



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

*Elizabeth Louise Slattery*  
*nee O'Brien*

Mortlake Crematorium,

Kew Meadow Path,

Townmead Road,

Richmond TW9 4EN

Thursday 28th March at 10.00am

## The Introduction and Opening Prayer

Priest: Dear friends in Christ, in the name of Jesus and of His Church,  
we gather to pray for Elizabeth that God may bring her to everlasting  
peace and rest.

We share the pain of loss, but the promise of eternal life gives us hope. Let us comfort one another as we turn to God in prayer.

Priest: Almighty God and Father,  
it is our certain faith  
that your Son, who died on the cross, was raised from the dead,  
the first-fruits of all who have fallen asleep.  
Grant that through this mystery  
your servant Elizabeth who has gone to her rest in Christ,  
may share in the joy of his resurrection.  
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

The Scripture Reading

[Please sit]

Jesus said to his disciples: 'Do not let your hearts be troubled.  
Trust in God still, and trust in me.  
There are many rooms in my Father's house;  
if there were not I should have told you.  
I am going now to prepare a place for you,  
and after I have gone and prepared you a place,  
I shall return to take you to with me;  
so that where I am  
you may be too.  
You know the way to the place where I am going.

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*'I am the Way; the Truth and Life.  
No one can come to the Father except through me.'*  
*The Bidding Prayers [Please stand]*

*Priest: Let us ask Our Lady, the Mother of Sorrows  
to pray with us as we say:*

*All: Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with thee,  
blessed art thou amongst women  
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.  
Holy Mary, Mother of God,  
pray for us sinners now  
and the hour of our death. Amen.*

*Priest: At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching,  
we dare to say:*

*All: Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil. Amen.*

*Reader: In a moment of silence let us make our own prayers to the  
Lord who is the Resurrection and the Life.*

*Priest: God, our shelter and our strength,  
you listen in love to the cry of your people,  
hear the prayer we offer for our departed sister Elizabeth.  
Cleanse her and all the faithful departed of their sins  
and grant them the fullness of redemption.*

*We ask this through Christ our Lord.  
All: Amen.*



## 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 pavillion  
Alwyn gardens  
W3 0JH*

*Goodbye is not forever. Goodbye is not the end It simply means I'll miss you  
until we meet again*