Eva Marie Waterman

22<sup>nd</sup> January 1933 - 29<sup>th</sup> April 2020





# Bournemouth Crematorium

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Service conducted by Martin Hiles

Order of Service

Entrance Music

'The Last Waltz' Engelbert Humperdinck

Welcome and Introduction

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:

He gave us eyes to see them, And lips that we might tell How great is God Almighty, Who has made all things well:

All things bright and beautiful, All creatures great and small, All things wise and wonderful, The Lord God made them all. Cecil Frances Humphreys Alexander (1818-1895)

Treasured Memories of Eva

and words from the grandchildren

### For Nan

Nan was such a character and never failed to make us laugh. It was so lovely to see her so often. She was always so interested in what we were doing and came over every Friday without fail, despite how difficult it was for her. She loved a good pea fritter! We will miss you, Nan.

Lots of love, Lucy and James xxx

Will always remember Nan for her fierce but kind nature, she never minced her words and if she had something to say she would say it. As boys growing up we would regularly see Nan on a Thursday and Sunday and feel lucky that we got to see her as much as we did, even if she did confiscate our swords for misbehaving, although probably still ended up with a choc ice an hour later. Will always remember her love for the garden and the endless sweeping of the drive. Something we had in common with Nan was football, whether it was Nan taking an interest in our football or sitting down and watching a game on a Sunday. Forever in our thoughts, Stuart and Ben Nan,

We will always remember you for so many things. From letting us release the fish we caught at the lakes into your pond, to coming to yours at weekends for tea and always a choc ice or a bowl of ice cream for dessert. For always sticking up for us when we went to the park, as you wouldn't mind telling the other children to get off the swings so we could have a go! But most of all we remember you for your warm hearted nature and ability to make us feel special whenever we visited.

Love Scott and Paul

#### For Nan

Today you are in our thoughts, as you have been in the past and you will be again in the future. I remember when I was little and we would eat choc ices at yours, and we remember the time Tom and Ollie wrote a song at yours one Christmas and sang it to you and Uncle Gary. We remember when you came to Tom's first birthday at the farm and my wedding to Louise. You will never be forgotten and although we can't attend today, we send our love. Andy, Louise, Tom and Ollie xx

#### Nan

Our childhood memories when we visited Nan were that we knew we would always get a choc ice each and would find her in the garden tending to the flowers, whatever the weather was doing. Reunited now with dear Grandad, bless you, Darren and Joanne xxx

Poem 'Our Nanny'

Of all the special gifts in life, However great or small, To have you as our nan Was the greatest gift of all. You always had my back When Mum would slack, I never had doubt When you were about. When calling Mum a lazy cow, You never did it with a frown. You liked a treat or two, Even if they were not for you, Sitting around sharing sweets to chew Is one of Taylor's special memories of you. For everything we shared, The dreams, the laughter and the tears, We love you with a special love That deepens every year.

> Thank you, Nanny, we love you. Corinna and Jodie xx

A Tribute

delivered by Pete

Music for Reflection

'I Love You Because' Jim Reeves

Poem

## 'She Is Gone' by David Harkins

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 will come back, Or you can open your eyes and see all that she has left. Your heart can be empty because you can't see her, Or you can be full of the love that 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 is 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 would want: smile, open your eyes, love and go on.

Closing Words

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.

Farewell and Committal

Closing Music

'Crystal Chandeliers' Charley Pride

Donations in memory of Eva are for the **Stroke Association** 

Personal messages, memories and donations may be made online at www.oharafunerals.co.uk or cheques made payable to the charity may be sent to Nicholas O'Hara Funeral Directors 38 Rowlands Hill, Wimborne, Dorset BH21 1AW Telephone: 01202 882134