

In Loving Memory of



Betty's family thank you all for attending and invite you back to  
Heathley Park,  
Grobby Road, Leicester LE3 9QE.

Donations to  
**Macmillan Cancer Support**  
to be given on the day or via the  
funeralzone link where memories of Betty can also be shared.  
[www.funeralzone.co.uk/33763](http://www.funeralzone.co.uk/33763)

*Betty Brace*

11th July 1935 - 1st August 2017

Gilroes Crematorium

Thursday 24th August 2017 at 12.30 pm

Abbey Oak Funeral Services  
10-12 Buckminster Road, Leicester LE3 9AR  
Telephone: 0116 251 5639

*Photo by Nigel Howe*

## **MUSIC IN**

Softly As I Leave You  
Matt Monro

## **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION**

## **A CELEBRATION OF BETTY'S LIFE**

by Reverend Pam Haynes

## **CANDLE OF LIGHT AND HOPE**

Music: There's A Place For Us  
Matt Monro

## **REFLECTION**

### **POEM**

#### **She Is Gone**

*read by Keith*

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's 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 she'd want:  
Smile, open your eyes, love and go on.

*David Harkins, © 1981*

## **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.

## **WORDS OF FAREWELL**

### **FINAL BLESSING**

### **EXIT MUSIC**

You'll Never Walk Alone  
Gerry and the Pacemakers