A SERVICE TO CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF GORDON JEFFERIES



24th January 1932 - 12th March 2024

Service held at Crosthwaite Church, Keswick, on 31st August 2024, at 11.30am

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Reverend Andy Murphie

Jerusalem William Blake

And did those feet in ancient time walk upon England's mountains green?
And was the holy Lamb of God on England's pleasant pastures seen?
And did the countenance divine shine forth upon our clouded hills?
And was Jerusalem builded here among those dark Satanic Mills?

Bring me my bow of burning gold!
Bring me my arrows of desire!
Bring me my spear! O clouds, unfold!
Bring me my chariot of fire!
I will not cease from mental fight,
nor shall my sword sleep in my hand,
till we have built Jerusalem
In England's green and pleasant Land.

EULOGY

By Robert Jefferies

Crossing the Bar Alfred, Lord Tennyson

By Alexandra Wijdeveld

Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me!
And may there be no moaning of the bar,
When I put out to sea,

But such a tide as moving seems asleep,
Too full for sound and foam,
When that which drew from out the boundless deep
Turns again home.

Twilight and evening bell,
And after that the dark!
And may there be no sadness of farewell,
When I embark:

For tho' from out our bourne of Time and Place
The flood may bear me far,
I hope to see my Pilot face to face
When I have crost the bar.

Closing Prayer



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Appreciation

The family would like to thank everyone for the friendship and support given to Gordon over recent years.

Refreshments will be served after the service at:

Portinscale Village Hall