

The Church of St Laurence
Affpuddle



A Service of Celebration for the life of
Dorothy Jean Nommick

1st November 1932 - 2nd November 2024

Monday 16th December
1:30pm

Entry Music, Road of Life, Frankie Vaughan

Welcome and Opening Prayer
Reverend Canon Richard Bartlett

Hymn

I danced in the morning when the world was begun,
And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,
And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth:
At Bethlehem I had my birth.

*Dance, then, wherever you may be,
I am the Lord of the dance, said he,
And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be,
And I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.*

I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee,
But they would not dance and they wouldn't follow me;
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John;
They came with me and the dance went on:

I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame:
The holy people said it was a shame.
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me on high,
And they left me there on a cross to die:

I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black;
It's hard to dance with the devil on your back.
They buried my body and they thought I'd gone;
But I am the dance, and I still go on:

They cut me down and I leapt up high;
I am the life that'll never, never die.
I'll live in you if you'll live in me:
I am the Lord of the dance, said he.

Poem

Eulogy

By Jedd

Reflection Music

Love Song, *The Cure*

The Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

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.

Hymn

Lord of all hopefulness, lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy,
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, lord, at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindness, lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace,
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, lord, at the end of the day.

Commendation & Blessing

Exit Music

She'll Be Coming Round the Mountain



This service will be followed by interment in the Churchyard

Dorothy's family wish to express their appreciation for your presence here today and for the kind messages of sympathy received.

There will be a Retiring Collection in memory of Dorothy for Operation Smile and Sightsavers. Donations may be sent care of Albert Marsh Funeral Directors, St Michaels Road, Wareham, BH20 4QU or made online at www.funeraldirector.co.uk/dorothy-nommick

You are warmly invited to Bladen Social Club, Briantspuddle, DT2 7HS following this service.

