

In Celebration for the Life of

*Sylvia Mary Jones*

29th September 1945 - 28th May 2024



Tuesday 25th June 2024  
at 12.30 pm

Markeaton Crematorium, Main Chapel

# Order of Service

## **PROCESSIONAL MUSIC**

Over The Rainbow  
Eva Cassidy

## **INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME**

Reverend Pete White

## **REFLECTING ON SYLV'S LIFE**

## **MUSIC FOR REFLECTION**

Flower Duet from *Lakmé*  
Delibes, Jane Gilchrist and Denise Leigh





**READING**

**If Roses Grow In Heaven**

If roses grow in heaven,  
Lord, please pick a bunch for me.  
Place them in my wife's arms  
And tell her they're from me.

Tell her that I love her and miss her,  
And when she turns to smile,  
Place a kiss upon her cheek  
And hold her for a while.

Because remembering her is easy,  
I do it every day,  
But there's an ache within my heart  
That will never go away.

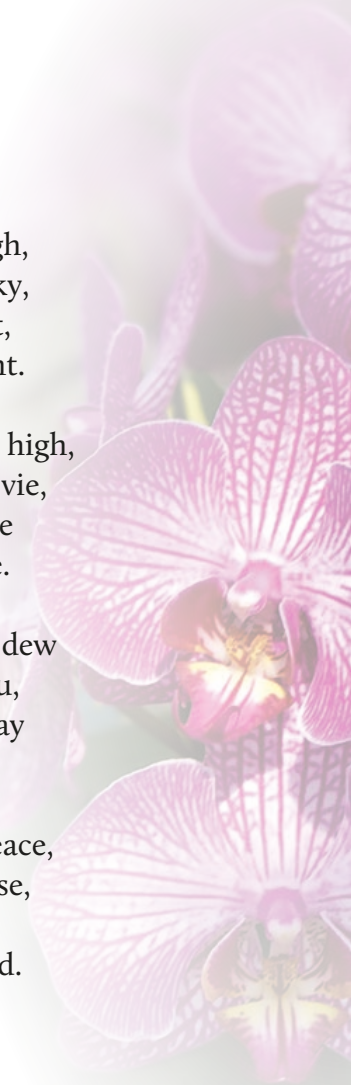
### ACT OF FAREWELL

In the hush of twilight's gentle sigh,  
Where golden rays embrace the sky,  
A journey calls, beyond our sight,  
To realms aglow with endless light.

Through valleys deep and mountains high,  
Where whispered winds and rivers vie,  
Your spirit sails on wings of grace  
To find its peaceful resting place.

Though tears may fall like morning dew  
And hearts are heavy, missing you,  
Know that love will guide your way  
As you embark on this new day.

So Sylv, go with courage, go with peace,  
May all your pain and worries cease,  
For in the arms of timeless rest  
You'll find a home, forever blessed.





### **REFLECTIVE WORDS**

There is no night without a dawning,  
No winter without a spring,  
And beyond the dark horizon  
Our hearts will once more sing...

For those who leave us for a while  
Have only gone away  
Out of a restless, care worn world  
Into a brighter day.

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

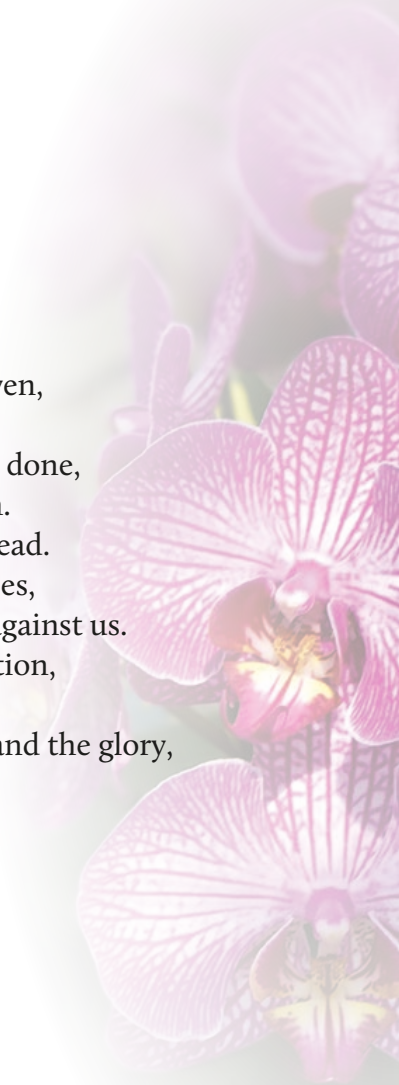
Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

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

And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.





## CLOSING WORDS

Dust if you must, but wouldn't it be better  
To paint a picture, or write a letter,  
Bake a cake, or plant a seed;  
Ponder the difference between want and need?

Dust if you must, but there's not much time,  
With rivers to swim, and mountains to climb;  
Music to hear, and books to read;  
Friends to cherish, and life to lead.

Dust if you must, but the world's out there  
With the sun in your eyes, and the wind in your hair;  
A flutter of snow, a shower of rain,  
This day will not come around again.

Dust if you must, but bear in mind,  
Old age will come and it's not kind.  
And when you go (and go you must)  
You, yourself, will make more dust.

*Rose Milligan*

## RECESSIONAL MUSIC

Time To Say Goodbye  
Sarah Brightman and Andrea Bocelli

The family of Sylv would like to thank you for attending today and are grateful for your kindness and words of support during this time.

They would like to warmly welcome you all back to the  
Jonty Farmer  
for light refreshments, following this service.

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**Stroke Association**  
may be sealed in the donation envelope  
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