



Edna 'Ruth' Fogarty

August 3rd 1924 - October 22nd 2017

Words of Welcome

Roxanne Bodsworth

Eulogy

A Successful Person

Adapted from Walt Whitman

Read by Deanne Butler

That person is a success –
who has lived well, laughed often and loved much;
who has gained the respect of intelligent adults
and the love of children;
who has filled her niche and accomplished her task;
who has never lacked appreciation of earth's beauty
or failed to express it;
who leaves the world better than she found it;
who looked for the best in others
and gave the best she had.

Tributes to Ruth

A Life in Pictures

Wind Beneath My Wings – Bette Midler

One At Rest

Think of me as one at rest
For me you should not weep
I have no pain, no troubled thoughts
For I am just asleep.
The living thinking me that was,
Is now forever still
And life goes on without me
As time forever will.

If your heart is heavy now
Because I've gone away,
Dwell not long upon it friend
For none of us can stay.
Those of you who liked me
I sincerely thank you all
And those of you who loved me
I thank you most of all.

And in my fleeting lifespan
As time went swiftly by,
I found some time to hesitate,
To laugh, to love, to cry,
Matter it now if time began,
If time will ever cease?
I was here, I used it all
And now I am at peace.

Recessional Song

We'll Meet Again – Vera Lynn

Ruth's family would like to express their appreciation for your love and support here today.

Ruth has been laid to rest with Leo at the Wangaratta Lawn Cemetery.

You are invited to join with Ruth's family for refreshments in the Memories Room.