



"Live all you can. It's a mistake not to."

≈ Henry James, *The Ambassadors*

In Celebration of the Life of

Ernest Harrison Hofer
1924-2008

First Congregational Church
Sunderland, Massachusetts

21 September 2008

Officiated by
The Reverend Christopher Carlisle
*Episcopal Chaplain and Director of The Ark
University of Massachusetts Amherst*

With music by
Brenda Miller, organ and piano
Jane Bryden, soprano
Christopher Krueger, flute

Welcome, Rev. Dr. Richard Killough
Pastor, First Congregational Church

Handel: *German Aria, Süsse Stille, sanfte Quelle*

Opening Acclamation
Rev. Carlisle

The Essential Ernest
Dana Roszkiewicz

A Remembrance
by Hermione Lee with John Barnard,
read by Victoria Poletto

A Reflection on Ernest
Rev. Carlisle

Bach: *Allemande from Partita for solo flute, BWV 1013*

So Soon: A Poem for Ernest
written and read by Annette Barnes

A Child of the Manse
Jim Leheny

A Tribute
Richard Bump

Handel: *German Aria, Meine Seele Hört im Sehen*

Blessing
Rev. Carlisle