

*In Loving Memory and
Celebration of the Life of*



Doris Edith Gilbert
‘Dot’

13th January 1928 - 25th February 2022

Markeaton Crematorium, Main Chapel
Friday 11th March 2022
at 12.30 pm





Order of Service



Opening Music

Have I Told You Lately

Van Morrison

Welcome and Introduction

Scriptures of Hope

Prayers for Comfort



Poem

The Little Things

We gather to remember the little things that made
a special place in our hearts.

To remember those happy times when we laughed
and those times when our hearts broke as one.

For who could put a price on memory?

We gather to share the pain,

To share memories and stories; to forgive and not to blame.

To laugh and to cry and not try to hide our tears.

For who can ever take away the pain?

We gather to share the precious gift of grief.

To stand beside you with love and support,
and not be uncomfortable with your tears.

To allow you the gift of mourning our loss and not lose patience.

We gather with gratitude for experiences we have enjoyed.

Grief is God's way of healing a broken heart.

Draw near to Him in faith and receive comfort, peace
and the wonderful hope of eternity in your heart.



Gospel Reading

John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6 and 27

Jesus said: “Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God, trust also in me. In my Father’s house are many mansions. If that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am. You know the way to the place where I am going.”

Thomas said to him, “Lord, we don’t know where you are going, so how can we know the way?”

Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life.

No one comes to the Father except through me ...

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you.

I do not give to you as the world gives.

Do not let your hearts be troubled

and do not be afraid.”



Hymn

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy,
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome, Your arms to embrace,
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

Jan Struther (1901-1953)



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.

Family Tribute

by granddaughter, Lea



Poem
Goodbye

So heaven has received another angel,
the night sky another star.
Your life has become a loving memory,
We know you will never be far.
We know you are watching over us, as our lives go on.
We will treasure the memories we have of you,
We can't believe you're gone.
You were always so loving and caring, you were there for us a lot.
You will always hold a place in our hearts, a loving treasured spot.
You were really one in a million, a cut above the rest.
All that knew you would agree, you simply were the best.
So for now, we will say "goodbye,"
We love and miss you with all our hearts;
But as long as we have our loving memories,
we will never be too far apart!

Sarah Harrison



Music for Reflection

The Way We Were

Barbra Streisand

Committal Reading

Revelation, Chapter 21: verses 3-5

I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,
“Look! God’s dwelling place is now among the people,
and he will dwell with them. They will be his people,
and God himself will be with them and be their God.

He will wipe every tear from their eyes.
There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain,
for the old order of things has passed away.”

He who was seated on the throne said,
“I am making everything new!” Then he said,
“Write this down, for these words
are trustworthy and true.”



Commendation and Farewell

Psalm 100

Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

Worship the Lord with gladness;
come before him with joyful songs.

Know that the Lord is God.

It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving
and his courts with praise;
give thanks to him and praise his name.

For the Lord is good and his love endures forever;
his faithfulness continues through all generations.



Prayer and Blessing

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit
be with us all,
now and for evermore.
Amen.

Closing Music

Unchained Melody
The Righteous Brothers





Doris's family are very grateful for your kindness, cards, flowers and words of support, which has been a great comfort to them at this sad time.

You are all very warmly invited for refreshments at
The Woodpecker, Woodford Road, Mackworth, Derby DE22 4EF.

Donations made in loving memory of Doris will support the
Alzheimer's Society and the **British Heart Foundation**.

*Somewhere a journey begins
at the end of the worldly existence we know.
Somewhere a path stretches over the stars
and rivers of memories flow.
Somewhere a silence is heard far away
and the brightness of day fills the night;
Where the trials of life are resolved into peace
when a soul finds its way to the light.*

Service conducted by Reverend James Lindsay

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