

IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
**MAUREEN FOWLER**

2nd November 1942 - 8th February 2025



Shirebrook Methodist Church  
Thursday 6th March 2025  
at 11.00 am





# ORDER OF SERVICE

Officiated by Reverend Stuart Ellis

## ENTRANCE MUSIC

Goodnight Sweetheart  
Dean Martin

WORDS OF WELCOME AND OPENING SENTENCES

PRAYERS



A bouquet of several pink roses with green leaves, resting on a light-colored wooden surface. The roses are in various stages of bloom, with some fully open and others as buds. The background is a soft, light green gradient.

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 23

EULOGY

POEM  
I Wish It Would Rain

I wish it would rain,  
Oh, I do, and I do,  
But there isn't a cloud in the sky.  
The dusties are blowing down Buttercup Lane  
And every where's perfectly dry!  
I wish it would rain,  
Oh, I do, and I do,  
Cos I've soon got to go out to tea,  
And I've got an umbrella, all shiny and new,  
And I do want to use it, you see. X

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION  
I Won't Crumble With You If You Fall  
Tom Jones



A bouquet of pink roses is shown in the upper right corner of the page. The roses are in various stages of bloom, with some fully open and others as buds. They are set against a background of green leaves and stems. The bouquet is resting on a light-colored wooden surface, with the wood grain visible. The overall lighting is soft and natural, highlighting the delicate petals of the roses.

POEM

We Sat Beside Her Bedside

We sat beside her bedside  
Our hearts were crushed and sore  
We did our duty to the end  
Til we could do no more.

In tears we watched her sinking,  
We watched her fade away  
And through our hearts were breaking  
We knew you could not stay.

She left behind some aching hearts,  
That loved you most sincere  
We never shall and never will  
Forget one so dear.

For many years, the family chain was closely  
Linked together, but oh' that chain is broken now.  
The main link gone forever.

PRAYERS

COMMENDATION



A bouquet of several pink roses with green leaves, resting on a light-colored wooden surface. The roses are in various stages of bloom, with some fully open and others as buds. The background is a soft, out-of-focus white.

## 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

EXIT MUSIC  
Here In My Heart  
Al Martino







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

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**Alzheimer's Society**

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