

*Celebrating  
the life of*



*Leslie Ernest Edward  
Turner*

3rd July 1928 - 27th August 2024

Service held at All Saint's Church,  
Church Lawton  
Saturday 21st of September at 12 pm

## Our memories of Dad

Dad's 96 years of life have given us so many memories to treasure and we would like to share some of them with you.

Dad had a lifelong love of learning and he had a huge collection of books. He usually had several books on the go and was often found quietly sitting in his armchair reading. He was a fluent Welsh speaker, self-taught as an adult and he enjoyed surprising people when in Wales. He was always determined to master the latest technology and was often asking how to work one of his many mobile phones. He loved travelling, he had a remarkable memory for places and often knew a local pub or place to eat. We have happy memories of our numerous camping trips each year, usually to Anglesey where we once got snowed in. He went on frequent travels across the world with Mum, often to worryingly remote places. He enjoyed taking scenery photos from his holidays, especially in Wales and Ireland and we often watched slide shows together as a family. Early childhood memories are of the only bathroom in the house being out of use for hours on end whilst he was developing the films.

He had a love of music and could play the piano and violin. Classical music was often played in the house and he was a regular visitor to the Eisteddfod Festival in Wales.

Dad could be relied on to mend almost anything. The kitchen worktop was always full of ongoing projects, his last challenge was mending a toy drill for his great grandchildren.

He was a very independent person, he remained self-caring and insisted on always doing his ironing on wash day. He loved his home and garden and spent many hours watching his very busy bird feeders. He found a lot of comfort there when our mum passed away.

We will remember Dad as being very proud and protective of his family. He always asked for news and enjoyed seeing everyone, especially at family get togethers and on short breaks together. He remained interested in everything around him.

Dad passed away peacefully in Largs. He spent many happy times there with Mum in their early years together and he continued to enjoy breaks there in his later years.

He will be very sadly missed



May the road rise up to meet you  
May the wind be always at your back  
May the sun shine warm upon your face and the rains  
fall soft upon your fields  
And until we meet again  
May God hold you in the palm of his hand.

Traditional Irish blessing



### APPRECIATION

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

Refreshments will be served after the service at the  
Wilbraham Arms Alsager and you are all invited to join us there

Dad supported Help the Aged and Save the Children charities, if you would  
like to make a donation in his memory this will be gratefully received