
A SERVICE OF CELEBRATION
FOR THE LIFE OF



Lindsey Jill Brooke
'Bibi'

18th September 1959 - 30th April 2020

Gedling Crematorium
Saturday 13th June 2020 at 11.30 am

Order of Service



Music on Entrance
Follow You, Follow Me - Genesis

Welcome and Opening Prayer
Edward Hine

Hymn Jerusalem

And did those feet in ancient time
Walk upon England's mountains green?
And was the Holy Lamb of God
On England's pleasant pastures seen?
And did the countenance divine
Shine forth upon our clouded hills?
And was Jerusalem builded here
Among these dark satanic mills?

Bring me my bow of burning gold!
Bring me my arrows of desire!
Bring me my spear! O clouds, unfold!
Bring me my chariot of fire!
I will not cease from mental fight,
Nor shall my sword sleep in my hand,
Till we have built Jerusalem
In England's green and pleasant land.

William Blake (1757-1827)

Reading

by Emma Wheatcroft

Life is not measured by the number of breaths you take,
but the moments that take your breath away.

It's not a journey to the grave with the intention
of arriving safely in an attractive and well preserved body.

But rather, skid in sideways,
body totally used up, worn out,
Champagne in one hand, cigarette in the other
and screaming, 'Wahooooo, what a ride!'

When life hands you lemons, ask for a tequila and salt.

Tribute to Lindsey



Hymn

Lord Of All Hopefulness

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 kindliness, 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)



Poem

read by Florence Wheatcroft

There is a part of life
That smells of blue skies
And summer winds,
With the sound of loud laughter
And September sun.
A beautiful place
Brightened by large grins and eyes sparkling
Under the clouds of sunrise and sunset.
We will open our souls
To the flavours of the world.

Address

Edward Hine



Reading

Adaptation of 'Gates Of Prayer'

As long as we live, she will live too,
For now she is part of us, as we remember her.

When we are weary and in need of strength,
When we are lost and sick of heart,
When we have decisions that are hard to make,
When we have joy we long to share,
When we have decisions that are difficult to make,
When we have achievements that are based on hers,
We will remember her.

For as long as I live, she will live too,
For she is part of me, exactly as I remember her.

Samantha Brooke

Prayers

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.



Blessing

Music on Exit
Charlie Brown - Coldplay



Donations in Lindsey's memory for
The Children's Bereavement Centre
may be made at <http://www.childrensbereavementcentre.co.uk>

For those of you not able to attend this service it can be viewed
online simultaneously and for seven further days as follows:

<https://www.wesleymedia.co.uk/webcast-view>

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There will be a memorial service at a later date, where we can truly celebrate
the beautiful lives of Lindsey and Tom. Thank you to everyone for holding
us in your thoughts and prayers. Our only solace is Mum and Tom
are now together.

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