

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR COLUMBIA SPACE SHUTTLE CREW

February 3, 2003

The Benediction

Organ Voluntary

7:00 p.m.

Dick Rogan

Order of Worship

Dick Rogan Prelude **UMH 370** Hymn "Victory in Jesus" (vs. 1,2,4) Reverend Joe Miller **Introductory Remarks** and Reading of Names "A Mighty Fortress is Our God" **UMH 110** Hymn Reverend Joe Miller Prayer **Choral Special** "The Majesty and Glory of Your Name" Chancel Choir Old Testament Responsive Reading Reverend Joe Miller Psalm 121 Revelation 21:2-7, 22:1-5 Reverend Joe Miller **New Testament Reading Choral Special** "Bless Thou the Astronauts" The Eulogy Reverend Ed Barlow

"Largo in G" (Handel)

(Played after the Challenger Crew and we now include the Columbia Crew)

The Crew of the Columbia

Commander Rick Husband

Rick Husband, 45, an Air Force colonel from Amarillo, Texas. The former test pilot was selected as an astronaut in 1994. Space flight had been his lifelong passion.

Pilot William McCool

The Navy commander and former test pilot became an astronaut in 1996. This was the first space flight for McCool, 41, who grew up in Lubbock, Texas.

Payload commander Michael Anderson

Age 43, the son of an Air Force man, Michael Anderson grew up on military bases. He was flying for the Air Force when NASA chose him in 1994. He was a lieutenant colonel and in charge of Columbia's dozens of science experiments. His home was Spokane, Washington.

Mission specialist Kalpana Chawla

The 41-year-old engineer was chosen as an astronaut in 1994.

Mission specialist David Brown

Age 46, he was both a jet pilot and a doctor. He joined the Navy after his medical internship and his current rank was captain. NASA chose him as an astronaut in 1996. This was the Virginia native's first space flight.

Mission specialist Laurel Clark

A Navy physician, a diving medical officer aboard submarines and then a naval flight surgeon, she became an astronaut in 1996. Laurel Clark helped with Columbia's science experiments. Her hometown was Racine, Wisconsin.

Israeli payload specialist Ilan Ramon

A colonel in Israel's air force, his mother and grandmother survived the Auschwitz death camp, and his father was a Zionist who fought for Israel's statehood. Ramon, 48, was selected as an astronaut in 1997 and moved to Houston in 1998 to train for a shuttle flight. He called Tel Aviv home.

PSALM 121

I lift up my eyes to the hills.
From whence does my help come?

My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

The Lord will not let your foot be moved, the Lord who keeps you will not slumber.

Behold, the One who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord is your keeper;

The Lord is your shade on your right hand.

The sun shall not smite you by day,

nor the moon by night.

The Lord will keep you from all evil, and will keep your life.

The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and for evermore.

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