A Service of Thanksgiving and Celebration for the Life and Love of



10/6/1940 - 28/2/2021 A LIFE WELL-LIVED

RSL Memorial Hall, Tumbarumba Thursday, 11th March 2021 at 2:00pm

OPENING SONG "I'll Never Find Another You" by The Seekers

WELCOME & PRAYER Pastor Debbie Gadd

OPENING SONG "Amazing Grace" by Susan Boyle

Amazing Grace! how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me I once was lost, but now am found Was blind but now I see

Through many dangers, toils, and snares I have already come 'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far And grace will lead me home

When we've been there ten thousand years Bright, shining as the sun We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we first begun

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BIBLE READING Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he refreshes my soul. He guides me along the right paths for His name's sake. Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me: your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely your goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

EULOGY Read by Ian, Elwyn, Joanne and David

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"Memories In The Heart" Read by Nicole Harrison

Feel no guilt in laughter, she knows how much you care Feel no sorrow in a smile that she's not here to share You cannot grieve forever, she would not want you to She'd hope that you can carry on, the way you always do So talk about the good times and the ways you showed you cared The days you spent together, all the happiness you shared Let memories surround you. A word someone may say Will suddenly recapture a time, an hour, a day That brings her back as clearly as though she were still here And fills you with the feelings that she is always near For if you keep these moments, you will never be apart And she will live forever locked safe within your heart

MEMORIES Shared by Marie's Grandchildren

A TRIBUTE Read by Michael Blenkins On Behalf of Tumbarumba High School

PICTORIAL REFLECTION "Looking Forward, Looking Back" by Slim Dusty **"Somewhere Over The Rainbow"** by Judy Garland

BIBLE READING 1 Corinthians 13 (The Love Chapter) Read by Suzie and Chloe

If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails.

WORD'S OF ENCOURAGEMENT Pastor Debbie Gadd

LORD'S PRAYER Lead by Michelle Harrison

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE BLESSING 6: 24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn His face toward you and give you peace.

RECESSIONAL SONG "Time To Say Goodbye" by Andre Rieu

PALLBEARERS

Ian Harrison, David Harrison, Jake Matthews, Todd Matthews, Alex Farthing and Harry Farthing.

It is with love and gratitude that Marie's family thank you for your kindness and expressions of sympathy at a time when it is needed and deeply appreciated.

Following the service, Marie's family would like to welcome you to the Tumbarumba Bowling Club, Winton Street, for light refreshments and to share the many wonderful memories we all have of Marie.

