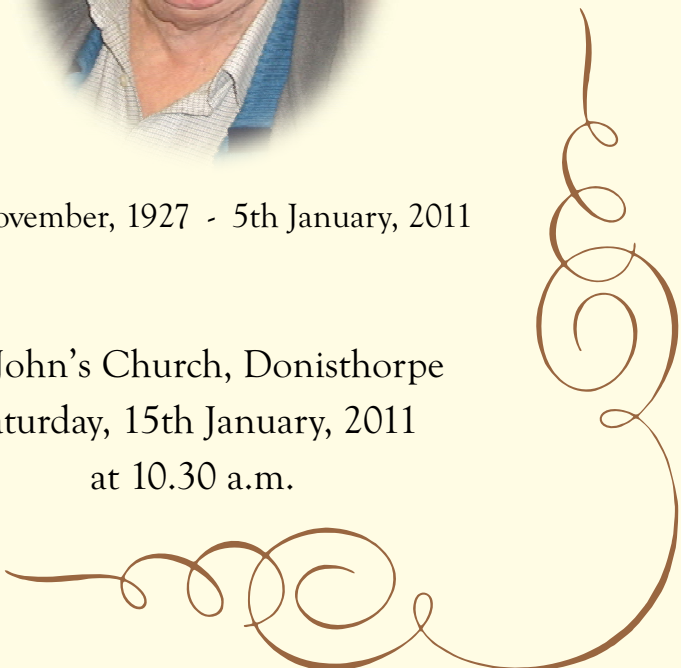


A Service to Celebrate the Life of
George Edwin Robson



7th November, 1927 - 5th January, 2011

St. John's Church, Donisthorpe
Saturday, 15th January, 2011
at 10.30 a.m.



Order of Service

Entrance Music:
O My Beloved Father
by John Foster and Son Plc, Black Dyke Mills Band

OPENING PRAYER

HYMN

O Lord my God when I in awesome wonder
consider all the works thy hand has made
I see the stars I hear the rolling thunder
thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed

*Then sings my soul,
my Saviour God, to thee:
How great thou art,
how great thou art. (2)*

When through the woods and forest glades I wander
and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees
when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur
and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze

And when I think that God his Son not sparing
sent him to die I scarce can take it in
that on the cross my burden gladly bearing
he bled and died to take away my sin

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home what joy shall fill my heart
when I shall bow in humble adoration
and there proclaim my God, how great thou art

BIBLE READING

PSALM 23

read by John (Son)

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:

He leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul:

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I will fear no evil:

For thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:

thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:

and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever. Amen

TRIBUTE

“OUR GRANDAD”

read by Paul (Grandson)

on behalf of the Grandchildren

HYMN

What a friend we have in Jesus,
All our sins and griefs to bear!

What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer!
O what peace we often forfeit,
O what needless pain we bear -
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged:
Take it to the Lord in prayer!
Can we find a friend so faithful,
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness -
Take it to the Lord in prayer!

Are we weak and heavy-laden,
Cumbered with a load of care?
Jesus only is our refuge,
Take it to the Lord in prayer!
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
Take it to the Lord in prayer!
In His arms He'll take and shield thee,
Thou wilt find a solace there.

THE ADDRESS

Canon Vivien Elphick

THE PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

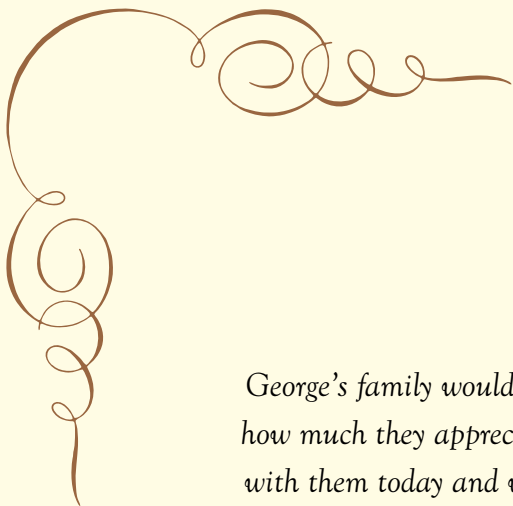
And did those feet in ancient time
Walk upon England's mountains green?
And was the holy Lamb of God
On England's pleasant pastures seen?
And did the countenance divine
Shine forth upon our clouded hills?
And was Jerusalem builded here
Among those dark satanic mills?
Bring me my bow of burning gold!
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 built Jerusalem
In England's green and pleasant land.

THE COMMENDATION

THE BLESSING

Exit Music:
I Love You Because by Jim Reeves

The Committal follows in Donisthorpe Cemetery



*George's family would like you to know
how much they appreciate your presence
with them today and warmly invite you
to join them for refreshments at
The Appleby Inn Hotel, Appleby Parva
after the service.*

*Any donations received in memory of George
will be given to Measham Medical Unit.*