



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

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The family invite you to the
Ruddington Arms, 56 Wilford Road,
Nottingham NG11 6EQ,
after the service for light refreshments.

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In Loving Memory of



ANN ALLEN

29th August 1934 - 12th May 2018

St Mary Magdalene, Keyworth


Thursday 7th June 2018 at 1.15 pm

Service conducted by the
Reverend Margaret Oldroyd



ORDER OF SERVICE

*The committal will take place at Wilford Hill Crematorium
immediately after the church service.*



PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

AS WE LEAVE THE CHURCH
Always Look On The Bright Side Of Life
from *Monty Python*

THE PROCESSION ENTERS THE CHURCH
Music: Bring Him Home from *Les Misérables*
Gary Morris

INTRODUCTION AND OPENING PRAYER

FAMILY TRIBUTE

HYMN

Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
 Forgive our foolish ways!
Reclothe us in our rightful mind,
 In purer lives thy service find,
 In deeper rev'rence praise.

In simple trust like theirs who heard
 Beside the Syrian sea,
The gracious calling of the Lord,
Let us, like them, without a word
 Rise up and follow thee.

O Sabbath rest by Galilee!
 O calm of hills above,
Where Jesus knelt to share with thee
 The silence of eternity
 Interpreted by love!

Drop thy still dews of quietness,
 Till all our strivings cease;
Take from our souls the strain and stress,
 And let our ordered lives confess
 The beauty of thy peace.

Breathe through the heats of our desire
 Thy coolness and thy balm;
Let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;
Speak through the earthquake, wind and fire
 O still small voice of calm.

HYMN

The day thou gavest, Lord, is ended:
 The darkness falls at thy behest;
To thee our morning hymns ascended,
 Thy praise shall sanctify our rest.

We thank thee that thy Church unsleeping,
 While earth rolls onward into light,
Through all the world her watch is keeping,
 And rests not now by day or night.

As o'er each continent and island
 The dawn leads on another day,
The voice of prayer is never silent,
 Nor dies the strain of praise away.

The sun that bids us rest is waking
 Our brethren 'neath the western sky,
And hour by hour fresh lips are making
 Thy wondrous doings heard on high.

So be it, Lord; thy thrones shall never,
 Like earth's proud empire, pass away;
Thy kingdom stands and grows for ever,
 Till all thy creatures own thy sway.

READING
She Is Gone
by David Harkins

You can shed tears that she is gone,
Or you can smile because she has lived.

You can close your eyes and pray that she'll come back,
Or you can open your eyes and see all that she's left.

Your heart can be empty because you can't see her,
Or you can be full of the love you shared.

You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday,
Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.

You can remember her and only that she's gone,
Or you can cherish her memory and let it live on.

You can cry and close your mind,
Be empty and turn your back.

Or you can do what she'd want,
Smile, open your eyes, love and go on.

David Harkins (b. 1958)

READING
Philippians, Chapter 4: verses 4-9

ADDRESS
The Reverend Margaret Oldroyd

HYMN

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with thee;
Thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not;
As thou hast been, thou for ever wilt be.

*Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed thy hand hath provided,
Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

PRAYERS

ending with

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,
for ever and ever.

Amen.