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With Love We Remember



Garry Paul Houghton

30 June 1940 – 30 October 2024



A Service to Celebrate the Life of Garry

Woodside Estate, Woodside Road, Matangi
Tuesday 5th November 2024, 11am

Celebrant: John Lockley

Order of Service

Welcome: John Lockley

Song: 'What A Friend We Have In Jesus' - by Reawaken Hymns

What a friend we have in Jesus.
All our sins and griefs to bear
What a privilege to carry
Ev'rything to God in pray'r
Oh, what peace we often forfeit;
Oh, what needless pain we bear;
All because we do not carry
Ev'rything to God in pray'r.

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged;
Take it to the Lord in pray'r.
Can we find a friend so faithful,
Who will all our sorrow share?
Jesus knows our ev'ry weakness;
Take it to the Lord in pray'r.

Scripture Reading:

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

Eulogy:

Mark, Stuart and Niki

Tributes:

Graham Derrick (*Family Friend*)
Jeff Farrell (*Garry's Nephew*)
Trish Bussell (*Church Community Friend*)

Visual Tribute

Song:

'Great Is Thy Faithfulness' - by Thomas Chisholm

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not,
As Thou hast been Thou for ever wilt be.

Chorus: Great is Thy faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness!

Morning by morning new mercies I see;

All I have needed Thy hand hath provided,

Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter, and spring time and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Chorus...

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

Chorus x2

Reflections:

John Lockley

Benediction:

John Lockley

Recessional:

'Time to Say Goodbye' - by Andrea Bocelli