

A Service of Celebration
for the life of



Mandy Budding

18th September 1970 – 25th July 2016

Poole Crematorium
Friday 12th August 2016
At 2.00pm

Service Conducted by
Mr Neil McCain

*Entry Music: 'A Million Love Songs' - Take That
Jason & Mandy's Wedding Song*

WELCOME & OPENING WORDS

How do I love thee? Let me count the ways.
I love thee to the depth and breadth and height
My soul can reach, when feeling out of sight
For the ends of being and ideal grace.
I love thee to the level of every day's
Most quiet need, by sun and candle light.
I love thee freely, as men strive for right.
I love thee purely, as they turn from praise.
I love thee with the passion put to use
In my old griefs, and with my childhood's faith.
I love thee with a love I seemed to lose
With my lost saints. I love thee with the breath,
Smile, tears, of all my life; and, if God choose,
I shall but love thee better after death.

(Sonnet 43, Elizabeth Barratt Browning)

POEM

Now I know what is meant by death –
A leavetaking
In one way, in another
A kind of waking.

The old world almost gone
Your voices ringing
In my ears like a distant echo
Barely clinging.

The stones of the earth are warm
And the grass is singing
As I start my new path
To my new beginning

(Oscar Benyon)

EULOGY

REFLECTION

I've had the time of my life' - Bill Medley & Jennifer Warnes

Now I've had the time of my life
No I never felt like this before
Yes I swear it's the truth
And I owe it all to you
'Cause I've had the time of my life
And I owe it all to you
I've been waiting for so long
Now I've finally found someone
To stand by me
We saw the writing on the wall
As we felt this magical
Fantasy
Now with passion in our eyes
There's no way we could disguise it
Secretly
So we take each other's hand
'Cause we seem to understand
The urgency
Just remember
You're the one thing
I can't get enough of
So I'll tell you something
This could be love because
I've had the time of my life
No I never felt this way before
Yes I swear it's the truth
And I owe it all to you
Hey, baby
With my body and soul
I want you more than you'll ever know

So we'll just let it go
Don't be afraid to lose control, no
Yes I know what's on your mind
When you say, "Stay with me tonight"
Just remember
You're the one thing
I can't get enough of
So I'll tell you something
This could be love because
I've had the time of my life
No I never felt this way before
Yes I swear it's the truth
And I owe it all to you
But I've had the time of my life
And I've searched through every open door
Till I found the truth
And I owe it all to you
[SOLO]
Now I've had the time of my life
No I never felt this way before
Yes I swear it's the truth
And I owe it all to you
I've had the time of my life
No I never felt this way before
Yes I swear it's the truth
And I owe it all to you
'Couse I've had the time of my life
And I've searched through every open door
Till I found the truth
And I owe it all to you

WORDS OF FAREWELL

THE LORDS PRAYER

Our father, who art in Heaven;
Hallowed be thy name
Thy Kingdom come, they 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

COMMENDATION

Celebrant: Into the freedom of wind and sunshine

All – We let you go

Celebrant: Into the dance of the stars and the planets

All – We let you go

Celebrant: Into the wind's breath and the hands of the star maker

All – We let you go

Celebrant: We love you, we miss you, we want you to be happy

All – Go safely, go dancing, go running home

CLOSING WORDS

Exit Music: 'Mr Brightside' – The Killers



Mandy's family would like to thank everyone for their kindness and support during this difficult time. They warmly welcome you to join them at
The Officers Mess, Blandford Camp
Blandford Forum, DT11 8RH
To raise a glass and share memories of Mandy.

Donations if wished in memory of Mandy are invited to
"The Fortuneswell Ward, Dorset County Hospital"
Either on exit from the Crematorium or c/o
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