

## **RECEPTION**

### ***Wild Horses***

The Rolling Stones

## **WELCOME & INTRODUCTION**

### **ORDER OF SERVICE**

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### **THE FIRST READING**

#### ***A Scottish Legacy***

Author Unknown

A Scottish heart, a love so vast,  
A great person, from first to last,  
Their kindness shone, a beacon bright,  
A guiding star, through darkest nights.

They stood for truth, embraced the weak,  
Their love, a force, a river deep,  
A life of honor, compassion, and grace,  
Our dear friend, forever embraced.

We'll celebrate the life they led,  
A love unbroken, a path well-tread,  
My dear friend, forever near,  
A Scottish legacy, in memory clear.

## ALL TO SING

### *Forever Young*

Alphaville

Let's dance in style, let's dance for a while  
Heaven can wait, we're only watching the skies  
Hoping for the best but expecting the worst  
Are you gonna drop the bomb or not?

Let us die young or let us live forever  
We don't have the power but we never say never  
Sitting in a sandpit, life is a short trip  
The music's for the sad men

Can you imagine when this race is won  
Turn our golden faces into the sun  
Praising our leaders, we're getting in tune  
The music's played by the, the mad man

Forever young  
I want to be forever young  
Do you really want to live forever?  
Forever, and ever  
Forever young  
I want to be forever young  
Do you really want to live forever?  
Forever young

Some are like water, some are like the heat  
Some are a melody and some are the beat  
Sooner or later, they all will be gone  
Why don't they stay young?

It's so hard to get old without a cause  
I don't want to perish like a fading horse  
Youth's like diamonds in the sun  
And diamonds are forever

So many adventures couldn't happen today  
So many songs we forgot to play  
So many dreams swinging out of the blue  
We'll let 'em come true

Forever young  
I want to be forever young  
Do you really want to live forever?  
Forever, and ever

Forever young  
I wanna be forever young  
Do you really want to live forever? (Forever)

## THE SECOND READING

### *She Has Gone*

David Harkins

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 will come back  
Or you can open your eyes and see all that she has left

Your heart can be empty because you can't see her  
Or you can be full of the love that 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 it 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.