SERVICE OF CELEBRATION FOR THE LIFE OF

JOAN BARBARA COWLEY

28TH MAY 1938 - 5TH SEPTEMBER 2017



FRIDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER 2017
ROTHERHAM CREMATORIUM
2.15PM

ORDER OF SERVICE

MUSIC Smiling Through by Arthur Peon

INTRODUCTION

OPENING PRAYERS

HYMN

All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful the Lord God made them all.

Each little flower that opens, each little bird that sings, he made their glowing colours, he made their tiny wings.

The purple headed mountain, the river running by, the sunset and the morning that brightens up the sky.

The cold wind in the winter, the pleasant summer sun, the ripe fruits in the garden, he made them every one.

He gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell how great is God almighty, who has made all things well.

EULOGY

READING John 14: 1-6

ADDRESS

REFLECTION MUSIC

The sunshine of your smile by Lilian Ray

PRAYERS

HYMN

Love divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of heaven to earth come down,
Fix in us thy humble dwelling,
All thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesu, thou art all compassion
Pure unbounded love thou art;
Visit us with thy salvation,
Enter every trembling heart.

Come, almighty to deliver,
Let us all thy grace receive;
Suddenly return, and never,
Never more thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
Serve thee as thy hosts above,
Pray, and praise thee, without ceasing,
Glory in thy perfect love.

Finish then thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see thy great salvation,
Perfectly restored in thee;
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in heaven we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before thee,
Lost in wonder, love, and praise!

COMMENDATION

COMMITTAL

CLOSING MUSIC

Vilja from Merry Widow by Frank Lehar

The songs were performed by Joan accompanied by friend Dorothy Moore





Following the service you are welcome to join the family for refreshments and to continue sharing memories of Joan at Sitwell Golf Club, Shrogswood Road, Rotherham, S60 4BY.

Donations in memory of Joan may be made to Ward A6/A7 at Rotherham General Hospital and to Rotherham Hospice, they can be placed in the collection box at the exit of the chapel or they can be sent c/o Bartholomew & Sons Funeral Directors, 6 Broom Valley Road, Rotherham, S60 2QH.

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