



Celebrating the life of

CARL PHILIP STANLEY

27th September 1982 - 29th August 2023

Service held at Stockport Crematorium

Monday 11th of September at 3.15pm





*“Don't cry because it's over,
smile because it happened...”*



ONE OF CARL'S FAVOURITE POEMS

FUNERAL BLUES

W.H.Auden

Stop all the clocks, cut off the telephone,
Prevent the dog from barking with a juicy bone,
Silence the pianos and with muffled drum
Bring out the coffin, let the mourners come.

Let aeroplanes circle moaning overhead
Scribbling on the sky the message He Is Dead,
Put crepe bows round the white necks of the public doves,
Let the traffic policemen wear black cotton gloves.

He was my North, my South, my East and West,
My working week and my Sunday rest,
My noon, my midnight, my talk, my song
I thought that love would last for ever; I was wrong.

The stars are not wanted now; put out every one
Pack up the moon and dismantle the sun;
Pour away the ocean and sweep up the wood;
For nothing now can come to any good.



APPRECIATION

The family would like to thank you all for your kind support during this time of sadness.

Please join the family to raise a toast to Carl and share your favourite memories at;

The Heaton Sports Club
Green Lane
Stockport, SK4 2NF

DONATIONS

If you wish to make a donation to our chosen charity (The Brain Tumour Charity), collection boxes will be available after the service and at The Heaton Sports Club