

IN LOVING MEMORY OF



ANN DIXON

*10th April 1951 - 23rd May 2023*

SERVICE: 23RD JUNE, 2023 AT 3.30PM

**ROBIN HOOD CREMATORIUM, SOLIHULL**

OFFICIANT: STEPHEN MEASURES

*ENTRANCE MUSIC:  
Ann singing & playing guitar  
from her personal home recordings*

*WELCOME & INTRODUCTION*

*OPENING WORDS*

*TRIBUTE ON BEHALF OF ANN'S FAMILY*

*REFLECTIVE MUSIC  
STREETS OF LONDON - RALPH MCTELL  
Performed by Pete Dixon*

"Have you seen the old man in a closed-down market?  
Kicking up the paper with his worn out shoes  
In his eyes, you see no pride and held loosely at his side  
Yesterday's paper telling yesterday's news

So, how can you tell me you're lonely?  
And say for you that the sun don't shine?  
Let me take you by the hand  
And lead you through the streets of London  
Show you something to make you change your mind

Have you seen the old girl who walks the streets of London?  
Dirt in her hair and her clothes in rags  
She's no time for talking she just keeps right on walking  
Carrying her home in two carrier bags

So, how can you tell me you're lonely?  
And say for you that the sun don't shine?  
Let me take you by the hand  
And lead you through the streets of London  
I'll show you something to make you change your mind

In the all night café at a quarter past eleven  
same old man sitting there on his own  
Looking at the world over the rim of his teacup  
Each tea lasts an hour and he wanders home alone

So, how can you tell me you're lonely?  
Don't say for you that the sun don't shine  
Let me take you by the hand  
And lead you through the streets of London  
Show you something to make you change your mind

Have you seen the old man outside the seaman's mission?  
Memory fading with the medal ribbons that he wears  
In our winter city the rain cries a little pity  
For one more forgotten hero and a world that doesn't care

So, how can you tell me you're lonely?  
And say for you that the sun don't shine?  
Let me take you by the hand  
And lead you through the streets of London  
Show you something to make you change your mind"

*COMMITTAL & CLOSING WORDS*

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:

**SOLIHULL CRICKET CLUB**  
**BRICK KILN LANE**  
**SOLIHULL, B91 3LE**

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charity (Cancer Reasurch), it can be  
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