



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Sheila Catherine Hayles



23RD APRIL 1945 - 31ST MARCH 2024

Service held at 2.30pm on Wednesday 1st May
in the Gardenside Chapel of Basildon Crematorium
Service led by Nikki Devereux - Celebrant

MUSIC AS WE GATHER

Bruce Springsteen

Atlantic City

ENTRANCE MUSIC

Girl from the North Country

By Bob Dylan and Johnny Cash

WELCOMING WORDS

Memories of Sheila

Written and read by John

The Gentle Gardener Poem

by Edgar Albert Guest

Read by Anita

I'd like to leave but daffodils
To mark my little way.
To leave but tulips red and white
behind me as I stray;
I'd like to pass away from earth
and feel I left behind
but roses and forget-me-nots
for all who come to find

I'd like to sow the barren spots
with all the flowers of earth,
To leave a path where those who come
should find but gentle mirth;
And when at last I'm called upon
to join the heavenly throng
I'd like to feel along my way
I'd left no sign of wrong.

And yet the cares are many
and the hours of toil are few
There is not time enough on earth
for all I'd like to do;
But, having lived and having toiled,
I'd like the world to find
Some little touch of beauty
that my soul had left behind.

Time for Reflection

with a visual tribute and music by Joni Mitchell
Big Yellow Taxi

LORDS PRAYER

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
For Thine is the kingdom
The power and the glory
Forever and ever
Amen

AU REVOIR

Accompanied by Ennio Morricone
La Califfa

Finding You in Beauty
Poem by Walter Rinder

Read by Anita

The rays of light filtered through
The sentinels of trees this morning.
I sat in the garden and contemplated.
The serenity and beauty
Of my feelings and surroundings
Completely captivated me.
I thought of you.

I discovered you tucked away
In the shadows of the trees.
Then, rediscovered you in the smiles of the flowers

As the sun penetrated their petals
In the rhythm of the leaves
Falling in the garden
In the freedom of the birds
As they fly searching as you do

I'm very happy to have found you
Now you will never leave me
For I will always find you in the beauty of life.

WORDS OF COMFORT

MUSIC AS WE LEAVE

Little Boxes

By Pete Seeger

Repose en paix



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 Gun Pub,
London Road, Bowers Gifford, Pitsea, SS13 2DU

DONATIONS

***Donations to the Alzheimer's Society through the donations link
on the S. Stibbards website.***

