



A Thanksgiving Service for the Life of

Richard Anthony Parker
'Tony'

At Rest

Tuesday 20th December 2022

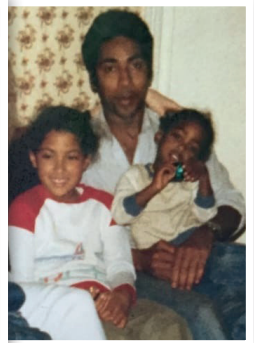
Aged 69 years

Service at St Andrews Church, Crewe

on Friday 10th February 2023

Followed by Cremation at Crewe Crematorium





Order of Service

Entrance Music

Gramps Morgan - People like you

Opening Prayer and Welcome

Rev'd Dr. Oliver C. Igwe

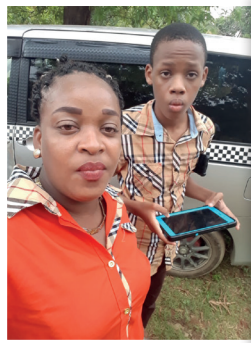
Hymn

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want;
He makes me down to lie
In pastures green: He leadeth me
The quiet waters by.

My soul He doth restore again,
And me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness
E'en for His own name's sake.

My table Thou hast furnished
In presence of my foes;
My head Thou dost with oil anoint,
And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life
Shall surely follow me,
And in God's house for evermore
My dwelling-place shall be.



Eulogy - Triston Hendricks-Hamilton (Son)

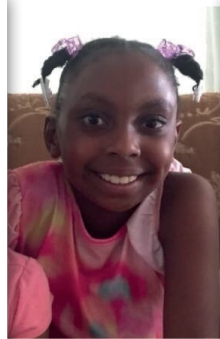
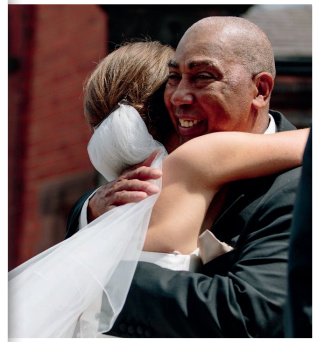
Poem - Emma Hughes (Daughter)

Tributes/Prayer - Early Days In Jamaica Dawn Parker-Massop (Sister)

Prayer

Dear Lord, we are grateful that you have made us all in our own image, given us gifts and talents with which to serve you.

Thank you for Tony Parker life, and all the years we shared with Tony and the love he had given us and in someways has touched us all. We lift him to you today, in honour of the good we saw in him and the love we felt from him. Please give us the strength to leave him in your care Oh lord we are sad he is gone. In the knowledge of eternal life through Jesus Christ, we will remembered Tony as he was but I know lord he is home. May be rest in eternal peace!



Quiet Reflection - Hymn

God be with you till we meet again;
Loving counsels guide, uphold you;
May the Shepherd's care efold you.
God be with you till we meet again.

Refrain

*Till we meet, till we meet,
Till we meet at Jesus' feet,
Till we meet, till we meet,
God be with you till we meet again.*

God be with you till we meet again;
Unseen wings, protecting, hide you,
Faithful manna still provide you;
God be with you till we meet again.

Refrain

God be with you till we meet again;
When life's perils thick confound you,
Put unfailing arms around you;
God be with you till we meet again.

Refrain

God be with you till we meet again;
Keep love's banner floating o'er you;
Smite death's threat'ning wave before you.
God be with you till we meet again.

Refrain

Bible Reading – John 14.1-6 - Hally Bennett (Sister)

Homily



Prayers

Notices

Hymn

When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound and
time shall be no more,
And the morning breaks, eternal, bright and fair;
When the saved diverse shall gather over on the
other shore,
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

*When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.*

Let us lay before the Master from the dawn 'til
setting sun;
Let us talk of all his wondrous love and care.
Then when all of life is over and our work on
Earth is done,
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

*When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder,
When the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.*

Commendation and Blessing

Exit Music

Carl Malcolm - Miss Wire Waist



At the Crematorium

Entrance Music

Going in Gregory Isaacs - Night Nurse

Welcome and Prayers

Poems

Committal and Blessing

Exit Music

Bob Marley and The Wailers - Three Little Birds



*We think of you with love today
But that is nothing new
We thought about you yesterday
And the day before that too.
We will think of you tomorrow
As we will our whole lives through
For the day we fail to think of you
Is the day we'll be with you.*

The family wish to thank relatives, friends and neighbours for their kind messages of sympathy, cards and donations received in their sad loss.

You are invited to join us for light refreshments at The Wrights Lounge, Crewe Alexandra Football Club. (Gresty Road, Crewe, CW2 6EB).

Donations are welcome for the British Heart Foundation.

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