

A Service to Celebrate the Life

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Herta Fossett

27th July 1931 - 3rd March 2024



*Funeral Mass
St. Patricks Church
Lucan
Friday: 8th March 2024
10.00am*



Herta Fossett

Celebrant: Fr. Joe O'Brien

Singer: Jennifer Nugent

Entrance Hymn: Arms of the Angels

Symbols of Life

introduced by Catherine Murphy

Carried to the alter by Julia, Tiana, FiFi and Kellie

First Reading: Reader Sonya Fossett

A reading from The Book of Proverbs

Who shall find a valiant woman? She is worth more than precious gems. She is a woman of strength and dignity and has no fear of old age. When she speaks, her words are wise and kindness is the rule of everything she says. She watches carefully all that goes on throughout her household and is never lazy. She puts her back into her work and shows how strong her arms can be. She holds out her hands to the poor, she opens her arms to the needy. Her children stand and bless her; she is praised with these words. "There are many fine women in the world, but you are the best of them all." Charm can be deceptive, and beauty does not last, but a woman who fears and reverences God shall be greatly praised. Praise her for the many fine things she does. Give her a share in what her hands have worked for, and let her works tell her praises at the city gates.

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm: Here I Am Lord

Second Reading: Reader Bobbi Belle Fossett

A reading from John 14: 1-3

Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am."

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Prayers of the Faithful

Read by grandchildren Bettina and Alexi Santus, Sarah, Alana and Owen Fossett and Stefano Huesca

Prayer

We pray in thanksgiving for all the blessings that came to so many people through the life of Herta, help us keep alive the values and ideals she put before us. May she now receive the fullness of Gods blessings in eternity.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us.

Prayer

We pray for all those gathered here in worship. Today we are saddened by the loss of one whom we have loved. Lord help us in our grief to comfort one another. May we find light in time of darkness and faith in time of doubt.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us.

Prayer

We pray for all those we have loved who have died. Especially our relatives and friends, may they be reunited in the light of our lord.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us.

Prayer

We thank Doctor Charlie Smith and Shaun and all the staff at Adrian Dunne Pharmacy for all their care and help over the years.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us.

Prayer

Thank you for the opportunity to participate in your divine plan. Whether it be storytelling, on stage, screen, or page and through our performing arts. I pray that you breathe on our works of love. May they bless and bring vibrancy to our community.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us.

Prayer:

We pray for an end of conflict in the world. May all who suffer violence and injustice find peace.

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us.

Offertory Gifts

Carried to the alter by Lee and Laura Brennan

Offertory Procession

Hymn: Ave Maria

Sign of Peace:

Communion

Hymn 1: You Raise Me Up

Hymn 2: The Prayer

Eulogy by: Name Marion Fossett

Recessional

Song of Choice: In The Mood by Glenn Miller







The family wish to thank all those who have attended the service and everyone for their messages, cards and kind words of sympathy.

Everyone is warmly invited to join the family for refreshments at

The Glenroyal Hotel
Maynooth

Following the burial.



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