

## **I'm There Inside Your Heart**

Right now I'm in a different place  
And though we seem apart  
I'm closer than I ever was,  
I'm there inside your heart.

I'm with you when you greet each day  
And while the sun shines bright  
I'm there to share the sunsets, too  
I'm with you every night.

I'm with you when the times are good  
To share a laugh or two,  
And if a tear should start to fall  
I'll still be there for you.

And when that day arrives  
That we no longer are apart,  
I'll smile and hold you close to me,  
Forever in my heart.

*"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life."*

John 3:16 (NIV)

In Loving Memory  
of

**Nellie Smith Sexton**

June 8, 1930 to September 12, 2022

*"Trust in the Lord with all your heart  
and lean not on your own understanding..."*

Proverbs 3:5 (NIV)

**Celebration of Life  
for**

**Nellie Smith Sexton  
September 16, 2022**

**My Creed**

To live as gently as I can;  
To be, no matter where, a woman;  
To take what comes of good or ill  
And cling to faith and honor still;  
To do my best, and let that stand  
The record of my brain and hand;  
And then, should failure come to me,  
Still work and hope for victory.

To have no secret place wherein  
I stoop unseen to shame or sin;  
To be the same when I'm alone  
As when my every deed is known;  
To live undaunted, unafraid  
Of any step that I have made;  
To be without pretense or sham  
Exactly what others think I am.

To leave some simple mark behind  
To keep my having lived in mind;  
If enmity to aught I show,  
To be an honest, generous foe;  
To play my little part, not whine  
That greater honors are not mine.  
Jesus Christ, I believe, is all I need  
As my belief and my creed.

Welcome and Prayer.....Dr. Ernest Johnson

“His Eye Is on the Sparrow”.....Rev. Robert James

“If You Could See Where I Have Gone”.....Craig Sexton

Eulogy.....Dr. Ernest Johnson

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”.....Rev. Robert James

Closing Prayer.....Dr. Ernest Johnson

*We wish to thank you, our friends and loved ones,  
for all your acts of kindness, your love, and your  
presence with us today.*

~The Family of Nellie Sexton