

A service to celebrate the life of
HERMINDER KAUR VIRDEE
1953 - 2021

Friday, 5th February 2021 - 1.45 p.m.
GURU NANAK GURDWARA - SIKH TEMPLE
HUDDERSFIELD



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MUSIC

Satnaam Shri Waheguru Ehee Naam Hai Adhara By Jagjit Singh

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TRIBUTE

By Raju and Nana

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POEM

To The Wild Meadow

By Kim Whatley, read by Nane

I saw a robin in the sycamore tree
The day your death swept over me.
Maybe it's you, this little bird,
My cries of grief not left unheard.
Your body gone but your soul still lives,
Nestled in the bounty that nature gives.
My robin sings to cherish the dead,
In the delicate beauty of petals spread.

Strong of stem and sharp of thorn,
The roses bloom for she I mourn.
My heart is stricken, my spirit sore,
The waves of sadness swell once more,
But bursts of marigold and jasmine scent,
Out-colour the dandelions' ghostly lament.
Rosemary for remembrance, our paths to cross
Tulips for love and lilies for loss.

The breeze is up and the seed heads sway,
It hits again that you've gone away.
The blackness of death in passing crows,
But a beautiful orchid for your memory grows.
The wisteria sigh, their longing runs deep,
As the iris smiles before her autumn sleep.
Soft wind weaving through the uncut grass,
Her pastel hues whisper 'this too shall pass'.

On cold winter mornings with branches bare, I'll remember again that you're not there.
But when the buds of springtime gently stir, I'll call to mind all that you once were.
A reflection of beauty as day comes from night, A sweet summer stillness and all colours bright. When a sorrowful magpie reminds us of fear, Befriend joyful blossom and sunflower cheer.

Off to the wild meadow with a blackbird's cry,
Where forget-me-nots promise that you didn't die.
Flowers shining in the soft morning's dew,
They lift me now as they lifted you.
Their burgeoning shoots and new buds to tend,
Cause my tears to dry, and my heart to mend.
I'll plant you a seed in the dark, silty loam,
And a new tree will grow then, for my robin's home.

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PLEASE RETAIN THIS SERVICE SHEET IN REMEMBRANCE

Jagtar, Nana, Raju and family wish to thank you most sincerely for your sympathy and kindness shown by joining them for Herminder's funeral service.



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