# Celebrating THE LIFE OF



# Alan Ewington

25th November 1939 - 26TH October 2024

Service held at North Oxfordshire Crematorium & Memorial Park Friday, 29th of November at 10am

Service conducted by Debbie Blakeley

# Opening music - 'Fathers and Daughters' - Michael Bolton

### Introduction and welcome

# Reading - 'That he is gone' - David Harkins

You can shed tears that he is gone, or you can smile because he has lived.
You can close your eyes and pray that he'll come back, or you can open your eyes and see all he's left.
Your heart can be empty because you can't see him, or you can be full of the love you shared.
You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday, or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.
You can remember only that he is gone, or you can cherish his memory and let it live on.
You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back.
Or you can do what he'd want: smile, open your eyes, love and go on.

# Tribute to Alan

'Goodbye' - Spice Girls

Committal - 'Simply the Best' - Tina Turner

Exit Music - 'Here Comes the Sun' - The Beatles

#### "Goodbye" - Spice Girls

No, no, no, no No, no, no, no

Listen, little child, there will come a day
When you will be able, able to say
Never mind the pain or the aggravation
You know there's a better way for you and me to be

Look for the rainbow in every storm Fly like an angel heaven sent to me

[Chorus]
Goodbye, my friend
(I know you're gone, you said you're gone
But I can still feel you here)
It's not the end
(I gotta keep it strong before the pain turns into fear)
So glad we made it

Time will never change it, no, no, no (No, no, no, no)

Just a little girl, big imagination
Never letting no one take it away
Went into the world (into the world), what a revelation
She found there's a better way for you and me to be

Look for the rainbow in every storm
Find out for certain love's gonna be there for you
You'll always be someone's baby

#### Chorus

The times when we would play about
The way we used to scream and shout
We never dreamt you'd go your own sweet way

Look for the rainbow in every storm
Find out for certain love's gonna be there for you
You'll always be someone's baby

Chorus



#### 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 Fleece 11 Church Green Witney, OX28 4AZ

## DONATIONS

A donation box will be present if you wish to make a donation to our chosen cause (Churchfields Nursing Home),
or see Sara's Just Giving page.