



A service to celebrate the life of  
**LINDA ROBERTSHAW**

**1960 - 2026**

Friday, 23rd January 2026 - 10.30 a.m.

DEWSBURY MOOR CREMATORIUM



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## ORDER OF SERVICE

Service Conducted by Nikki Lodge-Frear

*Civil Celebrant*



## PROCESSIONAL MUSIC

Isn't She Lovely

*By Stevie Wonder*



## OPENING WORDS



## TRIBUTE TO LINDA



## POEM

Read by Emma

I missed you today but that's nothing new,  
I missed you a million times yesterday too.  
I picked up my phone to tell you the news,  
then realised, again, I can't text it to you.  
I saw your bright smile, at least 20 times,  
Before I remembered it's all in my mind.

I drive without presence, this world seems surreal,  
Then on comes your song and this doesn't feel real.

I missed you today but I miss you a lot,  
It's helpful to miss you, it's all that I've got.  
I wish I could pull you down here for a while  
I'm scared I'll forget the shape of your smile.  
I missed you today and I'll miss you tomorrow,  
There seems to be no coming end to this sorrow.  
I try to go on because I know that you care,  
And I know that you're willing me on from up there.  
I missed you today and I'm trying to find,  
A way to move through and not leave you behind.  
A way to forge on with the love that we had,  
A way to recall you and simply feel glad.

***By Donna Ashworth***

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION

Only Time

*By Enya*

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THOUGHTS & REFLECTIONS

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A MOMENT OF SILENCE

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CLOSING WORDS

## POEM

I promise, I'll tell them about you  
I'll make sure that they know  
How much you loved them, and would love them  
If you hadn't had to go

We'll keep you alive in stories  
They'll point you out in photographs,  
And bittersweet, my heart will ache  
Wishing your lives, for longer, could have overlapped

For I saw it, and can see it still,  
The way they made you smile  
Seated together, one big, one small,  
Just to chat awhile

You'd have taught them the same lessons  
That I remember you telling me  
About the ways the world works,  
And how lovely being a parent can be

And as they grow, I wish I could share  
Every clever thing they do-  
For I know you'd have been their biggest fan,  
And they'd have been yours, too

So I promise, I'll tell my little love  
About the one who once loved me,  
And even though you had to go,  
In our hearts, you will be.



## RECESSIONAL MUSIC

Hallelujah

*By Vitamin String Quartet*



## PLEASE RETAIN THIS SERVICE SHEET IN REMEMBRANCE

Ian, Emma and family wish to thank you most sincerely for your sympathy  
and kindness shown by joining them for Linda's funeral service.





Donations, if so desired, for the benefit of MacMillan Cancer Support and Kirkwood Hospice can be left in the collection box provided at the exit, or made online.

[www.memorygiving.com/lindarobertshaw](http://www.memorygiving.com/lindarobertshaw)

The family invite you to join them after the ceremony at Hanging Heaton Cricket Club, Bennett Lane, Batley, WF17 6DB, for light refreshments and to share memories of Linda.

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