

Celebrating the Life of
Roy Derek Giles

28th January 1934 - 10th June 2026



Sheila Kendrick Suite, Ferndown
Wednesday 1st July at 1pm

Service Led by Ian Challis

Opening Music

'Fly Me to the Moon' by Frank Sinatra

Welcome

Poem ~ One at Rest

Think of me as one at rest,
For me you should not weep
I have no pain no troubled thoughts
For I am just asleep

The living thinking me that was,
Is now forever still
And life goes on without me now,
As time forever will.

If your heart is heavy now
Because I've gone away
Dwell not long upon it friend
For none of us can stay

Those of you, who liked me,
I sincerely thank you all
And those of you who loved me,
I thank you most of all.

And in my fleeting lifespan,
As time went rushing by
I found some time to hesitate,
To laugh, to love, to cry

Matters it now if time began
If time will ever cease?
I was here, I used it all,
And now I am at peace.



Memories of Roy

Visual Tribute with Music

‘Unforgettable’ by Nat King Cole

Thanksgiving for Roy

Poem ~ Do Not Stand at my Grave and Weep

I am not there. I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow.
I am the diamond glints on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain.
I am the gentle autumn rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft stars that shine at night,
Do not stand at my grave and cry;
I am not there. I did not die.

Committal

Closing Music

‘Everytime we Say Goodbye’ by Rod Stewart



The family would like to thank you all for
attending the service today.
You are all welcome to stay for
refreshments and to continue sharing
your memories of Roy in the Ceremony Room.



Donations in memory of Roy are for
Royal Institution for the Blind

These can be made either
Online at www.funeraldirector.co.uk/roy-giles
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