



If ever there is tomorrow where we're not together...  
there is something you must always remember.  
You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem,  
and smarter than you think.  
But the most important thing is, even if we're apart...  
I'll always be with you.

*Winnie-the-Pooh, A.A. Milne*

# Mary Louise Scaman

4th January 1931 - 7th August 2015

St Wilfrid's Church, Alford

Friday 21st August 2015  
at 2.00 pm

Service Conducted by Reverend Ros Latham

MUSIC IN  
WIND BENEATH MY WINGS  
*Bette Midler*

WELCOME AND OPENING PRAYER

HYMN  
MORNING HAS BROKEN

Morning has broken like the first morning,  
blackbird has spoken like the first bird.  
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!  
Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven,  
like the first dew-fall on the first grass.  
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,  
sprung in completeness where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning  
born of the one light Eden saw play!  
Praise with elation, praise ev'ry morning,  
God's re-creation of the new day!

REMEMBERING LOU

READING  
JOHN 14: 1-6

ADDRESS

TIME FOR REFLECTION  
*we listen to 'HELLO MARY LOU'*

## PRAYERS

### 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.

### HYMN

#### LORD OF ALL HOPEFULNESS

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| 1. Lord of all hopefulness,<br>Lord of all joy,<br>Whose trust, ever child-like,<br>No cares could destroy,<br>Be there at our wakening,<br>And give us, we pray,<br>Your bliss in our hearts, Lord,<br>At the break of the day.        | 3. Lord of all kindness,<br>Lord of all grace,<br>Your hands swift to welcome,<br>Your arms to embrace,<br>Be there at our homing,<br>And give us, we pray,<br>Your love in our hearts, Lord,<br>At the eve of the day.     |
| 2. Lord of all eagerness,<br>Lord of all faith,<br>Whose strong hands were skilled<br>At the plane and the lathe,<br>Be there at our labours,<br>And give us, we pray,<br>Your strength in our hearts, Lord,<br>At the noon of the day. | 4. Lord of all gentleness,<br>Lord of all calm,<br>Whose voice is contentment,<br>Whose presence is balm,<br>Be there at our sleeping<br>And give us, we pray,<br>Your peace in our hearts, Lord,<br>At the end of the day. |

### COMMENDATION

### BLESSING

### MUSIC OUT

#### OVER THE RAINBOW

*Judy Garland sung by Poppy McLellan*

Followed by committal in Alford Cemetery

The family would like to thank everyone present for being with them today and invite you back to the Half Moon Hotel, Alford after the service for refreshments and to share your fond memories of Lou.

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