

Edmund Evans

First Tenor 1947-1998; Long Service Member, Life Member

March 19th 1918 - December 31st 2005

It was with great sadness that the choristers heard of the death of Eddie. Edmund, fondly known as "Eddie Ike" who joined the choir in 1947 and thus part of the foundation on which the choir was built. He was a faithful and dedicated chorister who was awarded Long Service Membership in 1971 and presented with Life Membership in 1980. He toured extensively with the choir which included visits to Canada, USA and Australia.

Unfortunately over the latter years his illness necessitated him easing his commitment to the choir but he always kept in touch with the choir's activities. He was a kind, gentle and compassionate person with a cheerful nature, was always ready to assist if necessary and was quite a character in his own right who brought much joy amongst the ranks of the choir.

Eddie was a bachelor and had a varied working life shared among Cardiff docks, demagnetising ships during the war and employment by the EMI Factory in Treorchy and Rhondda Borough Council. To his family and friends we extend our profound condolences with the wish they will find quiet satisfaction knowing the respect and admiration in which he was held. He will be sorely missed.

"Well done thou good and faithful friend"