

*In Loving Memory of*



*Olive Mary Lander*

*4th August 1948 - 19th August 2019*



*St Leodegarius' Church  
Wednesday 18th September 2019  
at 1.00 pm*



*Order of Service*



We're here because of God.  
We're here because God gave us Olive  
to learn from and to love.  
God brought Olive to birth,  
held her hand while she learned to walk,  
let her fall down and get up all on her own,  
set her on her path and was with her all the way -  
when she danced and when she limped,  
when she sang and when she cried.  
God brought Olive to death and she died in God's arms.  
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*From Saying Goodbye - Ruth Burgess / © The Iona Community*

## *Entrance Music*

Wind Beneath My Wings

by Bette Midler

## *Welcome and Prayer*

### *Hymn*

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound

That saved a wretch like me!

I once was lost, but now am found,

Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,

And grace my fears relieved;

How precious did that grace appear

The hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares

I have already come:

'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far,

And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years,

Bright shining as the sun,

We've no less days to sing God's praise

Than when we'd first begun.



*Celebrating Olive's Life*  
Memories by her children and the minister

*Reading*

John, Chapter 14: verses 1-6

*Prayers*

*including*

*Mothers' Union Prayer*

*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.**

## *Hymn*

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;  
The darkness deepens; Lord with me abide;  
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;  
Earth's joys grown dim, its glories pass away;  
Change and decay in all around I see:  
O Thou who changest not, abide with me!

I need Thy presence every passing hour:  
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me.

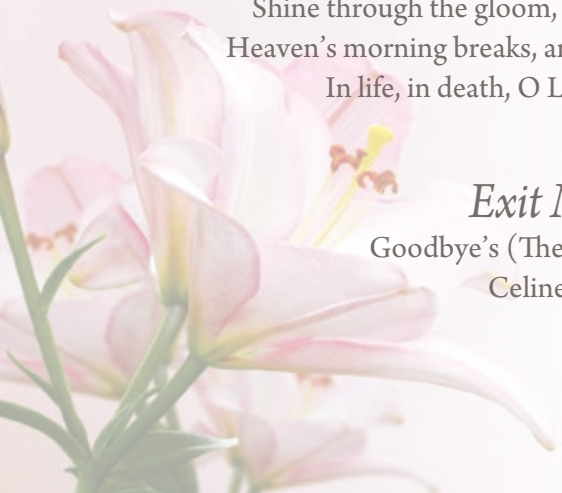
I fear no foe with Thee at hand to bless;  
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.  
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?  
I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes,  
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies;  
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee:  
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me!

## *Exit Music*

Goodbye's (The Saddest Word)

Celine Dion



*At the Graveside*

*Prayers of Commendation  
and Committal*

*Prayer*

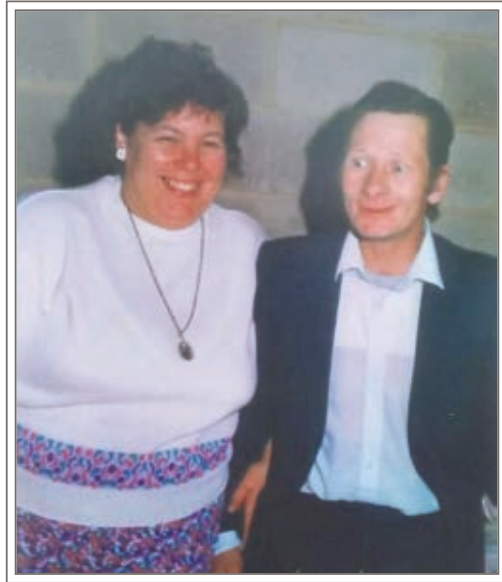
God of our beginnings and endings,  
we celebrate all we have shared with Olive  
and ask for your blessings as she continues on her journey.

May the love that is in our hearts  
be a bond that unites us forever,  
wherever we may be.

Bless this moment of our leave-taking  
for the sake of Jesus Christ, our redeemer.

Amen.





*Together again*

The family would like to thank you all for your kind words and support and invite you all for refreshments at Headstocks, Bagnall Road, Cinderhill NG6 8SF.

Donations may be given towards a headstone for Olive.

**A.W. LYMN**

*The Family Funeral Service*

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