Celebrating the Life of

Pauline Elizabeth Leighton

27th November 1947 9th September 2021



Song - 'Supermarket Flowers' Sung by granddaughter Lara Gamble

Lighting of Memory Candles

Taryn Humphries, Lara Gamble, (Teena to light on behalf of Marten) Myles and Sophie Hunt

Introduction

Verse 'Your Spirit' - Read by Taryn Humphries

I know that no matter what, you will always be with me. When life separates us, I'll know it is only your soul. Saying goodbye to your body, but your spirit will be with me always. When I see a bird chirping on a nearby branch I will know it is you singing to me. When a butterfly brushes gently by me so care freely I will know it is you assuring me you are free from pain. When the gentle fragrance of a flower catches my attention I will know it is you reminding me to appreciate the simple things in life. When the sun shining through my window awakens me I will feel the warmth of your love. When I hear the rain pitter patter against my window sill I will hear your words of wisdom, and will remember what you taught me so well That without rain trees cannot grow Without rain flowers cannot bloom Without life's challenges I cannot grow strong. When I look out to the sea I will think of your endless love for your family. When I think of mountains, their majesty and magnificence I will think of your courage for your country. No matter where I am, your spirit will be beside me For I know that no matter what, you will always be with me.

Reflections

Eulogy

Tammy Gamble and Sophie Hunt and Marten Hunt

Photo Reflections

'The Prayer' (Celine Dion and Andrea Bocelli) 'Wonderful World' (Rod Stewart)

Reading - Corinthians 13:4-8

Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast;

it is not arrogant or rude.

It idoes not insist on its own way;

it is not irritable or resentful;

it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth.

Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away.

For we know in part and we prophesy in part, but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away.

When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child.

When I became a man, I gave up childish ways.

For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face.

Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known.

So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

Closing Words

Floral Tributes

Committal

Closing Song - 'You're My Best Friend' (Queen)

We sincerely thank everyone for joining us here today. Please join us after the service for light refreshments at The Gardens - within the grounds of the Botanic Gardens.

