



Following this service, Donald and Joan's family warmly invite you to join them at 'Vittoria', Liberty Wharf, Liberation Square, for light refreshments and to share your memories of Donald.

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A CELEBRATION OF DONALD'S LIFE



DONALD ERIC GORDON SAYERS

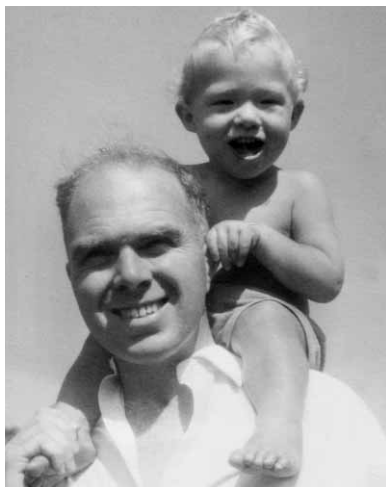
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JERSEY CREMATORIUM

TUESDAY 17TH JANUARY 2023

SERVICE LED BY
REVEREND JANE ILTON

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POEM
LET ME GO
Read by Mark

When I come to the end of the road
And the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room
Why cry for a soul set free?
Miss me a little, but not for long
And not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love that once we shared;
Miss me, but let me go.
For this is a journey we all must take,
And each must go alone.
It's all part of the master plan
A step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick at heart,
Go to the friends we know.
Laugh at all the things we used to do
Miss me, but let me go.

(Christina Rossetti, Victorian Poet)

BLESSING

MUSIC ON LEAVING:

Recording of Donald playing Grieg's Piano Concerto in A minor,
accompanied by the Jersey and Guernsey Symphony Orchestra,
Victoria College Hall, 1975.

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOMING MUSIC
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WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

HYMN

I VOW TO THEE MY COUNTRY

I vow to thee, my country,
All earthly things above,
Entire and whole and perfect,
The service of my love:
The love that asks no questions,
The love that stands the test,
That lays upon the altar
The dearest and the best;
The love that never falters,
The love that pays the price,
The love that makes undaunted
The final sacrifice.

And there's another country,
I've heard of long ago,
Most dear to them that love her,
Most great to them that know;
We may not count her armies,
We may not see her King;
Her fortress is a faithful heart,
Her pride is suffering;
And soul by soul and silently
Her shining bounds increase,
And her ways are ways of gentleness,
And all her paths are peace.

EULOGY

By Anthony

PEACE PRAYER OF SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Read by Lorraine

WHAT A WONDERFUL WORLD

By Louis Armstrong

REFLECTIONS

By Helen

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

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