Susan Carol Francis
1960 – 2021













Peter and his family thank you for your support and presence here today and invite you to join them for light refreshments in the adjacent William Lounge following the service.

Your donation to the Leukaemia & Blood Cancer New Zealand would be greatly appreciated.

Please fill out a heart with your personal message to Sue and deposit it in the vase. They will accompany Sue on her final journey.







Sue

Susan Carol Francis

25 July 1960 – 22 February 2021

A Morning of Celebration and Remembrance for Sue

Held at Westpark Chapel On Monday 1 March 2021 at 10.00am

Officiating: Jacqui Sutherland

Welcome

Music

Eulogy

Music

Tributes

Photographs











The Dash - Linda Ellis

I read of a man who stood to speak at the funeral of a friend. He referred to the dates on the tombstone from the beginning ... to the end.

He noted that first came the date of birth and spoke the following date with tears, but he said what mattered most of all was the dash between those years.

For that dash represents all the time that they spent alive on earth, and now only those who loved them know what that little line is worth.

For it matters not, how much we own, the cars ... the house ... the cash. What matters is how we live and love and how we spend our dash.

So, think about this long and hard. Are there things you'd like to change? For you never know how much time is left that can still be rearranged.

If we could just slow down enough to consider what's true and real and always try to understand the way other people feel.

And be less quick to anger and show appreciation more, and love the people in our lives like we've never loved before.

If we treat each other with respect and more often wear a smile, remembering that this special dash might only last a little while.

So, when your eulogy is being read, with your life's actions to rehash... would you be proud of the things they say about how you spent YOUR dash?