

To Celebrate the Life and Memory of

Evelyn Ruth Wheeldon

20th January 1934 - 21st April 2016



Evelyn's family thank you all for your kind messages and cards of condolence and for being here to bring your ongoing support, all of which is much appreciated.

As a token of our gratitude, you are invited to join them at the Coleshill Social Club, Parkfield Road (at the back of the Swan), for refreshments and conversation, to continue this celebration of Evelyn's life and personality.

Any donations received will be divided between the

British Heart Foundation

and the

People's Dispensary for Sick Animals (PDSA),

a charity Evelyn regularly supported.

The **co-operative** funeralcare

103 High Street, Coleshill, Warks B46 3BP

Telephone: 01675 462276



Woodlands Crematorium, Coleshill, Warwickshire

Tuesday 10th May 2016 at 2.00 pm







Order of Service

Led by Geraldine Jones MBHA
of the
British Humanist Association

Closing Words

Your face is the loveliest I have ever seen
And your smile is as big as the sea.
Your heart is the size of the sun in the sky
And your love spreads to all that you meet.

I've never met any as selfless as you,
It's something we rarely see.

It's a blessing most won't have the pleasure to know
But I hope you have passed it to me.

If I can be half the person you are
And fill people's lives as you do,
I would walk to the top of a mountain so high
And tell them it's all down to you.

by Pam Ayliff

Closing Music

'In My Life' - The Beatles

Pause for Reflection with Music

'Send Me An Angel' - Scorpions

Farewell

Leave this world, nature says, as you entered it.
The same journey you made from oblivion to life,
Without fuss and without fear.
You have made again to join the circle of the earth.
Immune now to the changes and chances
Of our human lot.
With love, appreciation and respect
We commit the memory of
Evelyn Ruth Wheeldon
To our hearts and minds.

Into the freedom of wind and sunshine,
We let you go.
Into the dance of the stars and planets,
We let you go.

Entry Music

'Mama' - Il Divo

Opening Words

In life we are lucky if we can find a best friend
Whom we can trust and admire and love,
But when that friend is also our mother,
Then we are twice blessed
And fortunate beyond our dreams

by Audrey Esar

Tribute to Evelyn

Including personal recollections from her family

My image, a canvas painted by time,
Weary and tired, I've left that behind.
On the wings of a butterfly my essence now rides,
Dancing on the breeze as it passes by.
You'll see me sometimes on a warm summer's day,
Among poppies and asters you can watch me play.
Refrain from your sorrow, you must not weep,
It's fine, sweet nectar I now shall eat.
Let us not say, 'Goodbye'; don't bid me farewell,
I'll be in the garden, resting awhile.

Interlude for Music

'Imagine' - John Lennon

Imagine there's no heaven,
It's easy if you try.
No hell below us,
Above us only sky.
Imagine all the people
Living for today...

Imagine there's no countries,
It isn't hard to do.
Nothing to kill or die for
And no religion too.
Imagine all the people
Living life in peace...

You may say I'm a dreamer
But I'm not the only one,
I hope someday you'll join us
And the world will be as one.