

A celebration of the life of



Joyce Elizabeth Smith

27th January 1934 - 14th August 2024

The Surrey and Sussex Crematorium  
Monday, 23rd September at 12.30 am

“As is a tale, so is a life:  
Not how long it is, but how good it is,  
is what matters”

Seneca

## COMMITTAL

### Music: Father I Place Into Your Hands

*This beloved hymn, cherished by Joyce,  
is beautifully played on the piano by John Keys.  
The hymn's lyrics are provided below for you to read as the music plays*

Father, I place into Your hands, the things I cannot do,  
Father, I place into Your hands, the times that I've been through.  
Father, I place into Your hands, the way that I should go,  
For I know I always can trust You.

Father, I place into Your hands, my friends and family.  
Father, I place into Your hands, the things that trouble me.  
Father, I place into Your hands, the person I would be,  
For I know I always can trust You.

Father, we love to seek Your face, we love to hear Your voice.  
Father, we love to sing Your praise, and in Your name rejoice.  
Father, we love to walk with You, and in your presence rest,  
For we know we always can trust You.

Father, I want to be with you, and do the things You do.  
Father, I want to speak the words, that you are speaking too.  
Father, I want to love the ones, that you will draw to you,  
For I know that I am one with you.

## RECESSION

Music: Candle in the Wind (Elton John)



## 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:  
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## DONATIONS

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