



A celebration of the life of



Lolade Abiose Thomas

12th December 1948 - 29th June 2024

Service held at Overdale Crematorium, Bolton
Tuesday 30th July, 3.15pm

Arrival

Music: Ye Banks and Braes
By Madelaine Cave

Words of Welcome and Eulogy

Nicola Wright - Celebrant

Song for Lola

Love call me home

Sung by Kadenza Women's Choir, Clarion Bolton,
and Red Notes Bristol, Socialist Choirs.

Tribute

By Myna Trustram

Hymn

Summer Suns are Glowing

By William Walsham How (1871)

Summer suns are glowing
over land and sea;
happy light is flowing
bountiful and free.
Everything rejoices
in the mellow rays;
all earth's thousand voices
swell the psalm of praise.

See God's mercy streaming
over all the world,
and his banner gleaming
everywhere unfurled.
Broad and deep and glorious
as the heaven above,
shines in might victorious
his eternal love.

Lord, upon our blindness
your pure radiance pour;
for your loving-kindness
make us love you more.
And, when clouds are drifting
dark across the sky,
then, the veil uplifting,
Father, still be nigh.

We will never doubt you,
though you veil your light;
life is dark without you,
death with you is bright.
Light of light, shine o'er us
on our pilgrim way;
still go on before us
to the endless day.

Poem

Warning by Jenny Joseph,
Read by Darren Thomas

Committal

Nicola Wright - Celebrant

Music on Departure

Island in the Sun by Harry Belafonte

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:

Bolton Socialist Club

16 Wood Street

Bolton, BL1 1DY

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If you wish to make a donation to our chosen charity;

Bolton Hospice

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