Hilary Ruth Clifton Kay

15 September 1925 – 4 July 2017

A Celebration of the Life of

Ruth Kay

Held in the

Eskdale Memorial Church
Eskdale

On Monday, 10th July 2017, at 1.00pm

Celebrant: Rev. Nigel Kynoch

Organist: Rosemary Bell

Sound: Philip Holt

Funeral Director: Neil Earnshaw

Welcome
Rev. Nigel Kynoch

Opening Prayer

Hymn: *Lead Us, Heavenly Father*

Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us
O'er the world's tempestuous sea;
Guard us, guide us, keep us, feed us,
For we have no help but thee;
Yet possessing every blessing,
If our God our Father be.

Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er us:
All our weakness thou dost know;
Thou didst tread this earth before us,
Thou didst feel its keenest woe;
Lone and dreary, faint and weary,
Through the desert thou didst go.

Spirit of our God's descending,
Fill our hearts with heavenly joy,
Love with every passion blending,
Pleasure that can never cloy:
Thus provided, pardoned, guided,
Nothing can our peace destroy.

Reading

Eulogy

Tributes

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 that trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory,
For ever and ever.
Amen.

Hymn: *The Lord's My Shepherd*

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want,
He makes me down to lie,
in pastures green, He leadeth me,
the quiet waters by.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,
yet will I fear no ill,
for Thou art with me, and Thy rod
and staff me comfort still.

Goodness and mercy all my life,
shall surely follow me,
and in God's house for evermore
my dwelling-place shall be.

The Commendation

Hymn: *Immortal, Invisible*

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
most blessed, most glorious,
the Ancient of Days,
almighty, victorious,
thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,
nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;
thy justice like mountains
high soaring above
thy clouds which are fountains
of goodness and love.

To all life thou givest, to both great and small;
in all life thou livest, the true life of all;
we blossom and flourish
as leaves on the tree,
and wither and perish;
but naught changeth thee.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,
thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
all laud we would render:
O help us to see
tis only the splendour of light hideth thee.

Blessing

Michael, Christabel, Rosemary, Anne and their families thank everyone who attended today. We appreciate the support and care shown to Ruth and to our family.

Interment at the Eskdale Cemetery will follow the service.

You are invited to join the family for a time of sharing memories and refreshments at the Hawke's Bay Club, corner of Marine Parade and Browning Street, Napier, following the interment.

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