

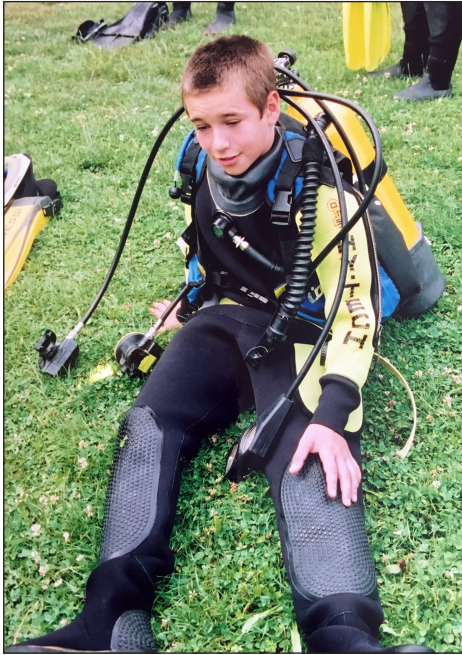
In Loving Memory
of

Jack Ryan Devereux

11th September 1990 – 26th April 2017

Forever in our Hearts

Wednesday 24th May 2017 at 2pm
St. Lawrence's Roman Catholic Church, Feltham



Entry Music

'Ode to Joy' by Ludwig van Beethoven

Hymn – Here I Am Lord [Hymn No. 865]

Opening Prayer

First Reading

St. Paul to the Corinthians 13

Psalm – The Lord Is My Shepherd

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want;
He makes me down to lie
In pastures green; He leadeth me
The quiet waters by.

My soul He doth restore again,
And me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness,
E'en for His own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,
Yet will I fear no ill;
For Thou art with me, and Thy rod
And staff my comfort still.

My table Thou hast furnished me
In presence of my foes;
My head Thou dost with oil anoint,
And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life
Shall surely follow me;
And in God's house for evermore,
My dwelling place shall be.

Poem – Death Is Nothing At All

Read by Isabelle Devereux

Death is nothing at all,
I have only slipped away into the next room,
Whatever we were to each other, we still are.

Call me by my old familiar name,
Speak of me in the same easy way which you always did,
Put no difference into your tone:
Laugh as we always laughed, at the little jokes we shared together.
Think of me and smile.

Let my name be the household word that it always was.
Let it be spoken without effect,
Life means all that it ever meant.
It is the same as it ever was.

Why should I be out of mind because I am out of sight?
I am but waiting for you, for an interval somewhere very near.

Nothing is past or lost.

One brief moment and all will be as it was before,
Only better and happier,
Forever.

All is well.

– Henry Scott-Holland

Gospel – The Good Samaritan

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke (10:25-37)

Memories of Jack

Read by Leah Rhodes

Hymn – How Great Thou Art [Hymn No. 721]

Poem – He Is Gone

Read by Kevin Devereux

You can shed tears that he is gone
Or you can smile because he has lived.

You can close your eyes and pray that he will come back
Or you can open your eyes and see all that he has left.

Your heart can be empty because you can't see him
Or you can be full of the love that you shared.

You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday
Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.

You can remember him and only that he is gone
Or you can cherish his memory and let it live on.

You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back
Or you can do what he would want:
smile, open your eyes, love and go on.

– David Harkins (b. 1959)

Music for Reflection

Music composed and played
by Jack Devereux
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Bidding Prayers

Prayers of Commendation

Final Prayers

Blessing

Closing Music

'Sweet Child of Mine' by Guns & Roses





Jack's family would like to thank everyone for their prayers, cards, flowers, messages and your attendance here today.

The kindness of so many people at this sad time is greatly appreciated.

After the church service close family will attend a private cremation.

We would like to invite you all to join us for a reception at:

Feltham Rugby Club,
Hanworth Air Park/Park Rd,
Feltham TW13 6PP

If you would like to make a donation in memory of Jack the charities that have been chosen are: 'Make some noise' which gives children and young people opportunities to discover music, and 'Mind' the mental health charity.

Go to **www.jackdevereux.co.uk** to listen to some of Jack's music or to donate.