



SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING
in celebration of the life of
Barry Dodd CBE

Her Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant of North Yorkshire



Friday 20 July 2018
at 11.30am

BARRY DODD

A tribute by Frances Dodd

Thank you for coming today to celebrate the life of my husband, Barry Dodd CBE.

The many cards, letters and flowers I have received offering your condolences have been overwhelming. I thank you from the bottom of my heart, for the kind words and memories of Barry that you have shared with me.

I met Barry at a Halloween party in 1970, and from that day on we became inseparable. We were complete opposites, but it worked for us. We enjoyed such a full, busy, fun and creative life together, cut short whilst he was enjoying one of his hobbies—flying.

Barry enjoyed life with a passion—his glass was overflowing. He devoted himself wholeheartedly to his business, cars, farming, family, education and public life.

Barry and his talented colleagues worked hard throughout the years transforming GSM, a company with humble beginnings, into a global enterprise. His wider business activities involved many local and national organisations. He was always happy to give his time freely, passing on his knowledge and experience for the benefit of others.

Barry felt he had been blessed and wanted to give something back to society. This opportunity came when he was appointed the Queen's representative for North Yorkshire, a great honour he was proud to accept.

Heavily committed to his business activities, he realised he had to do things differently, and with a dedicated team of Deputy Lieutenants brought a modern vision to the Lieutenancy in our area.

The Lieutenancy provided Barry with an opportunity to meet so many interesting people from all walks of life who worked tirelessly for the good of others. He was pleased to support and collaborate with some very special charities, and was humbled by the work of the voluntary sector, frequently praising many otherwise unsung heroes. During his Lieutenancy he was also involved with the Armed Forces, the Cadets, and a variety of educational activities, including Hull University and the York and Hull Medical School.

What a privilege to have shared such a wonderful, loving life with Barry. His capacity for hard work, combined with boundless energy, enabled him to become a successful businessman. He was an articulate and motivated leader with a keen eye for detail. Barry was a truly inspirational person who cared about everyone he met, and your presence here today is a testament to that. He will leave a void in my heart and in the lives of many others. He gave so much hope and love to the world. He will be sadly missed but never forgotten.

MUSIC BEFORE THE SERVICE

Musicians from The Band of the King's Division, directed by WO2 Stephen Craig, play:

Three Brass Cats

Chris Hazel

Mr Jums • Black Sam • Borage

Susato Suite

Tylman Susato

*La Mourisque • Bransle Quatre Bransles • Ronde •
Basse Danse Bergeret • Mon Amy • Pavane Bataille*

At 11.15, the Procession moves to the West End of the Minster.

At 11.20, the Acting Dean welcomes the congregation and notices are given.

At 11.25, the York Civic Party is greeted by the Canon Chancellor and escorted to seats in the Nave.

At 11.25, the Royal Representatives arrive at the Great West Door.

¶ The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will be represented by the Lord Chamberlain, the Earl Peel GCVO, PC, DL.

¶ The Prince of Wales and The Duchess of Cornwall will be represented by the Lord Crathorne KCVO, FRSA, FSA.

¶ The Duke of York will be represented by Mr Peter Scrope DL, Vice Lord-Lieutenant of North Yorkshire.

¶ The Princess Royal will be represented by Mr Andrew Coombe, Lord-Lieutenant of South Yorkshire.

¶ The Duke and Duchess of Kent will be represented by Colonel Sir William Worsley DL.

The Preacher is the Very Reverend John Dobson, Dean of Ripon.

The Choir of York Minster is directed by Robert Sharpe, Director of Music.

The organ is played by Benjamin Morris, Assistant Director of Music.

Please ensure that mobile phones are switched off; personal cameras, recording and video equipment may not be used before or during the service.

Welcome to York Minster for this service at which we give thanks to God for
Barry Dodd CBE, Lord-Lieutenant of North Yorkshire 2014–18.

ORDER OF SERVICE

At 11.30, a bell is rung and a fanfare is sounded. Please stand.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN



LORD of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
whose trust, ever child-like, no cares could destroy,
be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,
your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace,
be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

Words Jan Struther (1901–53)

Tune SLANE, NEH 239, traditional Irish melody

Please remain standing.

BIDDING PRAYER

The Reverend Canon Peter Moger, Acting Dean says:

Brothers and sisters in Christ,
we have gathered today to remember and to give thanks to God for Barry Dodd,
late Lord-Lieutenant of North Yorkshire:
for a life lived to the full and for the many and wide-ranging ways
in which he served his fellow human beings.

We recall our treasured memories of an inspirational life;
we give thanks for the joy and fulfilment
he found in his family, his friends, and his home;
we celebrate his achievements in business;
and we honour his devoted service to charitable causes,
and to Queen and nation.

Gathering our prayers and praises into one,
let us pray in the words our Saviour gave us.

**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.**

Please sit.

TRIBUTES

Tributes are offered by George Wilder, David Kerfoot MBE, DL and Gel Heagney.

Please stand to sing the hymn.

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 will 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.

Words William Blake (1757–1827)

Tune JERUSALEM, NEH 488, Hubert Parry (1848–1918)

Please sit.

FIRST READING

Wisdom 3.1-3, 5, 9

read by Peter Scrope DL

Vice Lord-Lieutenant of North Yorkshire

THE souls of the virtuous are in the hands of God,
no torment shall ever touch them.

In the eyes of the unwise, they did appear to die,
their going looked like a disaster,
their leaving us, like annihilation;
but they are at peace.

God has put them to the test
and proved them to be worthy with him;
They who trust in him will understand the truth,
those who are faithful will live with him in love;
for grace and mercy await those he has chosen.

Please remain seated as the choir sings:

PSALM 23

THE Lord is my shepherd : therefore can I lack nothing.

He shall feed me in a green pasture : and lead me forth beside the waters
of comfort.

He shall convert my soul : and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, for
his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil :
for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff comfort me.

Thou shalt prepare a table before me against them that trouble me : thou hast
anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.

But thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life : and I
will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Please stand.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Please sit.

GOSPEL READING

John 14.1-6

read by Alexandra Holford DL

JESUS said to his disciples: 'Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God still, and trust in me. There are many rooms in my Father's house; if there were not, I should have told you. I am now going to prepare a place for you, and after I have gone and prepared you a place, I shall return to take you with me; so that where I am you may be too. You know the way to the place where I am going.' Thomas said, 'Lord, we do not know where you are going, so how can we know the way?' Jesus said: 'I am the Way, the Truth and the Life. No one can come to the Father except through me.'

Please remain seated as the choir sings:

ANTHEM

NEVER weather-beaten sail more willing bent to shore,
never tired pilgrim's limbs affected slumber more,
than my wearied spirit now longs to fly out of my troubled breast:
O come quickly, sweetest Lord, and take my soul to rest.

Ever blooming are the joys of heaven's high paradise,
cold age deafe not there our ears, not vapour dims our eyes:
glory there the sun outshines, whose beams the blessed only see:
O come quickly, glorious Lord, and raise my spirit to thee.

Words Thomas Campion (1567-1620)

Music Richard Shephard (b. 1949)

Please remain seated.

ADDRESS

The Very Reverend John Dobson
Dean of Ripon

Please stand to sing the hymn.

HYMN



I watch the sunrise lighting the sky,
casting its shadows near.
And on this morning, bright though it be,
I feel those shadows near me.
*But you are always close to me,
following all my ways.
May I be always close to you,
following all your ways, Lord.*

I watch the sunlight shine through the clouds,
warming the earth below.
And at the mid-day, life seems to say:
'I feel your brightness near me.'
But you are always...

I watch the sunset fading away,
lighting the clouds with sleep.
And as the evening closes its eyes,
I feel your presence near me.
But you are always...

I watch the moonlight guarding the night,
waiting till morning comes.
The air is silent, earth is at rest—
only your peace is near me.
Yes, you are always...

Words and Music John Glynn (b. 1948)

Please sit.

TRIBUTE

A tribute is offered by Abid Salik, Imam, York Mosque.

A MEDITATION ON THE POWER OF LOVE

read by John Heagney

ALL your joy is on the frequency of love—the highest and the most powerful frequency of all. You can't hold love in your hand. You can only feel it in your heart. It is a state of being. You can see evidence of love being expressed through people, but love is a feeling, and you are the only one that can radiate and emit that feeling of love. Your ability to generate feelings of love is unlimited, and when you love you are in complete and utter harmony with the Universe. Love everything you can. Love everyone you can. Focus only on things you love, feel love, and you will experience that love and joy coming back to you—multiplied! The law of attraction must send you back more things to love. As you radiate love, it will appear as though the entire Universe is doing everything for you, moving every joyful thing to you, and moving every good person to you. In truth, it is.

LISA NICHOLS

Please kneel or remain seated for the Prayers.

PRAYERS

The Right Reverend Nick Baines, Bishop of Leeds says:

Let us give thanks to God for Barry, for the fullness of his life
and for all that he means to us.

BLESSED be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
who has blessed us all with the gift of this earthly life
and has given to Barry his span of years and gifts of character.
God our Father, we thank you now for all his life,
for every memory of love and joy,
for every good deed done by him
and every sorrow shared with us.
We thank you for his life,
for the rest in Christ he now enjoys,
and for giving him to us,
we thank you for the glory we shall share together.
Hear our prayers through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Right Reverend Dr Vivienne Faull, Bishop of Bristol, says:

Let us pray for all who mourn.

FATHER of all mercies and God of all consolation,
you pursue us with untiring love
and dispel the shadow of death with the bright dawn of life.
Give courage to Frances and to all who mourn.
Be their refuge and strength, O Lord,
reassure them of your continuing love
and lift them from the depths of grief
into the peace and light of your presence.
Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ,
by dying has destroyed our death,
and by rising, restored our life.
Your Holy Spirit, our comforter,
speaks for us in groans too deep for words.
Come alongside your people,
remind them of your eternal presence
and give them your comfort and strength.
Amen.

The Right Reverend Terence Draine, Roman Catholic Bishop of Middlesbrough, says:

Let us pray for ourselves, for grace to live faithfully and well:

LORD, teach me to be generous.
Teach me to serve you as you deserve.
To give and not to count the cost.
To fight and not to heed the wounds.
To toil and not to seek for rest.
To labour and not to ask for any reward,
except to know that I am doing your will.
Amen.

We pray for all those we love,
trusting in the everlasting love of God.

SUPPORT us, O Lord, all the day long,
until the shadows lengthen, and the evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.
Then, Lord, in your mercy,
give us a safe lodging, a holy rest,
and peace at the last.
Amen.

The choir sings:

BRING us, O Lord God, at our last awakening
into the house and gate of heaven;
to enter into that gate and dwell in that house,
where there shall be no darkness nor dazzling, but one equal light;
no noise nor silence, but one equal music;
no fears nor hopes, but one equal possession;
no ends nor beginnings, but one equal eternity;
in the habitation of thy glory and dominion, world without end. Amen.

Words John Donne (1573–1631) • *Music* William Harris (1883–1973)

Please stand. During the following hymn, a collection will be taken to support the mission and ministry of York Minster. If you are a UK taxpayer, please make use of the Gift Aid envelopes available.

HYMN



O LORD my God, when I in awesome wonder
consider all the works thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
thy power throughout the universe displayed:
*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
'How great thou art, how great thou art!'*
*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee,
'How great thou art, how great thou art!'*

When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
and hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze:
Then sings my soul . . .

But when I think that God, his Son not sparing,
sent him to die—I scarce can take it in:
that on the cross, our burden gladly bearing,
he bled and died to take away my sin:
Then sings my soul . . .

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home—what joy shall fill my heart!
Then shall I bow in humble adoration,
and there proclaim: My God, how great thou art!
Then sings my soul . . .

Words Russian hymn translated by Stuart Hine (1899–1989)
Tune HOW GREAT THOU ART, AM 546, Stuart Hine

BLESSING

The Acting Dean says:

GOD grant to the living grace,
to the departed rest,
to the Church, The Queen, the Commonwealth and all people,
unity, peace and concord,
and to us and all God's servants,
life everlasting;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.
Amen.

Please remain standing.

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM



GOD save our gracious Queen,
long live our noble Queen,
God save The Queen!
Send her victorious,
happy and glorious,
long to reign over us,
God save The Queen!

2. Thy choicest gifts in store
on her be pleased to pour,
long may she reign:
may she defend our laws,
and ever give us cause
to sing with heart and voice
God save The Queen!

Please remain standing until the procession has left the Minster.

MUSIC AFTER THE SERVICE

Musicians from the Band of the King's Division will play:

Allegro from *Water Music*

G F Handel

All are invited to gather after the service in the Chapter House, where refreshments will be served.

PHOTO BOOK

Yorkshire Air Ambulance, a charity of which Barry was a great supporter, have created a photo book of Barry's life as a tribute to this wonderful man. The books are available at cost and Frances will be giving an additional £10 to the Yorkshire Air Ambulance, for each one purchased.

Copies are available from the Lieutenancy website at www.nyll.org.uk/photobook.

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Not, how did he die, but how did he live?
Not, what did he gain, but what did he give?
These are the units to measure the worth
of a man as a man, regardless of his birth.
Not what was his church, nor what was his creed?
But had he befriended those really in need?
Was he ever ready, with words of good cheer,
to bring back a smile, to banish a tear?
Not what did the sketch in the newspaper say,
but how many were sorry when he passed away.

