

Funeral Service with Thanksgiving
for the Life of



Roger Hugh Wootton

25th June 1939 ~ 4th July 2026

St Mary's Church, Petworth
Thursday 23rd July at 12.30 pm



Entrance Music

“Sonatina Sinfonia Gottes Zeit (BWV 106)”

By J.S.Bach

Welcome and Introduction

Canon John Bundock

Prayer

Hymn

Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won;
angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay.

*Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won.*

Lo! Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;
lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom;
let the Church with gladness songs of triumph sing,
for her Lord now liveth; death hath lost its sting.

*Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won*

No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of life;
life is nought without thee: aid us in our strife;
make us more than conquerors, through thy deathless love:
bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above.

*Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won*

Reading:

“The Wise and Foolish Builders”, Matthew 7 v24-27

Evie Wootton

After The Reading:-

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Tribute

John Wootton

Address

Prayers

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.

Reading:

“Daffodils”, William Wordsworth

Hannah Wootton

Hymn

And did those feet in ancient time
walk upon England’s mountains green?

And was the holy lamb of God
on England’s pleasant pastures seen?

And did the countenance divine
shine forth upon our clouded hills?

And was Jerusalem builded here
among those dark satanic mills?

Bring me my bow of burning gold!

Bring me my arrows of desire!

Bring me my spear! O clouds, unfold!

Bring me my chariot of fire!

I shall not cease from mental fight,
nor shall my sword sleep in my hand,

till we have built Jerusalem
in England’s green and pleasant land.

Commendation

Blessing

Exit Music
“I Vow to Thee My Country”
Jupiter’s theme from *The Planets*
By Gustav Holst

You are warmly invited to The Angel Inn
for refreshment and to share memories of Roger.





*The private Committal will take place at 4.00pm
at Green Acres Heatherly Park, Grayshott GU35 8LA*



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