasses of the most expensive wines, exclusive champagnes,
and the cheapest of beers.**

**Funny, out of all, the beers were the most enjoyable
through my years.
I now ask myself why? It's because of the laughter.
Sophistication was always troubling to me.
Don't get me wrong. To each his own I always say.
Jokes I would tell a few long, with stories that seemed to be so
crazy, many wondered if they were true.
It was how the story was told, some were hysterical, you had to
hold your stomach with both hands praying that it didn't split apart.
Others were so sad they brought tears to your eyes.
That's when I knew I belonged, this is where I saw love among friends.
Where are they now?
A question that is not to be answered.
No more pat on the backs.
No more "See ya later John".
So, to you all please don't cry but fill your glass and tell a story or
two about my journey.
Then raise a toast, my good friends.**

EULOGY - read by Alison Grubb

Reflections - Music My Way - Frank Sinatra

POEM - Read by Kerry Hunt

Farewell My Friends

**It was beautiful as long as it lasted
The journey of my life
I have no regrets whatsoever
Save the pain I'll leave behind.**

**Those dear hearts who love and care..
And the strings pulling at the heart and soul..
The strong arms that held me up
When my own strength let me down.**

**At every turning of my life
I came across good friends,
Friends who stood by me.
Even when the time raced me by.**

**Farewell, farewell, my friends
I smile and bid you goodbye.
No, shed no tears for I need them not
All I need is your smile.**

**If you feel sad do think of me
For that's what I'll like
When you live in the hearts of those you love,
remember then, you never die**

BY: Rabindranath Tagore

CLOSING WORDS - by Alison Grubb

**Closing Music: "Stairway to Heaven"
Led Zeppelin**



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 to raise a glass or cuppa at
Manor Cottage
The Common, Bookham
Surrey, KT23 3HZ*

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