

*Brian Edwin Copleston*



*5th November 1936 - 30th August 2023*

**FUNERAL SERVICE HELD ON:**

Friday 29th September 2023

Wealden Crematorium

Horam Road,

Horam,

Heathfield TN21 0FX

## **Procession of Coffin**

*Music: What a Wonderful World - Louis Armstrong*

## **Welcome & Opening Prayers**

*Rev. Hollie Butler*

## **Reading: Psalm 139:1-18**

*Angela Copleston*

## **Eulogy**

*Pippa Moore*

## **Hymn**

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer (Cwm Rhondda)*

*William Williams 1745*

*(Sung by Sir Harry Secombe, please join in if you wish)*

Guide me, O thou great redeemer,  
Pilgrim though this barren land;  
I am weak, but thou art mighty;  
Hold me with thy powerful hand;  
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven  
Feed me now and evermore, feed me now and evermore.

Open thou the crystal fountain,  
Whence the healing stream shall flow;  
Let the fiery cloudy pillar  
Lead me all my journey through;  
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer  
Be thou still my strength and shield, be thou still my strength and shield

When I tread the verge of Jordan,  
Bid my anxious fears subside;  
Death of death, and hell's destruction  
Land me safe on Canaan's side;  
Songs of praises, songs of praises  
I will ever give to thee, I will ever give to thee  
I will ever give to thee

### ***Reflections & Prayers***

*Rev. Hollie Butler*

### ***Commendation & Committal***

*Rev. Hollie Butler*

### ***Blessing***

*Rev. Hollie Butler*

### ***Final Music***

*You are invited to listen to a favourite piece of music of Brian's  
and to take items offered as you leave.*

*The roses are made from pages of The Goon Show Scripts.*

## ***Appreciation***

*The family would like to thank you all for your kindness, messages and support during this time of sadness*



*Refreshments will be served after the service at:*

*Horam Park Golf Club, Chiddingly Road,  
Horam, East Sussex, TN21 0JJ*

## ***Donations***

*If you would like to, a donation in memory of Brian can be made to our chosen charity, 'Second Chance Children's Charity'*

*at*

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