











Martin Charles Vowles

23rd May 1953 - 16th July 2024 Weston Crematorium Wednesday 14th August at 11.30am

Service led by Reverend Martin Lee

ENTRANCE MUSIC My way - Elvis Presley

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

Morning Has Broken

Eleanor Farjeon (1931)

Morning has broken like the first morning
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird
Praise for the singing, praise for the morning
Praise for them springing fresh from the world

Sweet the rains new fall, sunlit from Heaven
Like the first dewfall on the first grass
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden
Sprung in completeness where His feet pass

Mine is the sunlight, mine is the morning Born of the one light, Eden saw play raise with elation, praise every morning God's recreation of the new day

> Reading 1 Corinthians, Chapter 13

> > The Eulogy

Reflective Music
He Lives in You

Abide With Me Henry Francis Lyte (1847)

Abide with me, fast falls the eventide: The darkness deepens, Lord, with me abide: When other helpers fail, and comforts flee, Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day,
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away,
Change and decay in all around I see,
O Thou who changest not, abide with me.

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless,
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes,
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies,
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee,
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

POEM

He is Gone - David Harkins

Prayers of commendation and Committal

The Blessing

EXIT MUSIC

Blaze of Glory - Bon Jovi



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 Nut Tree Ebdon Road BS22 6UN

Donations

If you wish to make a donation to our chosen charity (Springboard Opportunity Group), it can be made care of Groves Funeral Directors Ltd.