# In Loving Memory & Celebration for the Life of

# TENSIE VICTORIA FINN-MATTAI

Sunrise: 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1965 - Sunset: 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2023



Service Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at 12.30pm

St James The Great Church, 233 Lower Clapton Rd London E5 8EH

Internment at 2.30pm

Manor Park Cemetery and Crematorium

Sebert Rd, London E7 0NP



# Order of Service

Entrance Music - Chapel Bells

### Hymn How Great Thou Art

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the works Thy hands have made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, Thy pow'r thru-out the universe displayed!

#### Chorus

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee; How great Thou art, how great Thou art! Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee; How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

When thru the woods and forest glades I wander And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees, When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze,

#### Chorus

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing, Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in – That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin!

#### Chorus

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art!

Chorus

#### Welcome

Revd Susie Paddock

### 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

My soul he doth restore again, and me to walk doth make within the paths of righteousness, e'en for his own name's sake.

My table thou hast furnished in presence of my foes; my head thou dost with oil anoint, and my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me; and in God's house forevermore my dwelling place shall be.

# Eulogy

Julia Finn Mattai

#### **Tributes**

Julius Mattai Sandie Finn Andrew Finn Sandra Campbell

# Musical Tribute Sung by Sparkel

## Bible Reading John 14v1-6

"Do not let your hearts be troubled.

You believe in God[a]; 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 so that you also may be where I am.

You know the way to the place where I am going."

Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?"

Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life.

No one comes to the Father except through me.

Sermon by Revd Susie Paddock

### Hymn Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

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 trembling heart.

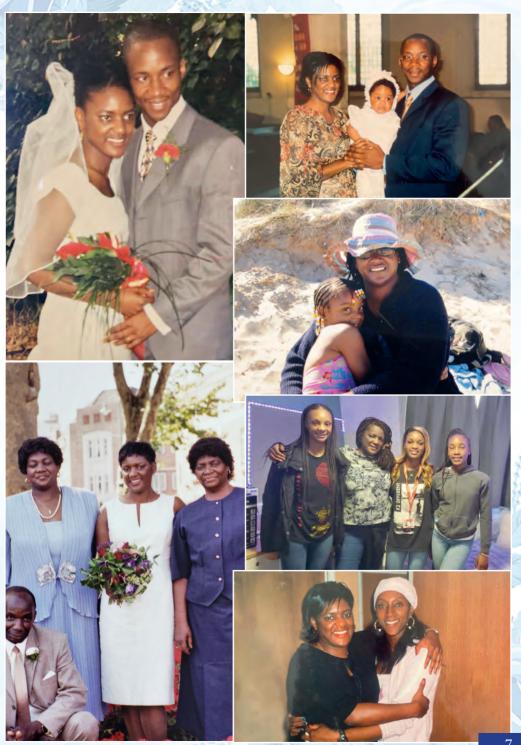
Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above, pray, and praise thee, without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.

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.

#### **Remarks and Announcements**

Closing Prayer Rev Susie Paddock







The family of the late Tensie Victoria Finn-Mattai acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to us during this time of bereavement.

We thank you for your prayers and may God bless you all.

# **Repass after Internment**

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