

Yasuki's family would like to thank you for attending today. Please join us for light refreshments after the service.



*If love is deep, much can be
accomplished*

- Shinichi Suzuki

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE



In loving memory of

YASUKI NAKAMURA AM

28th April 1942 - 17th September 2024

Forest Baptist Church, 26th September 2024

Order of Service

Welcome

Pastor Jamie Freeman

Visual Reflection & Musical Performance

Concerto for 2 Violins, 2nd Mvt. by J.S. Bach

Piano - Hikari Nakamura

Violin 1 - Masaki Nakamura

Violin 2 - Airena Nakamura

Bible Reading

1 Corinthians 13:4-8

Read by Takao Mizushima



The Nakamura family would sincerely like to thank the countless people from all over the world who have sent messages, tributes and shared their fond memories of Yasuki. The outpouring of love has truly been amazing and has been a great comfort to us.

Benediction

Pastor Jamie Freeman

Recessional

Furusato (Hometown) by Teiichi Okano

Played by the grandchildren of Yasuki and Yoshiko,
Isabelle Teo - double bass, Laura McDonald - piano

Pallbearers

Masaki Nakamura, Chris Wallace, Rick Wallace,
Terry Lockyer, Takao Mizushima and Ben Smith

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Pastor Murray Shanks who travelled from Forster.
Sandie Barnes and Kathryn Booth from Picaluna Funerals

Congregational Hymn - Amazing Grace

Accompanied by The Cousin Quartet and
Laura McDonald on Piano

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost, but now I am found
Was blind, but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

Through many dangers, toils and snares
We have already come
'Twas grace has brought us safe thus far
And grace will lead us home

When we've been there ten thousand years
Bright, shining as the sun
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we've first begun

Eulogy

Hikari, Masaki and Airena Nakamura

Bible Reading

John 1:1-5

Read by Tony Milne

Sermon and Prayers

Pastor Murray Shanks

Visual Tribute & Musical Performances

Concerto for 2 Violins 1st mvt. by J.S. Bach

Played by the grandchildren of Yasuki and Yoshiko.

Violin 1

Dylan Colombis, Yuki IJdo, Charlie Nakamura

Violin 2

Beatrice Colombis, Johannes Kiyoshi IJdo

Viola - Hanna Wallace

Cello - Jamie Wallace

Impromptu in G flat Op.90 No.3 by F.Schubert

Piano - Hikari Nakamura

Congregational Hymn - Great is Thy Faithfulness

Accompanied by The Cousin Quartet and

Laura McDonald on Piano

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father;
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain:

Great is Thy faithfulness!

Great is Thy faithfulness!

Morning by morning new mercies I see:
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided—
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow—
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!