AN ANGLICAN FUNERAL SERVICE



In Memory Of

Peter Rayment

 23^{rd} November $1930 \sim 3^{rd}$ September 2019



"One of Nature's True Gentlemen"

Cathedral Church of St Alban the Martyr, Griffith Tuesday 10th September 2019 at 10:00am

Peter John Neville Rayment

Loved Husband of

Amy Rayment

Loving Father and Father-In-Law of

Greg, Brian and Owen and their partners

Adored Pa of

Emma, Alex & Sterling Ashleigh & Natalie Sarah, Andrew & Scott

Pall Bearers

Greg Rayment	Sterling Rayment
Brian Rayment	Andrew Rayment
Owen Rayment	Scott Rayment

Minister Reverend Louise Osbourne

Organist

Robyn Galloway

Gathering in God's Name

Minister: Grace and peace from the Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Because of the LORD's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; Great is your faithfulness.

Lamentations 3:22-23

Let us pray together:

Loving God, you alone are the source of life.
May your life-giving spirit flow through us,
And fill us with compassion, one for another.
In our sorrow give us the calm of your peace.
Kindle our hope, and let our grief give way to joy;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Hymn – Great is Thy Faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father
There is no shadow of turning with Thee
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be

Great is Thy faithfulness, great is Thy faithfulness
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness Lord unto me

Summer and winter, springtime and harvest Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above Join with all nature in manifold witness To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love Great is Thy faithfulness, great is Thy faithfulness
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is thy faithfulness Lord unto me

Pardon for sin and peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside

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All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness Lord unto me

Words of Remembrance – *Greg Rayment*

Poem – Emma Rayment

A Life Well Lived

A life well lived is a precious gift of hope and strength and grace, from someone who has made our world a brighter, better place.

It is filled with moments sweet and sad, with smiles and sometimes tears, with friendships formed and good times shared and laughter through the years.

A life well lived is a legacy of joy and pride and pleasure, a loving, lasting memory our grateful hearts will treasure.













Reflection Music – Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

Reading – 23rd Psalm

Together we say:

The Lord is my shepherd:

I shall not want.

He shall make me lie down in green pastures:

and lead me beside still waters.

He shall refresh my soul:

And guide me in right pathways for his name's sake.

Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death

I will fear no evil:

for you are with me;

your rod and your staff comfort me.

You spread a table before me

in the presence of those who trouble me:

you have anointed my head with oil and my cup shall be fu:ll.

Surely your goodness and loving-kindness will follow me all the days of my life:

and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

The Ministry of the Word

A reading from the scriptures – Ashleigh Rayment

"Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am. You know the way to the place where I am going." Thomas said to him, "LORD, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?" Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

John 14: 1 - 6

The Sermon – Rev Louise Osbourne

Hymn – Praise My Soul the King of Heaven

Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven; To His feet thy tribute bring. Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, Evermore His praises sing: Praise Him, praise Him, alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.

Praise Him for His grace and favor To our fathers in distress; Praise Him still the same as ever, Slow to chide, and swift to bless. Praise Him, praise Him, alleluia! Glorious in His faithfulness.

Fatherlike He tends and spares us, Well our feeble frame He knows; In His hands He gently bears us, Rescues us from all our foes. Praise Him, praise Him, alleluia! Widely yet His mercy flows.

Frail as summer's flow'r we flourish, Blows the wind and it is gone; But while mortals rise and perish, Our God lives unchanging on. Praise Him, praise Him, alleluia! Praise the high Eternal One!

Angels, help us to adore Him, Ye behold Him face to face; Sun and moon, bow down before Him; Dwellers all in time and space, Praise Him, praise Him, alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace.

The Prayers – Rev Louise Osbourne

Let us pray with confidence to God our Father, who raised Jesus Christ from the dead for the salvation of all. Thanks be to God for the gift of life.

Amen



A Prayer is offered for those who mourn.

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident to pray:

Our Father in Heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as it is in Heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours
now and forever.
Amen

The Farewell

Lord Jesus Christ, you gave new birth to our brother, Peter Rayment by water and the Spirit.
Grant that his death may recall to us your victory over death, and be an occasion for us to renew our trust in your Father's love.
Give us, we pray, the faith to follow where you have led the way, to live and rein with the Father and the Holy Spirit, to the ages of ages.

Amen

The Final Blessing and Dismissal

Farewell Song – Jerusalem: The Welsh Men's Choir





The Rayment families wish to thank you for your kind words of sympathy, love, support and friendship.

Your expressions of shared grief are of great comfort to them.

You are invited to the Griffith Retirement Estate Common Room for some light refreshments following the funeral.

The family will join you there after a private internment.

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