

A Celebration Of The Life of
June Valerie Pye

16th May 1950 - 9th February 2024



Thursday 29th February 2024

St Faith Crematorium at 9.30 am

followed by

Dereham Baptist Church at 12.00 noon

Order of Service

Entrance Music

Abide With Me
by The Fron Male Voice Choir

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Dave Ward



Hymn

Bless The Lord, O My Soul

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before
O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger
Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore

Eulogy

John

Hymn

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

Amazing grace how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now I'm found
Was blind but now I see

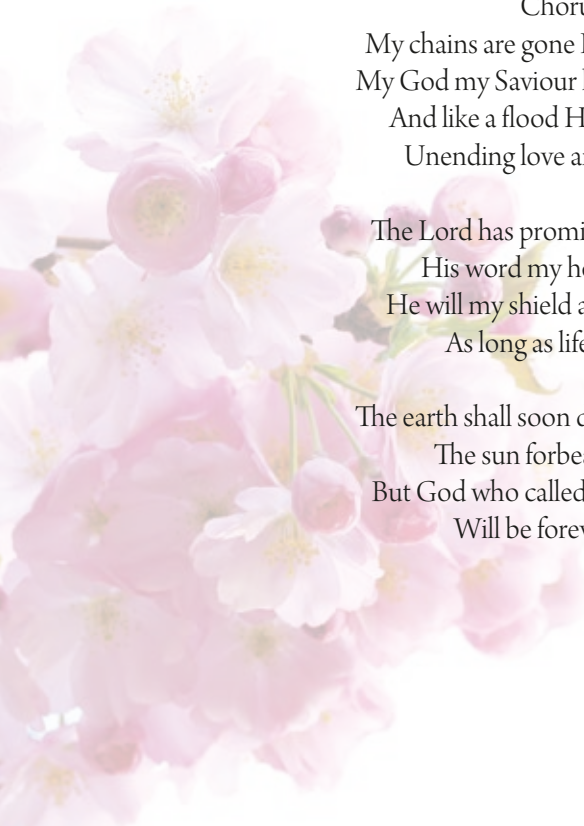
'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

Chorus

My chains are gone I've been set free
My God my Saviour has ransomed me
And like a flood His mercy rains
Unending love amazing grace

The Lord has promised good to me
His word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow
The sun forbear to shine
But God who called me here below
Will be forever mine



Tribute and Poem

Emma

Tributes

Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

led by Jo

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name;
Thy Kingdom come;
Thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the Kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever.
Amen.



Song of Reflection

The Prayer

by Andrea Bocelli and Celine Dion

Reading

Psalm 139: verses 1-18

read by Mike

Hymn

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling
sung by Only Men Aloud
please join in

Love divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of heaven, to earth come down,
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
All Thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesu, Thou art all compassion,
Pure unbounded love Thou art;
Visit us with Thy salvation,
Enter every trembling heart.

Come, almighty to deliver,
Let us all Thy grace receive;
Suddenly return, and never,
Never more Thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
Serve Thee as Thy hosts above;
Pray, and praise Thee, without ceasing,
Glory in Thy perfect love.

Finish then Thy new creation:
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation,
Perfectly restored in Thee;
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in heaven we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love, and praise.

Charles Wesley (1707-1788)

Tune: Blauenwern

Talk

Psalm 139
Dave / Nigel

Closing Hymn

Shine, Jesus, Shine

Lord, the light of Your love is shining,
In the midst of the darkness, shining:
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us;
Set us free by the truth You now bring us,
Shine on me:

*Shine, Jesus, shine,
Fill this land with the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze, Set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow,
Flood the nations with grace and mercy;
Send forth Your word, Lord, and let there be light!*

Lord, I come to Your awesome presence,
From the shadows into Your radiance;
By the blood I may enter Your brightness,
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness:
Shine on me:

As we gaze on Your kingly brightness,
So our faces display Your likeness,
Ever changing from glory to glory,
Mirrored here, may our lives tell Your story:
Shine on me:

Graham Kendrick (b.1950)



Blessing
Dave Ward

Exit Music
Crazy Little Thing Called Love
by Queen

*St Faith Crematorium, Horsham St Faith,
Norwich, Norfolk at 9.30 am*

Service led by Reverend Rachael Dines

Entrance Music

Nella Fantasia
by Il Divo

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Reflections of June

Memories of Mum



Poem

Remember Me

Speak of me as you have always done.
Remember the good times, laughter, and fun.

Share the happy memories we've made.
Do not let them wither or fade.

I'll be with you in the summer's sun
And when the winter's chill has come.

I'll be the voice that whispers in the breeze.
I'm peaceful now, put your mind at ease.

I've rested my eyes and gone to sleep,
But memories we've shared are yours to keep.

Sometimes our final days may be a test,
But remember me when I was at my best.

Although things may not be the same,
Don't be afraid to use my name.

Let your sorrow last for just a while.
Comfort each other and try to smile.

I've lived a life filled with joy and fun.
Live on now, make me proud of what you'll become.

Music for Reflection

Benedictus by Karl Jenkins
(from The Armed Man)

Bible Reading

1 Corinthians, Chapter 13
read by Josh

Address



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for ever and ever.
Amen.

Hymn

Here Is Love, Vast As The Ocean
by Swansea Gospel Male Voice Choir

Here is love, vast as the ocean,
Loving kindness as the flood,
When the Prince of life, our ransom,
Shed for us His precious blood.
Who His love will not remember?
Who can cease to sing His praise?
He can never be forgotten
Throughout heaven's eternal days.

On the Mount of Crucifixion
Fountains opened deep and wide;
Through the floodgates of God's mercy
Flowed a vast and gracious tide.
Grace and love, like mighty rivers,
Poured incessant from above,
And heaven's peace and perfect justice
Kissed a guilty world in love.

William Rees (1802-1883)





Commendation and Committal

Final Prayer and Blessing

Music As We Leave

Long Tall Sally
by Elvis Presley



June's family would like to thank you for the numerous cards, emails, messages, letters and flowers received and for all the kind words of encouragement and support. This has been a great comfort to us all, a fantastic tribute to June and is so very much appreciated.
Thank you.

You are warmly invited to join the family afterwards at Dereham Memorial Hall, 62a Norwich Street, Dereham NR19 1AD for refreshments and to share memories.

Donations, if desired, in June's memory for

Pancreatic Cancer UK

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and the

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