

A Service of Thanksgiving And Celebration of The Life of



Carol Ann Reed

12th November 1942 - 13th April 2024

Service held at Church of St John the Baptist Evangelist, Tadworth

Saturday 6th July 2024 at 1pm

Officiated by Reverend Michael Reilley

Order of Service

**Entrance Hymn:
How Great thou Art**

**Welcome:
Poem; She Is Gone, by David Harkins.
Read by James**

You can shed tears that she is gone
Or you can smile because she has lived
You can close your eyes and pray that she comes back
Or you can open your eyes and see that she has left
Your heart can be empty because you can't see her
Or you can be full of love you shared
You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday
Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday
You can remember her and only that she is gone
Or you can cherish her memory and let her live on
You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back
Or you can do what she would want: smile, open your eyes, love
and go on

***EULOGY:*
Memories of Carol By Katie**

First Reading: John 11 21-27

Second Reading: Romans 8 37-39

**Gospel:
John 1-6: By Father Philip**

Bidding Prayers

Let us thank God for having given Carol the gift of life and
pray

That he will now grant Carol the great gift of eternal life.

Lord hear us

Response: Lord graciously hear us.

Let us praise God for all that he did through Carol during her
life on earth. May she have the reward of his goodness.

Lord hear us

Response: Lord graciously hear us.

We pray for all of the doctors and nurses that cared for Carol.
We thank them for their skill and commitment.

Lord hear us

Response: Lord graciously hear us.

We pray especially for the family and friends of Carol, that
the pain and their sorrow may soften and that the emptiness
may be filled with the love of God.

Lord hear us

Response: Lord graciously hear us.



Holy Communion

Music: Sole Of My Saviour

End of Life Words

Poem: Afterglow

I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one
I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when life is done
I'd like to leave an echo, whispering softly down the ways
Of happy times and laughing times and bright sunny days
I'd like the tears of those who grieve to dry before the sun
Of happy memories that I leave when life is done.

Exit Music: Flying without Wings

Mary and Bernadette would like to thank all family and friends who have joined us today to remember Carol and your kind words and support. Following the service, we would like to invite for you refreshments in the scout hut in Chequers Lane, Walton on the Hill.