

A Celebration of Life

# *Colin Richard Macdonald*

3<sup>rd</sup> April 1947 – 30<sup>th</sup> April 2025



Lesley Shand Service Chapel Blandford

Friday 16th May 2025 11:30am

Service led by Emma Bell

*Entrance Music*  
My Way – Frank Sinatra

*Welcome & Introduction*



*" What the caterpillar perceives is the end, to the butterfly is just the beginning.*

*Everything that has a beginning has an ending.*

*Make your peace with that and all will be well"*

*Tribute*  
By Helen & Kelly

*Tribute*  
By Sean & Aimi

*Memories Of Colin*

*Reflection Music*  
Gone Fishing – Louis Armstrong & Bing Crosby

## *Farewell*

### *Poem*

Let Me Go – Christina Rossetti

When I come to the end of the road  
And the sun has set for me  
I want no rites in a gloom filled room  
Why cry for a soul set free?  
Miss me a little, but not for long  
And not with your head bowed low  
Remember the love that once we shared  
Miss me, but let me go.  
For this is a journey we all must take  
And each must go alone.  
It's all part of the master plan  
A step on the road to home.  
When you are lonely and sick at heart  
Go to the friends we know.  
Laugh at all the things we used to do  
Miss me, but let me go.

### *Closing Words*

### *Exit Music*

The Show Must Go On – Queen



Thank you for attending Colin's Service.

You are warmly invited to join the family for refreshments at  
The Brewery Tap, Bournemouth Road, Blandford St Mary, DT11 9LS

Donations in Colin's memory are invited for The Weldmar Hospice.

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