

*A celebration of the life of*



*Lesley Patricia Williams*

17th March 1948 - 29th April 2023

Walton Lea Crematorium

6th June 2023

12:40pm

Service Led by Tony Mather

Entrance Music: 'Walkin' After Midnight' Patsy Cline

Opening Words

'It Couldn't Be Done'

Read by Tayler

Somebody said that it couldn't be done  
But he with a chuckle replied  
That "maybe it couldn't," but he would be one  
Who wouldn't say so till he'd tried.  
So he buckled right in with the trace of a grin  
On his face. If he worried he hid it.  
He started to sing as he tackled the thing  
That couldn't be done, and he did it!

Somebody scoffed: "Oh, you'll never do that;  
At least no one ever has done it;"  
But he took off his coat and he took off his hat  
And the first thing we knew he'd begun it.  
With a lift of his chin and a bit of a grin,  
Without any doubting or quiddit,  
He started to sing as he tackled the thing  
That couldn't be done, and he did it.

There are thousands to tell you it cannot be done,  
There are thousands to prophesy failure,  
There are thousands to point out to you one by one,  
The dangers that wait to assail you.  
But just buckle in with a bit of a grin,  
Just take off your coat and go to it;  
Just start in to sing as you tackle the thing  
That "cannot be done," and you'll do it.

Tribute

## Reflection Period

Reflective Music: 'Annie's Song' John Denver

'The Warrior'

Read by Nicola

When the world is on your shoulders  
And your heart feels full of lead  
And your stomach churns like butter  
And the voice inside your head  
Is reminding you of everything  
You've ever said or done  
All your failures and regrets  
All the times your fear has won  
Take a minute to remember  
That you've survived this all before  
You've battled and you've conquered  
When you thought you had no more  
You are stronger than you realise  
You are brave and wise and kind  
And you know you're so much bigger  
Than the doubts that fill your mind  
So breathe it in then let it out  
Allow the ebb and flow  
You can win this war, you always do  
You're a warrior you know.

Final Farewell

Closing Words

Closing Music: 'Fairytale Of New York' The Pogues



### *Appreciation*

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

Refreshments will be served after the service at:

The Queen of Hearts  
Murdishaw