

a celebration
OF THE LIFE OF



Eileen May Stone

4th April 1929 - 14th January 2023

2:30pm Thursday. 9th February 2023

Lincoln Crematorium, Lincoln

Celebrant: Christine Malkin

RECEPTION OF COFFIN

***Opening Music Tears in Heaven
Eric Clapton***

Welcome and Opening Words

We gather here today to give thanks for the life of Eileen May Stone, who shared her life with us and died on the 14th January 2023 at the age of 93

As we look back and remember Eileen's Life, don't be afraid to smile at the very personal memories that she left behind, don't be embarrassed to laugh at the funny things that you recall, and don't be afraid to cry, because there can't be anyone here today whose life is not the richer for having known her.

As each of us travel through our lives we give gifts of ourselves to those we share our life with. These are special gifts that no one can ever take away. Though Eileen is gone, these precious gifts remain close to the heart of those to whom she has given them.

Hopefully you will go away from today's ceremony feeling just a little bit better - just a little bit comforted and a little bit reassured that all that was great about Eileen will continue to live on in our hearts and minds, down all the years to come for love doesn't end with dying or leave with the last breath. For someone you have loved dearly, love goes on forever.

We are definitely not here to be miserable and to bemoan the fact that Eileen has gone. As would be her wish, we are here to celebrate her life with us.

EULOGY

By Christine Malkin

Music for reflection

We shall now listen to a piece of music, chosen for this moment called I Walk with God, while we do this let us bring to mind our own thoughts and memories of this very special woman from down the years or to pray if you wish.

Reading

Look for me in Rainbows by Vicki Brown

*Time for me go now, I won't say goodbye;
Look for me in rainbows, way up in the sky.
In the morning sunrise when all the world is new,
Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.*

*Time for me to leave you, I won't say goodbye;
Look for me in rainbows, high up in the sky.
In the evening sunset, when all the world is through,
Just look for me and love me, and I'll be close to you.*

*It won't be forever, the day will come and then,
My loving arms will hold you when we meet again.
Time for us to part now, we won't say goodbye;
Look for me in rainbows, shining in the sky.*

*Every waking moment, and all your whole life through,
Just look for me and love me, as you know I loved you.
Just wish me to be near you,
And I'll be there with you.*

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

Final Music We'll Meet Again by Vera Lynn



APPRECIATION

*The family would like to thank you all for your
kind support during this time of sadness.*

DONATIONS

*If you wish to make a donation to our chosen
charity (ALZHEIMER'S SOCIETY), it can be
made care of Lincolnshire Co-operative Funeral Services, Duke Street,
Sleaford, Lincolnshire NG34 7DX*