

In loving memory of

Dorothy Box



24th June 1929 - 1st November 2024

Service conducted by Sally Boughton
Westerleigh Crematorium | Thursday 5th December 2024 at 1pm

Opening Music: Sleep by Eric Whitacre

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Early Years in her own words

Music - Kathleen Ferrier - Blow the Wind Southerly

Family and career

Music - Swan and Flanders - The Weather Song



Top - Wedding Day 29th December 1951

L-R Granny Smith, Eric and Kitty Wilson, Janet Wilson, James Box,
Dorothy, Marge Box, G Collins, Edith and Joseph Box

Bottom - Johnny, Anita, Andy and Dorothy

Retirement and the joy of being Nan

Poem - A Mum - written and read by Anita Silverston

Later Years

Poem - Rice Pudding- A A Milne read by Jo Silverston

Farewell

Andreas Scholl - Handel - Ombra mai fu

Poem - One Regret by Dorothy (see back page for words)

Last words

Favourite Things - Julie Andrews from Sound of Music



ONE REGRET - by Dorothy Box

Now it is time to bid you goodbye.

So let's have a laugh as well as a cry.

Dear children, grandchildren friends new and old

With such special moments our memories hold.

I've learned and I've taught and always I've cared,

Many great days with you all, I have shared,

BUT

There's one thing in which I've had no success,

Yes, I know some of you already will guess.

It's all those socks that never will pair,

Yes, the pile of odd socks lying there by the chair.

The solution seems simple, just throw them away

But you know what happens, the VERY NEXT DAY

All of their mates reappear, and yes, Mrs Box,

There you are holding a pile of odd socks

SO

Just accept that is how it will be,

And wear odd socks, remembering me.

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 the Crematorium

Donations and Thanks

If you wish to make a donation to our chosen charity is Cancer Research UK.
Our thanks go to Shaun Moody at R Davies & Son Funeral Directors and
to Sally Boughton (Celebrant) for their help in arranging this service.