

Robert Joseph Charles Butow

March 19, 1924-October 17, 2017



Memorial
December 9, 2017
3:00 PM

Loving father
Devoted husband
Distinguished colleague and scholar
Benevolent mentor
Humanitarian
Kind, generous, compassionate, and
humorous

Farewell and smooth sailing, Bob!
Gone but not forgotten,
You will be missed by all.



Program

- Welcome
- Nathaniel Hurvitz (stepson)
- Prof. Kenneth Pyle (colleague)
- Prof. Noriko Kawamura
(former student)
- Philip Hurvitz (stepson)
- Stephanie Butow (daughter)
- Reiko Hurvitz (wife)
- *At the Shore* song by Susan
Osborne [lyrics on back page]

After the service, please stay to chat
over snacks and drinks.

At the Shore
by
Susan Osborne

I walk at dawn by the seashore
And watch the night turn to day
The sound of the surf
And the salty air
Washes sadness from my soul
The sound of crying seabirds
A sea of sparkling blue
The waves return to the shore again
As I return to you

Retracing my steps
There at evening light
The sun slips into the sea
Pale golden moon and diamond star
Fill the silence in my heart
Soft water lapping at my feet
Warm winds caress my face
The boats turn toward the shore again
As I return to you