

*A celebration of the life of*  
**SYLVIA ROBINSON**

*20<sup>th</sup> August 1926 – 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2021*



***Loyal wife of the late Norman Robinson and  
much-loved mother to Andrew, Janine,  
Clive and dear departed Lesley***

*“Tis all a Chequer-board of nights and days  
Where Destiny with men for Pieces plays:  
Hither and thither moves, and mates, and slays,  
And one by one back in the closet lays.”*

*Omar Khayyam*



## **Music on Entry**

*Blue Danube – Johann Strauss II  
Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra*

## **Welcome**

*By Ellie Lomas – Civil Celebrant*

## **Tributes**

*with a Poem by Andrew*

## **Reflection Music**

*Nessun Dorma - Giacomo Puccini  
Luciano Pavarotti*

## **Prayer**

*Given by Joanne Robinson*

In the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to speak words of comfort  
to our bereaved family of the late Sylvia Robinson.

The Holy Bible says Psalm 59: verses 16-17 –  
But I will sing of Your power; Yes, I will sing aloud of Your mercy in  
the morning; For You have been my defense And refuge in the  
day of my trouble. To You, O my Strength, I will sing praises;

For God is my defense, My God of mercy.  
Declare the power of God through voice of praise.

God has unlimited power and can influence  
change. This same power from God can  
strengthen us today in the grief of losing  
our much-loved mother, grandmother and  
great-grandmother during this difficult time.

May the word from the Holy Bible comfort  
our bereaved family members. And may Sylvia,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Amen.

## **The Farewell**

## **Closing Words**

## **Closing Music**

*Cucurrucucu Paloma – Caetano Veloso*



*The family would like to thank you for your messages of sympathy and for attending the service today.*

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