

JANET IRENE ASKEW née BUTFIELD

Come with flowers and take flowers home

L'Auditoire Calvin, 15h00, Friday 26 April 2019

It is our sad duty to inform you of the passing of our beloved wife and mother, Janet, on the evening of Saturday 13 April 2019.

She died at HUG, the Geneva cantonal hospital, in peace and free of pain, surrounded by the most dedicated and attentive medical staff.

We would like to express our thanks to all those many people who have showered us with their condolences and offers of support.

The funeral, attended by close family and friends, will be held on the morning of Friday 26 April 2019 after which Janet will be cremated.

On the afternoon of the same day all are invited to a service of thanksgiving to celebrate the life of this wonderful lady. It will be held at 15h00 in l'Auditoire Calvin, 1 place Taconnerie in the old town. This will be a joyous occasion and so we would ask that everyone wear bright colours or white - please, no black.

Janet was a great lover of flowers and so we ask that everyone bring flowers - a single flower or a button hole or a bunch of flowers or even a pot or two. These will be placed next to her photograph and then - and this is important - everyone should take flowers home: not necessarily those that they brought.

An hoc choir will be assembled for the occasion. If you wish to join this choir, please arrive at the Auditoire by 14h00 so that we can rehearse the one or two pieces that we will sing.

A further celebration will be held in Bristol, U.K. on the afternoon of Friday 10 May 2019.

With many thanks and all best wishes,

Arthur, Andrew and Jonathan Askew
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