



*A CELEBRATION OF THE  
LIFE OF*

**John Barry Thurgood**

*3rd APRIL 1944 – 25th JANUARY 2025*

INTERMENT OF ASHES CEREMONY ON:  
*FRIDAY 4TH APRIL 2025*

CHURCH OF ST MARY THE VIRGIN,  
WALKERN, SG2 7PB

# ***INTERMENT OF ASHES CEREMONY***

Service conducted by The Reverend Mike Leverton

## ***WELCOME & INTRODUCTION***

### ***EULOGY***

By Mark Thurgood

### ***READING***

John: Chapter 14 verses 1-6

“Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. My Father’s house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am. You know the way to the place where I am going.” Thomas said to him, “Lord, we don’t know where you are going, so how can we know the way?” Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

## ***THE LORDS 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.

***Committal (at the graveside)***

## ***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 at*

***The Three Horeshoes  
Hooks Cross, A602, Watton at Stone,  
Hertford SG14 3RY***

## ***DONATIONS***

*If you wish to make a donation to John's chosen  
charity (Diabetes UK), it can be  
made care of the Just Giving link available from the family.*