

TO CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF

DAVID CHARLES ELLACOTT

5th March 1954 - 3rd December 2021

Canford Crematorium, Westbury On Trym, Bristol Wednesday 29th December 2021 at 12.00 noon Humanist Celebrant: Michelle Morris



ENTRANCE MUSIC

Waterloo Sunset ~ The Kinks

Dirty old river, must you keep rolling
Flowing into the night?
People so busy, make me feel dizzy
Taxi light shines so bright

But I don't need no friends

As long as I gaze on

Waterloo sunset

I am in paradise

Every day I look at the world from my window But chilly, chilly is the evening time

Waterloo sunset's fine (Waterloo sunset's fine)

Terry meets Julie

Waterloo station

Every Friday night

But I am so lazy, don't want to wander

I stay at home at night

But I don't feel afraid

As long as I gaze on

Waterloo sunset

I am in paradise

Every day I look at the world from my window

But chilly, chilly is the evening time

Waterloo sunset's fine (Waterloo sunset's fine)

Millions of people swarming like flies 'round

Waterloo underground

But Terry and Julie cross over the river

Where they feel safe and sound

And they don't need no friends

As long as they gaze on

Waterloo Sunset

They are in paradise

Waterloo sunset's fine (Waterloo sunset's fine)

Waterloo sunset's fine

Songwriter: Raymond Douglas Davies

ENTRANCE MUSIC

Dream A Little Dream Of Me ~ The Mamas and The Papas sung by Cass Elliot

Stars shining bright above you Night breezes seem to whisper "I love you" Birds singing in the sycamore tree Dream a little dream of me Say "Night-ie night" and kiss me Just hold me tight and tell me you'll miss me While I'm alone and blue as can be Dream a little dream of me Stars fading but I linger on, dear Still craving your kiss I'm longing to linger till dawn, dear Just saying this Sweet dreams till sunbeams find you Sweet dreams that leave all worries behind you But in your dreams whatever they be Dream a little dream of me Stars fading but I linger on, dear Still craving your kiss I'm longing to linger till dawn, dear Just saying this

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Songwriters: Andre Fabian / Kahn Gus / Schwandt Wilbur

WORDS OF WELCOME

THOUGHTS ON LIFE AND DEATH

POEM

My Heart Leaps Up ~ William Wordsworth read by John Bratchel

My heart leaps up when I behold
A rainbow in the sky:
So was it when my life began;
So is it now I am a man;
So be it when I shall grow old,
Or let me die!
The Child is father of the Man;
And I could wish my days to be
Bound each to each by natural piety.

REMEMBERING DAVID

TRIBUTE PART ONE

Anna Woods read by Michelle

TRIBUTE PART TWO

Bruce Ellacott read by Gaye Ellacott

TRIBUTE PART THREE

Richard Brewer/Roger Sage read by Richard

TRIBUTE PART FOUR

Matthew Adlard read by Michelle

REFLECTION AND PHOTOGRAPHIC MEMORIES OF DAVID

Berceuse in D flat, Op. 57 ~ Chopin Nelson Goerner

SAYING FAREWELL

READING

The Tempest – Act IV, Scene 1 ~ William Shakespeare read by John Bratchel

PROSPERO: You do look, my son, in a moved sort, As if you were dismay'd: be cheerful, sir. Our revels now are ended. These our actors, As I foretold you, were all spirits and Are melted into air, into thin air: And, like the baseless fabric of this vision, The cloud-capp'd towers, the gorgeous palaces, The solemn temples, the great globe itself, Ye all which it inherit, shall dissolve And, like this insubstantial pageant faded, Leave not a rack behind. We are such stuff As dreams are made on, and our little life Is rounded with a sleep. Sir, I am vex'd; Bear with my weakness; my brain is troubled: Be not disturb'd with my infirmity: If you be pleased, retire into my cell And there repose: a turn or two I'll walk, To still my beating mind.

CLOSING WORDS

EXIT MUSIC
Just You, Just Me ~ Nat King Cole



Anna would like to thank everyone for their flowers, cards, kind thoughts, love and support throughout this time.

Due to the coronavirus pandemic, there will be no wake immediately following this ceremony.

Anna dearly hopes that we can all get together in spring.

