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LIGHTS OF LOVE

Order of Service

Saturday 18 December 2021

Online Service

We warmly welcome you to our 2021 online Lights of Love service.

To view the service please go to:
www.ellenor.org/lightsoflove

We hope you will enjoy the service and will join us in lighting a candle whilst remembering your loved ones, and all those we have lost.

Your dedications will be shown in the Presentation of Names at the end of the service.

Our 2021 Dedication Book will be also available to view from January 2022 at the hospice and throughout the year in our chapel.

The service will be shown at **6pm on Saturday 18 December.**

Once the service has finished, the recording will be available for you to view at: www.ellenor.org/lightsoflove

With warmest wishes to you from all of us at **ellenor**,



Ben Cooper
ellenor Lead Chaplain



Welcome: **Ben Cooper, ellenor Lead Chaplain and
Vikki Harding, Chief Executive**

Carol: **Hark the Herald Angels Sing**

Hark the herald angels sing
"Glory to the newborn King!
Peace on earth and mercy mild
God and sinners reconciled"
Joyful, all ye nations rise
Join the triumph of the skies
With the angelic host proclaim:
"Christ is born in Bethlehem"
Hark! The herald angels sing
"Glory to the newborn King!"

Christ by highest heav'n adored
Christ the everlasting Lord!
Late in time behold Him come
Offspring of a Virgin's womb
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see
Hail the incarnate Deity
Pleased as man with man to dwell
Jesus, our Emmanuel
Hark! The herald angels sing
"Glory to the newborn King!"

Hail the heav'n-born Prince of Peace!
Hail the Son of Righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings
Ris'n with healing in His wings
Mild He lays His glory by
Born that man no more may die
Born to raise the sons of earth
Born to give them second birth
Hark! The herald angels sing
"Glory to the newborn King!"

Reading: "Epitaph" by Merrit Malloy
Read by The Mayor of Gravesham, Cllr Lyn Milner

When I die
Give what's left of me away
To children
And old me that wait to die.

And if you need to cry,
Cry for your brother
Walking the street beside you.
And when you need me,
Put your arms
Around anyone
And give them
What you need to give to me.

I want to leave you something,
Something better
Than words
Or sounds.

Look for me
In the people I've known
Or loved,
And if you cannot give me away,
At least let me live on in your eyes
And not your mind.

You can love me most
By letting
Hands touch hands,
By letting bodies touch bodies,
And by letting go
Of children
That need to be free.

Love doesn't die,
People do.
So, when all that's left of me
Is love,
Give me away.

A message
from ellenor: Ben Cooper

**Christmas Tree lights switch on,
followed by a moment of reflection.**

Carol: O Come All Ye Faithful

O come, all ye faithful
Joyful and triumphant
O come ye, o come ye to Bethlehem
Come and behold Him
Born the King of Angels!

O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
Christ the Lord

Oh, sing, choirs of angels
Sing in exultation
Oh, come, oh come ye to Bethlehem
Come and behold Him
Born the King of Angels
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
Christ the Lord

Yes Lord we greet Thee
Born this happy morning
Jesus to Thee be the glory given
Word of the Father now in flesh appearing

O come let us adore Him
O come let us adore Him
O come let us adore Him
Christ the Lord

Reading: "Jealous of the Angels" by Donna Taggart
Read by Kerry-Jane Packman,
ellenor Vice Chair of Trustees

I didn't know today would be our last
Or that I'd have to say goodbye to you so fast
I'm so numb, I can't feel anymore
Prayin' you'd just walk back through that door

And tell me that I was only dreamin'
You're not really gone as long as I believe

There will be another angel
Around the throne tonight
Your love lives on inside of me
And I will hold on tight
It's not my place to question
Only God knows why
I'm just jealous of the angels
Around the throne tonight

You always made my troubles feel so small
And you were always there to catch me when I'd fall
In a world where heroes come and go
Well God just took the only one I know
So I'll hold you as close as I can
Longing for the day, when I see your face again
But until then

God must need another angel
Around the throne tonight
Your love lives on inside of me
And I will hold on tight
It's not my place to question
Only God knows why
I'm just jealous of the angels
Around the throne tonight

Singin' hallelujah
Hallelujah
Hallelujah
I'm just jealous of the angels
Around the throne tonight

Prayer: **Lesley Gould, Chaplain**

Carol: **Silent Night**

Silent night, holy night!
All is calm, all is bright.
Round yon Virgin, Mother and Child.
Holy infant so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace,
Sleep in heavenly peace

Silent night, holy night!
Shepherds quake at the sight.
Glories stream from heaven afar
Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia,
Christ the Saviour is born!
Christ the Saviour is born

Silent night, holy night!
Son of God love's pure light.
Radiant beams from Thy holy face
With dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus Lord, at Thy birth
Jesus Lord, at Thy birth

Reading: **"Turn Again to Life" by Mary Lee Hall**
 Read by Wendy Braund, Registered Nurse on IPW
 at ellenor

If I should die and leave you here a while,
be not like others sore undone,
who keep long vigil by the silent dust.

For my sake turn again to life and smile,
nerving thy heart and trembling hand
to do something to comfort other hearts than mine.

Complete these dear unfinished tasks of mine
and I perchance may therein comfort you.

Closing
words: **Ben Cooper**

Thank you for watching this year's Lights of Love Service.

If you have been impacted by this evening's service and would like to find out more about **ellenor's** Bereavement Support services, please contact our team on 01474 320007 for more information.

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