



‘Jim’

A Service of Celebration for the life of

James Joseph Smith

5th August 1928 - 4th April 2022

Bournemouth Crematorium

Tuesday 10th May

12:45pm

ORDER OF SERVICE

Entrance Music

In The Steps of Central Asia

Welcome

Mr Tim Oddy

Hymn

He who would valiant be 'gainst all disaster,
Let him in constancy follow the Master.
There's no discouragement shall make him once relent
His first avowed intent to be a pilgrim.

Who so beset him round with dismal stories
Do but themselves confound—his strength the more is.
No foes shall stay his might; though he with giants fight,
He will make good his right to be a pilgrim.

Since, Lord, Thou dost defend us with Thy Spirit,
We know we at the end, shall life inherit.
Then fancies flee away! I'll fear not what men say,
I'll labor night and day to be a pilgrim.

Tribute

Reflection Music & Slideshow

True Love, Bing Crosby & Grace Kelly

Poem

Read by Geoffrey Holmes

I must go down to the seas again,
to the lonely sea and the sky,
And all I ask is a tall ship
and a star to steer her by,
And the wheel's kick and the wind's song
and the white sail's shaking,
And a grey mist on the sea's face
and a grey dawn breaking.

I must go down to the seas again,
for the call of the running tide
Is a wild call and a clear call
that may not be denied;
And all I ask is a windy day
with the white clouds flying,
And the flung spray and the blown spume,
and the sea-gulls crying.

I must go down to the seas again
to the vagrant gypsy life,
To the gull's way and the whale's way
where the wind's like a whetted knife;
And all I ask is a merry yarn
from a laughing fellow rover,
And quiet sleep and a sweet dream
when the long trick's over.

John Masefield

Prayer & 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. And 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.

Music

I Have A Dream, *Abba*

Commendation & Committal

Farewell

Exit Music

Carmen Overture



There will be a retiring collection in memory of Jim for the RNLI (Swanage). Donations may also be sent to Albert Marsh Funeral Directors, St Michaels Road, Wareham, Dorset, BH20 4QU or made online at www.funeraldirector.co.uk/jim-smith

Joy wishes to thank you for all your support, kind messages of sympathy and for attending this Service of Celebration.

You are all warmly invited for refreshments at Woodpecker Cafe, Pavilion, Queen's Park West Drive, Bournemouth BH8 9BY