In Loving Memory of

John Smith 4th May 1953 to 2nd April 2015



Saturday, 16th of November, 2013 St. Stephen's Church, Maidstone Road, Chatham, Kent ME<sub>4</sub> 6JE.

## Entrance Hymn THE OLD RUGGED CROSS

On a hill far away stood an Old Rugged Cross The emblem of suffering and shame And I love that old cross where the dearest and best For a world of lost sinners was slain

> So I'll cherish the Old Rugged Cross Till my trophies at last I lay down And I will cling to the Old Rugged Cross And exchange it some day for a crown

To the Old Rugged Cross, I will ever be true It's shame and reproach, gladly bear Then He'll call me some day to my home far away Where His glory forever I'll share

And I'll cherish the Old Rugged Cross Till my trophies at last I lay down And I will cling to the Old Rugged Cross And exchange it some day for a crown

Yeah, I will cling to the Old Rugged Cross And exchange it some day for a crown

## Welcome and Introduction

**Opening Prayer** 

First reading Paul to the Romans Chapter 6. Versus 3 / 9 (read by Mary Stone)

> Psalm 23 The Lord is my shepherd (read by Rosa Walsh)

Second reading; Apocalypse 21 1 / 7 (read by Bernard Walsh)

A reading from The Holy Gospel Homily





John will now been taken to Bedford Crematorium, 104 Norse Road, Bedford MK41 oRL for a committal service at 4pm. This will be followed by light refreshments at The White Horse, 84 Newnham Avenue, Bedford MK41 9PX.

You are all welcome to come along.

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