In Loving Memory of



Julie Clayton

3rd July 1953 ~ 17th March 2018



Thursday 10th May 2018 at 11.00 am

Carlton Cemetery Chapel

Order of Service

ENTRANCE MUSIC

Everybody Hurts by R.E.M.

OPENING READING

If I Should Go

If I should go before the rest of you, Break not a flower, nor inscribe a stone, Nor, when I am gone, speak in a Sunday voice, But be the usual selves that I have known.

> Weep if you must -Parting is hell, But life goes on, So sing as well.

> > Joyce Grenfell

WELCOME

WORDS AND THOUGHTS

shared by Merlin and Tina

READING The Dash

I read of a man who stood to speak
At the funeral of a friend,
He referred to the dates on the tombstone,
From the beginning to the end.

He noted that first came the date of birth And spoke the following date with tears, But he said what mattered most of all Was the dash between those years,

For that dash represents all the time
That they spent alive on earth,
And now only those who loved them
Know what that little line is worth.

For it matters not how much we own,
The cars, the house, the cash,
What matters is how we live and love
And how we spend our dash.

So think about this long and hard,
Are there things you'd like to change?
For you never know how much time is left
That can still be rearranged.

If we could just slow down enough
To consider what's true and real
And always try to understand
The way other people feel.

And be less quick to anger And show appreciation more And love the people in our lives Like we've never loved before.

If we treat each other with respect And more often wear a smile, Remembering that this special dash May only last a while.

So when your eulogy is being read With your life's actions to rehash, Would you be proud of the things they say About how you spent your dash?

Linda Ellis

EULOGY

REFLECTION MUSIC

The Wonder Of You by Elvis Presley

READING True Love by Barry H. Young

FINAL WORDS IN THE CHAPEL

EXIT MUSIC
Dancing Queen
by ABBA

AT THE GRAVESIDE

COMMITTAL

CLOSE



The family would like to thank everyone for their kind words and support at this sad time.



The Family Funeral Service

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