

ODYSSEY AI – 44 and 44A
with Shariar Karim's
“MILESTONES AND MEMORIES”

LAST FLIGHT : AI- 43 on 27th December 2020 “One Day”
THIS FLIGHT : AI -44 on 29th December 2020 “FAREWELL MY FRIEND”
THIS FLIGHT: AI – 44A on 29th December 2020 “IN FOND MEMORY”
NEXT FLIGHT: AI 45 on 31.12.2020 “Millennium Announcement”



“ MILESTONES AND MEMORIES - 44 ”

**NAMASKAAR, WELCOME ABOARD FLIGHT AI-44,
ON SUNDAY, THE 29th OF DECEMBER, 2020**

Turning back the pages of history,
Today we have reached the 29th OF DECEMBER 1998.

THIS DAY, THAT YEAR, WE BID ADIEU -

“ FAREWELL MY FRIEND ”

As flying Crew, we are on duty at different parts of the world when we get the sad news of the passing away of our friends and colleagues, some at home, some far away from it. We are unable to pay our last respects to them and this hurts. This year there were as many as 9 Cabin Crew Colleagues who left for their heavenly abode. It was therefore decided to hold a Joint Memorial Service for them, which could be attended by those who were unable to be present at the funerals of their good friends. This poem was composed and recited as part of the Special Presentation dedicated to the memory of the departed nine at another year ending function on December 29, 1998





Farewell My Friend

At a time like this – my dear friend,
 My thoughts are full of you,
 Of happy times, we shared together,
 Of memories good and true.
 Time will pass and things will change,
 But nothing, can change the past,
 These memories will always be part of me,
 And I'll cherish them in my heart.
 Time and tide will wait for none,
 Life must go on- and will,
 But I will pause, to remember you,
 For a friend of yours, I'm still.
 So far, beyond my reach you've gone,
 Yet not, so far away,
 My thoughts will reach you wherever you are,
 And as close friends we'll always stay.
 Friends may leave- friendships live on,
 With death they do not end,
 Our friendship too will carry on,
 But for now- "Farewell My Friend".

-Shafiq Karim



Composed for a **Joint Memorial Service**
 conducted to remember the **NINE Cabin Crew** who passed away during the year 1998.

In Fond  *Memory*
 Of Our Dear Colleagues of
AIR-INDIA
 who left us from
 30.6.2020 to
 29.12.2020

02.7.2020	SATVINDER S. BANGA	GSD	19.2020	MIR. VETE	SEC
02.7.2020	GURUDUT SHEREGAR	F.O.	27.9.2020	J.SATIYANARAYANA	ENG
08.7.2020	SURAJ PRASAD	ENG.	29.9.2020	MARIYALOUISE	ENG
08.7.2020	VIKRAM BISHT	COM	01.10.2020	CAPT. OTIS D'SOUZA	OPS
10.7.2020	FRANCIS MENEZES	I FSD	03.10.2020	CAPT. JOGINDER SINGH	OPS
11.7.2020	MOAZAM VAKIL	I FSD	05.10.2020	BEHRAM MISTY	IFSD
12.7.2020	RAJ K. CHAUDHARY	COM	09.10.2020	HEMANGI DHAVADE	IFSD
16.7.2020	DALI ARETHNA	I FSD	21.10.2020	LEENA PATHAK	FIN
22.7.2020	NEVILLE BHARUCHA	I FSD	01.11.2020	KASI KRISHNA	COM
26.7.2020	VIJAY KUMAR SHUKLA	ACT	07.11.2020	CHITTARANJAN SINGH	IFSD
26.7.2020	FIRDAUS SAKLATWALA	I FSD	11.11.2020	AJAY KAMBLE	IFSD
28.7.2020	AJAY GARG	EN G	14.11.2020	PRITAM SINGH HOON	COM
02.8.2020	MARGARET PHORMEN	I FSD	14.11.2020	BALRAJ MALHOTRA	IFSD
02.8.2020	K. VIJAY KUMAR	I FSD	21.11.2020	SHIV RANJAN SINHA	DEL
06.8.2020	RAKESH KUMAR	ACCT	27.11.2020	SHASHIKANT D.TAWDE	HRD
07.8.2020	ABID POTIA	IFSD	27.11.2020	ASHISH CHATTERJEE	ENG
09.8.2020	CAPT. DEEPAK SATHE	OPS	30.11.2020	TARUN BHATTACHARYA	HRD
12.8.2020	W.PINTO	IFSD	30.11.2020	DR. ASHOK ARYA	HRD
13.8.2020	PROBAL BISWAS	ENG	30.11.2020	R.P.RASTOGI	COM
21.8.2020	CAPT. SATISH SHARMA	OPS	01.12.2020	OSCAR ALBUQUERQUE	COM
22.8.2020	M.N.PHADKE	HRD	01.12.2020	R.GANESH	IFSD
23.8.2020	KIRON SHUKLA	COM	03.12.2020	KISHORE SHAH	IFSD
02.9.2020	KEKI D. SHROFF	F.E.	05.12.2020	MARK PIMENTA	GSD
04.9.2020	CAPT. GODBOLE	OPS	8.12.2020	ASHOK KUMAR SHARMA	GSD
06.9.2020	CAPT.L.RAJARAM	OPS	9.12.2020	S.SOMASHEKAR	GSD
11.9.2020	AMARJIT SINGH	ENG	12.12.2020	SURINDER KHANNA	IFSD
17.9.2020	MD. RAFIQUE	ENG	21.12.2020	R.SUBRAMANIAM	COM



Let's light a CANDLE



place a WREATH



and say a PRAYER