

The Service to Celebrate Mary's Life

Held at Uniting Church Wangaratta on Friday 11th of November 2022 at 3.30pm

Celebrant Rosemary Steele **Pianist** Ruth McClay



~ Reunited with Ian ~

In a private committal prior, Mary was reunited with Ian and laid to rest at Milawa Cemetery.

Mary's family wish to thank you for your presence here as they say their farewells and honour her memory. A warm invitation is extended for you to join them for light refreshments in the church hall following the memorial service.

Celebrating

THE LIFE OF



Mary

Mary Hautot Simpson

19th July 1931 ~ 6th November 2022

Opening Song

“Be Still For The Presence Of The Lord” Ruth McClay on piano

Welcome and Introduction

Rosemary Steele

Opening Prayer

Scripture Readings

Psalm 121. Heather Wickham
Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 Geoffrey Simpson

Hymn

To God Be The Glory

*To God be the glory, great things he has done!
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
who yielded his life an atonement for sin,
and opened the life-gate that all may go in.*

Refrain: *Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, Let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son
and give him the glory, great things he has done!*

*Great things he has taught us, great things he has done,
and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son,
but purer and higher and greater will be
our joy and our wonder, when Jesus we see. [Refrain]*

Eulogy

read by Lynette Turner and Allison Jenvey

Tributes From The Grandchildren

Danielle Major And Kylie Bevern

A Life In Pictures

“Will Ye Go Lassie Go” The High Kings

Reflection

Rosemary Steele

Hymn

“You Raise Me Up” Westlife

*When I am down and oh my soul so weary
When troubles come and my heart burdened be
Then I am still and wait here in the silence
Until you come and sit a while with me*

Chorus: *You raise me up, so I can stand on mountains
You raise me up, to walk on stormy seas
I am strong, when I am on your shoulders
You raise me up, to more than I can be*

Instrumental

Chorus x3

You raise me up... to more than I can be

Thanksgiving Prayer

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,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Concluding Words

Final Prayer and Blessing

Recessional Song

Ruth McClay on piano

