



A Celebration Of Life and Tea Of

**Lesley Stroud**

*15th February 1951 to 14th January 2023*

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FUNERAL SERVICE HELD ON:

*Tuesday 21st February 2023*

South West Middlesex (Hanworth) Crematorium,

*Hounslow Road, Feltham, TW13 5JH*

***RECEPTION OF COFFIN***

**\*\* WELCOME & INTRODUCTION \*\***

***Bright Eyes - Art Garfunkel***

**\*\* EULOGY \*\***

Lesley Peta Stroud was born on the 15th February 1951 to Ivy May and Alfred Percy at home in Fernside Avenue Hanworth where she has just been driven past with her daughter Donna and her immediate family and friends to take her home where her life began 72 years ago to here at the chapel where she will grow her wings.

Ivy and Alfred had six children - Derek, Terry, Bill, Lesley, Charlie and lastly Neil. She was the couple' only daughter and 4th child.

Lesley welcomed her only child a daughter Donna, and made sure she had everything she needed. Donna came first then herself it just how life was but she would not have it any other way. It was and will always be what they both say "me and mum against the world".

***Lesley's story to be read aloud by the celebrant.***

**\*\* CURTAIN CLOSING \*\***

***Enya - Sail Away***

My mum was the strongest, bravest, and kindest woman. I would not be the woman I am today without the life she showed me. She will be treasured with the importance she is held in my heart.

**\*\* REFLECTION \*\***

***Carol King - Youve Got A Friend***

Lesley had time for everyone, the door was always open even for a chitchat to let off steam. She was someone you could count on whenever you needed her. Whatever happens in your life you will be sure to remember Lesley your own way when her name pops-up and share fond memories.

When I think about how you can make each family celebration so wonderful and memorable with a true sense of occasion, then it's no wonder or surprise that the least I'll do for you is try to pay you back the love you've shown my lifetime through. If I could make your wishes come true I would have it no other way for you deserve to have everything on your own way on your special day. You radiated love and happiness and spread joy to everyone and that's not because I am biased you are truly special Mum, the comfort and support you show are part of why you're treasured, you've always been the life and soul in ways that can't be measured and yes you mean so much more than just words or chocs and flowers because every day that has been spent with you is the perfect 24 hours which is why on your special day is an important day in the year. There are so many heartfelt wishes that you really deserve to hear because no one else could ever match the wonderful Mum you are, you're loved to the moon and back and to the furthest star and I feel lucky to have this special chance to say Mum, you're all kinds of wonderful but I hope today I have done you justice all your own way.

I miss you, I love you and I thank you for everything  
xx See You Later Mate xx

***DEPARTURE***

***Sarah Brightmann & Andrea Bocelli - Time to say Goodbye***

## ***APPRECIATION***

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

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