



The family would like to thank everyone for their kind words and support at this sad time.

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In Loving Memory of



**IRENE CLARE**

3rd December 1948 - 7th November 2022

Sherwood Forest Crematorium  
Monday 28th November 2022  
at 2.30 pm





## ORDER OF SERVICE



ENTRY MUSIC  
You Are My Sunshine  
Jasmine Thompson

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

COMMITTAL

EXIT MUSIC  
The Answer To Everything  
David Alexander



## CLOSING WORDS

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be Thy name;  
Thy Kingdom come;  
Thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.

Lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the Kingdom,  
the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever.

Amen.

## COMFORTING WORDS

### IRENE'S STORY

## POEM

written by The Grandchildren  
read by Kirsty

Grandma,  
Today we say goodbye,  
But you taught us not to cry.  
You taught us to stand strong and tough,  
And that our love was always enough.

Grandma,  
Today we lose our strongest member,  
But, you taught us to remember,  
That even though the pain is real,  
We can always share what we feel.

Grandma,  
Today is a day like no other,  
We have lost a grandma, a wife and a mother.  
But, we know that you are always there,  
And our proudest moments you will always share.

Grandma,  
You were loved by everyone who knew you,  
And you always shared an honest view.  
We came to you in the toughest times,  
Even if we didn't appreciate the advice sometimes.

Grandma,  
Today we say goodbye forever,  
Although I know you will be with us wherever.  
We all love you beyond what words can say,  
We will miss you everyday.

## REFLECTION MUSIC

How Do I Say Goodbye  
David Alexander

## READING

My mother kept a garden,  
A garden of the heart.  
She planted all the good things  
That gave my life its start.

She turned me to the sunshine  
And encouraged me to dream,  
Fostering and nurturing  
The seeds of self-esteem.

And when the winds and rains came,  
She protected me enough,  
But not too much, she knew I'd need  
To stand up strong and tough.

Her constant good example  
Always taught me right from wrong,  
Markers for my pathway  
To last my whole life long.

I am my mother's garden,  
I am her legacy,  
And I hope today she feels the love  
Reflected back from me.