

*A Service to Remember and Celebrate the Life Of*

# Gordon Dark

13th September 1935 - 3rd April 2026



Friday 24th April 2026 at 11.00 a.m

The Gordon Chapel

Service led by Andy Roberts



**Opening Music**

*Till We Meet Again*

Jelly Roll & Dolly Parton

**Welcome and Introduction**

**Remembering Dad**

**Visual Tribute**

*Go Rest High On That Mountain*

Vince Gill

## Hymn

### *Abide With Me*

The Oxford Trinity Choir

Abide with me: fast falls the eventide;  
the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide.  
When other helpers fail and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;  
earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away.  
Change and decay in all around I see.  
O thou who changest not, abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour.  
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who like thyself my guide and strength can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me.

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless,  
ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.  
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?  
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes.  
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies.  
Heaven's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee;  
in life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

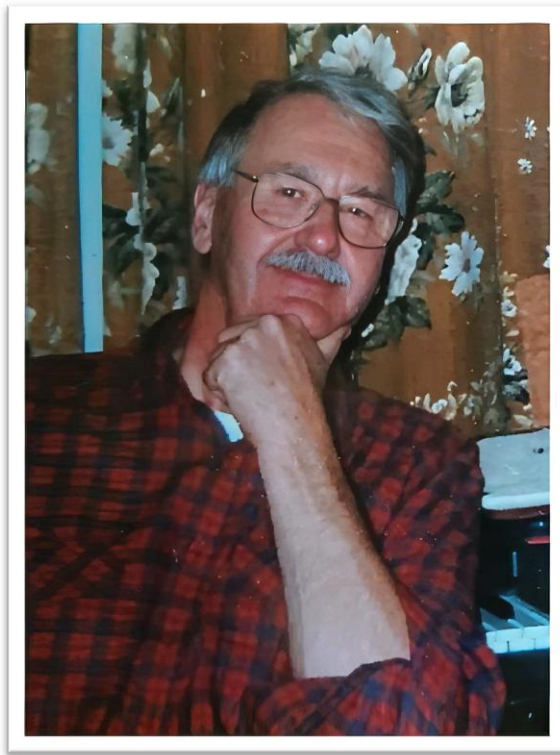
## Words Of Farewell

### Closing Music

#### *Time To Say Goodbye*

Sarah Brightman and Andrea Bocelli

Thank you for being with us today.  
Please do join us upstairs for drinks and refreshments  
following the conclusion of our service.



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