

IN LOVING MEMORY OF



FRANCIS MICHAEL GAVAGHAN

15th September 1948 - 9th May 2021

St Michael's Church,
Cumnor

Tuesday 1st June 2021
at 10.00 am



ORDER OF SERVICE

ENTRY MUSIC

Drink With Me from *Les Misérables*

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

OPENING PRAYER






HYMN

to listen to

And did those feet in ancient time
Walk upon England's mountain 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.

William Blake (1757-1827)





SCRIPTURE READING

John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6

Jesus said to his disciples: 'Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going.' Thomas said to him, 'Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?' Jesus said to him, 'I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.'

REMEMBERING FRAN

written by the family





ADDRESS

PRAYERS *ending with* 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.

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.**





READING
A Fallen Limb

A limb has fallen from the family tree.
I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me.
Remember the best times, the laughter, the song.
The good life I lived while I was strong.
Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.
Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through.
My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest.
Remembering all, how I truly was blessed.
Continue traditions, no matter how small.
Go on with your life, don't worry about falls.
I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin,
Until the day comes we're together again."





MUSIC

One Day Like This - Elbow

THE COMMENDATION

FINAL PRAYER AND BLESSING

EXIT MUSIC

In My Life - The Beatles





The immediate family will now accompany Fran
to the South Oxfordshire Crematorium.

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