

*To Celebrate the Life  
of*



# **Anne Lavinia Giles**

5th October 1934 - 27th May 2026

Markeaton Crematorium, Round Chapel

Tuesday 23rd June 2026  
at 11.00 am



# Order of Service

Officiated by Tracey Grice, Funeral Celebrant

## **Entrance Music**

What A Wonderful World

Louis Armstrong

## **Welcome and Opening Words**



## 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, Oh, abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;  
Earth's joys grow 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 pow'r?  
Who, like Thyself, my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me.

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



## **Eulogy for Anne**

### **A Time of Reflection**

Music: Arrival Of The Birds from *The Crimson Wing*  
The Cinematic Orchestra and the London Metropolitan Orchestra



## **Poem**

### Legacy Of Love

A wife, mum, mum-in-law, nanny, sister and auntie too,  
This is the legacy we have from you.  
You taught us love and how to fight;  
You gave us strength, you gave us might.  
A stronger person would be hard to find,  
And in your heart, you were always kind.  
You fought for us all in one way or another;  
Not just as a wife, not just as a mother.  
For all of us you gave your best,  
Now the time has come for you to rest.  
So go in peace, you've earned your sleep;  
Your love in our hearts, we'll eternally keep.

## **Moment of Silence**



## **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. Forgive us of our trespasses,

As we forgive those who trespass against us.

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.

## **Reading**

The Book of John, Chapter 14: verses 1-3

Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me. In My Father's house are many mansions, if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you, and if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also, and where I go, you know, and the way you know.

I am the Way, the Truth and the Life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.



## **Words of Committal**

**Blessing**

**Closing Words**

**Exit Music**

Fly Me To The Moon

Frank Sinatra





*'Together Again'*

**Pardon Me For Not Getting Up by Kelly Roper**

Oh dear, if you're reading this right now,  
I must have given up the ghost.  
I hope you can forgive me  
For being such a stiff and unwelcoming host.  
Just talk amongst yourself, my friends,  
And share a toast or two.  
For I am sure you will remember well  
How I loved to drink with you.  
Don't worry about mourning me,  
I was never easy to offend.  
Feel free to share a story at my expense  
And we'll have a good laugh at the end.

The family would like to thank you for being here today to celebrate Anne's life and for all your kind expressions of condolence at this difficult time.

You are warmly invited to continue sharing memories of Anne over refreshments at the Farmhouse at Mackworth, Ashbourne Road, Mackworth, Derby DE22 4LY.

Donations in memory of Anne for  
**The Air Ambulance Service**  
may be sealed in the donation envelope and placed  
in the box on leaving the service, left online at  
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