



Flying Officer L.R. SPEER, 4215135, R.N.Z.A.F.
England 1944

“Here’s hoping that up there you’re on your way to a great round of golf Les - the only time you don’t want it to be a long drive.”



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Les Speer

Celebrating the life of

Leslie Ross Speer

17.10.1922 - 11.7.2018

In the Dunstall Memorial Chapel

Edwardes Street, Napier

On Monday 16th July 2018 at 1.00pm

Celebrant : Father Bill Chapman

Organist : James Mist

Funeral Director : Bibby Ronberg

Les' casket will be carried into the Chapel as
The Seekers sing **Morning Has Broken**

Welcome

Eulogy and Sharing of Memories

Family
Father Bill Chapman
Les Hewett

Time of Prayer

Les' Life Story in Photographs

Accompanied by the song
Rainbow Connection
sung by Sarah McLachlan

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which 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.

Scripture Reading

Psalm 23 read by granddaughter, Rachael

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want;
He makes me lie down in green pastures.
And leads me beside quiet waters;
He restores my soul.
He leads me in paths of righteousness
For His name's sake.
Yes, even though I walk
Through the valley of the shadow of death,
I fear no evil; for you are with me;
Your rod and staff comfort me.
You prepare a table for me
In the presence of my enemies;
You anoint my head with oil,
My cup overflows. Surely, goodness and mercy
Shall follow me all the days of my life
And I shall live in the house of the Lord for ever.

Hymn : How Great Thou Art

O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder,
Consider all the works Thy hands have made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
Thy pow'r 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;

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
And I shall bow in humble adoration
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art!

R.S.A. Tribute

Commendation and Committal

Blessing

*Les' family thank you for your support and presence here
today, it is very much appreciated.*

*Les' casket will remain in the Chapel at the
conclusion of the service. Les would want you to
have a 'Tot' with him as a farewell. Please come forward
and enjoy a good whiskey.*

Not one of Churchill's first of the few, but one of the last of the many! - Les Speer