



A celebration of the life of



Iris Metcalfe

11th September 1926 - 9th September 2023

Chanterlands Avenue Crematorium
Friday, 29th of September, at 1pm

RECEPTION OF COFFIN

Music- "Pal of my cradle days" by Ann Breen

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

PHOTOS OF IRIS' LIFE

Music- "My thanks to you" by Kathy Kirby

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

Music- "Love is in the air" by John Paul Young

Poems

Gone but not forgotten

Ellen Brenneman

Don't think of her as gone away
Her journey's just begun,
Life holds so many facets
This earth is only one.
Just think of her as resting
From the sorrows and the tears
In a place of warmth and comfort
Where there are no days and years.
Think how she must be wishing
That we could know today
How nothing but our sadness
Can really pass away.
And think of her as living
In the hearts of those she touched
For nothing loved is ever lost
And she was loved so much.

Gods Garden
Melissa Shreve

God looked around his garden and found an empty place,
He then looked down upon the earth and saw your tired face.
He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful, He always takes the best.
He knew that you were suffering, He knew you were in pain.
He knew that you would never get well on earth again.
He saw the road was getting rough and the hills were hard to climb.
So he closed your weary eyelids and whispered, 'Peace be Thine'.
It broke our hearts to lose you, but you didn't go alone,
For part of us went with you, the day God called you home.

One of a Kind
Julie B. Bradstreet

The funny beautiful lady
That means so much to me
May be gone from the land of the living
But with me she will always be
Because my memory holds her dearly
And my pen recalls her ways
And most of all I love her
A love that always stays
It stays inside my memory
And is often on my mind
Because a lady like my grandma
Is rare and hard to find.



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:

**Whistling Goose
Amsterdam Road
Sutton Fields
Hull, HU7 0XF**

DONATIONS

If you wish to make a donation to our chosen charity (Royal National Lifeboat Institution), it can be made at the end of the service.