A Service of Thanksgiving
for the Life of

Jonathan Adam Nicholas Goulding
'Jay'

23rd June 1992 ~ 30th October 2020

The Chapel
Poole Crematorium

Monday 30th November 2020
1 pm

Independent Celebrant ~ Rob Hazell

Opening Music

'Rain Bless Earth'

by Kaya Project (part of the Anthropos Festival line-up)

Welcome

Rob Hazell ~ Independent Celebrant

Remembering Jay

A Photo Album of Happy Times

with 'When I Was Done Dying' by Dan Deacon

(from Jay's Spotify playlist)

Memories and Thoughts

from Jay's family and friend

Dad Nick, Sister Anna, Step-brother Dan, Friend Bill, Step-dad Dave, Mum Sue

‘Leaf’ by Thich Nhat Hanh

read by Jay’s godmother, Mary

“I asked the leaf whether it was frightened because it was autumn and the other leaves were falling.

The leaf told me, “No. During the whole spring and summer I was completely alive. I worked hard to help nourish the tree, and now much of me is in the tree. I am not limited by this form. I am also the whole tree, and when I go back to the soil, I will continue to nourish the tree. So I don’t worry at all. As I leave this branch and float to the ground, I will wave to the tree and tell her, ‘I will see you again very soon.’

That day there was a wind blowing and, after a while, I saw the leaf leave the branch and float down to the soil, dancing joyfully, because as it floated it saw itself already there in the tree. It was so happy.

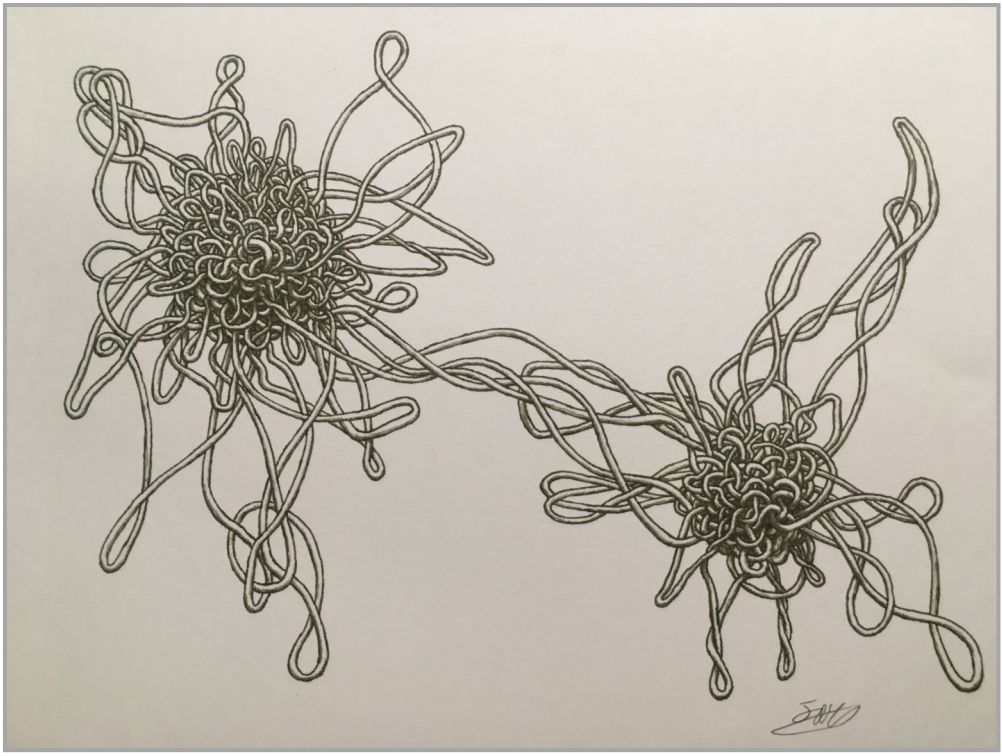
I bowed my head, knowing that I have a lot to learn from the leaf.”

Closing Words

Our Thanks and Farewell-for-now to Jay

Closing Music

‘*Let There Be Simple and Natural Things’*
by Jay’s friends of Julius LeVallon



To celebrate Jay's life you are invited to create something; large or small, ephemeral or permanent, in any medium or genre, or contribute something positive to the environment, or community. Whatever you make, create or plant is entirely yours - we just ask that you leave a record at:
https://www.funeraldirector.co.uk/funeral/jay-goulding/
so that in time, these might be gathered to show the positive ripple effect of Jay's life.

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