

# *Tributes to Sandra*

Outlined by Roger,  
followed by personal words and memories by the Family

Poem provided by Shelley

"For all of us that can't be there to say goodbye"

## *LOVE LIVES ON*

*The aunt we love remains with us  
for love itself lives on,  
and cherished memories never fade  
because a loved one is gone.*

*Those we love can never be more  
than a thought apart, for as long as there  
is memory she'll live on in our hearts.*

*TIME OF REFLECTION ~ "IN THE ARMS OF AN ANGEL"*

*BY Sarah McLachlan*

*WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT*

*BY Roger Lloyd*

## COMMENDATION~

**"NEAR A SHADY WALL A ROSE WILL GROW"**

*Near shady wall a rose once grew  
Budded and blossomed in God's free light,  
Watered and fed by morning dew  
Shedding its sweetness day and night.*

*As it grew and blossomed fair and tall  
Slowly rising to loftier height,  
It came to a crevice in the wall  
Through which there shone a beam of light.*

*Onward it crept with added strength  
With never a thought of fear of pride,  
It followed the light through the crevices length  
And unfolded itself on the other side.*

*The light, the dew, the broadening view  
Were found the same as they were before,  
And it lost itself in beauties new  
Breathing its fragrance more and more.*

*Shall claim of death cause us to grieve  
And make our courage faint or fail,  
Nay, let us faith and hope receive,  
The rose still grows beyond the wall  
Scattering fragrance far and wide,  
Just as it did in the days of yore  
Just as it did on the other side  
Just as it will forever more.*

**ALL SAY :**

**"THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD"**

(PSALM 23 ~ TUNE OF CRIMOND WILL PLAY)

- 1. The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll shall not want*
- 2. He maketh me to lie down  
In pastures green; He leadeth me  
me beside still waters.*
- 3. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of  
righteousness His name's sake.*
- 4. Yea, though I walk through  
the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil:  
For Thou art with me: and Thy rod  
And Thy staff they comfort me.*
- 5. Thou preparest a table before me in  
the presence of mine enemies:  
Thou anointest my head with oil:  
my cup runneth o*
- 6. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life: and i will dwell in the house of  
the LORD forever.*

**Personal Goodbyes to Sandra**

**Committal~ "Silent Night" By King's College  
Cambridge.**

**Closing Blessing**

**Departing the Chapel to: "The Wind Beneath  
Our Wings" ~ Bette Midler**

## *"THE PINK ROSE"*

SANDRA'S FAVORITE FLOWER WAS THE PINK ROSE  
SO THE SONG "THE ROSE"  
WAS CHOSEN TO REFLECT HER LOVE OF THE PINK ROSE.

THE MEANING OF A PINK ROSE:  
IS ADMIRATION, HAPPINESS AND LOVE.  
IT IS ALSO A SYMBOL OF STRONG FRIENDSHIP AND LOVE BETWEEN  
FAMILY MEMEBERS.