Eileen was born in Aberbeeg, Wales. She married Laurie in 1950 and had one child, Colin born 1951. The family emigrated to Australia where Jean was born in 1952. In 1966 the family moved to New Zealand. Laurie died at 49 years of age.
Eileen was a hard, diligent worker for the Post Office.
Moved to Hamilton, then finally moving to Napier in 2016.
Eileen loved playing Indoor Bowls and was a firm supporter of The Salvation Army. Colin passed away in November 2021. Jean wishes to thank those in Napier who have supported Eileen over the years and more recently when she went into care, including the staff at Gladys Mary Rest Home.

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With Love We Remember

Eileen Silk

29 August 1926 - 26 July 2022

Celebrating the Life of

Eileen Silk

Held in
The Salvation Army Citadel
56 Tait Drive, Greenmeadows, Napier

On Tuesday 9th August 2022 at 1.30pm.

Officiating
Major Brenton Millar

Pianist
Janice Hambly

Funeral Director
Neil Earnshaw

Jean would like to thank you all
for being here today to support her
and say farewell to her beloved Mum.
Your presence is very much appreciated.

Please join Jean for a time of fellowship
and light refreshments in the
adjacent Hall following the service.

A donation in Eileen's memory to
The Salvation Army would be appreciated
and can be left via
www.salvationarmy.org.nz/centres/nz/
east-coast/napier

Please sign the Memorial Register.

Eileen's casket enters the Citadel to the song
Calon Lan by Only Boys Aloud

Welcome

Song : Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah,
Pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but Thou art mighty;
Hold me with Thy powerful hand.
Bread of Heaven,
Feed me now and evermore.

Open Thou the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream shall flow;
Let the fiery, cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through.
Strong deliverer,
Be Thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death and Hell's destruction,
Land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises
I will ever give to Thee.

Prayer

Eulogy

Tributes
Family, Friend, Corps, Open Tributes

A Time of Reflection on Eileen's Life
through photographs and accompanied
by the Welsh tune **Ellen Vannin**

Scripture : John 14 : V 1 - 6

Words of Encouragement

Song : Love Divine

Love divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of Heaven, to earth come down,
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
All Thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, Thou art all compassion,
Pure, unbounded love Thou art;
Visit us with Thy salvation,
Enter every longing heart.

Come, almighty to deliver,
Let us all Thy grace receive;
Suddenly return, and never,
Never more Thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
Serve Thee as Thy hosts above;
Pray and praise Thee without ceasing,
Glory in Thy perfect love.

Finish then Thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation,
Perfectly restored in Thee.
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in Heaven we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love and praise.

Committal and Benediction

Recessional
Eileen's casket leaves as the tune
Hyfrydol is played