

Sharon Waldram

24th September 1957 - 14th April 2024

Wilford Hill Crematorium, Main Chapel Friday 17th May 2024 at 11.00 am







Order of Service

Led by Steven Eustace

Processional Music

So Amazing Luther Vandross

Welcome

Tribute

Remembering Sharon

read by Steven Eustace







Poem

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 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 has 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 Sharon would want, Smile, open your eyes, love and go on.







A Time of Reflection

Music

Holding Back The Years Simply Red



Poem

My Mother Kept A Garden chosen and dedicated to Sharon by Nick

> 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.

Committal

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.





Parting Thoughts

Recessional Music

Never Too Much Luther Vandross







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

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