

A message from John Derben

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Former club and Trust director John Derben has written to Wanderers supporters to thank them for their kindness and generosity following the sad death of his beloved wife, Sandie, earlier this month.

To all the friends and supporters who have written to me on the loss of my beloved Sandie,

I have been overwhelmed by the volume of your responses and I cannot tell you what all the cards, letters, emails, tweets and telephone calls have meant to me.

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Thank you so much. I have felt surrounded by your kindness, love and support.

My thanks also to the football club, who have been wonderful, especially with the level of donations to Sandie's favourite charity, which she helped to create and run for many years.

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