

Tony Pickett

15th July 1953 – 27th July 2016



A Celebration of His Life

12.00 p.m. Friday 19th August 2016

Memorial Woodlands

Celebrant: Tim Sheppard

Claire



Ben



Alice



Entrance Music

Time To Say Goodbye, Katherine Jenkins

Welcome & Introduction

I Believe, Bath Male Choir

Memories of Tony

- ❖ Introduction
- ❖ Clive Pickett (Brother)
- ❖ Ben Pickett (Son)
- ❖ Claire Pickett (Daughter)
- ❖ Alice Pickett (Daughter)
- ❖ John Adams (Vice Principal Wiltshire College)
- ❖ Roger Southard (Colleague and Friend)
- ❖ Grenville Jones (Choir conductor)
- ❖ Ginette Draisey (Partner, 23 years)

Candle-Lighting & Pause for Reflection

Music: *Prelude 1 in C Major*, Bach, played by Phil Ridgers

It Is Not Growing Like A Tree, Ben Jonson

Read by Keith Crouch (Friend)

Commendation

Leaving Music

Swing Low, Sweet Chariot, Bath Male Choir

Graveside Committal

It is not growing like a tree
In bulk, doth make Man better be;
Or standing long an oak, three hundred year,
To fall a log at last, dry, bald, and sere:
A lily of a day
Is fairer far in May, Although it
fall and die that night;
It was the plant and flower of Light.
In small proportions we just beauties see;
And in short measure life may perfect be.

Ben Jonson



Thank you for coming to share in this celebration of Tony's life and to say farewell. Tony was much loved and will be greatly missed.

After the service please stay for refreshments and to share your stories and memories of Tony.

Donations in memory of Tony are being collected for the NSPCC, Golden Oldies, and the British Heart Foundation. There are envelopes available in a basket in the reception room.