A Service of Celebration for the Life of

PATRICK JOHN HALCOX
'Pat'

18th March 1930 - 4th February 2013

Easthampstead Park Crematorium
Thursday 14th February 2013 at 9.45 am
Service Conducted by The Reverend Graham Theobald
ORDER OF SERVICE

MUSIC AS WE ENTER THE CHAPEL
will be played by great friends and colleagues

BIBLE SENTENCES AND INTRODUCTION

HYMN
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 Word!

Sweet the rain's 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!
Praise with elation, praise every morning,
God's re-creation of the new day!

Eleanor Farjeon (1881-1965)
BIBLE READING
Psalm 23
read by Jane James

SOME MEMORIES OF PAT
including
MEMORIES
by the Reverend David James
followed by
MUSIC FOR REFLECTION
Pat’s version of Stardust, with the Chris Barber Jazz Band

PRAYERS
concluding with
THE LORD’S PRAYER
(said together)
Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done;
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.
HYMN

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 build Jerusalem
In England's green and pleasant land.

William Blake (1757-1827)

THE COMMENDATION PRAYER AND THE COMMITTAL

CONCLUDING PRAYERS

THE BLESSING

The band will play again as we leave the Chapel
THANK YOU
Thank you to all family and friends for your kind words of comfort and support following the sad loss of Pat, and for being here today to remember and celebrate his life.

DONATIONS
Donations, if desired, may be given in memory of Pat (and payable to)

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or

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