



### *Thank You*

*We are deeply grateful to our family and friends for the love and support shown during this time of loss.*

*Your presence, kindness, and the memories shared at Diane's farewell have meant so much to us and were a beautiful tribute to her life.*



*With Love We Remember*

*Diane Ruth Edwards*

*08.07.1953 – 21.12.2025*





Diane was born in Dunedin on 8 July 1953, the eldest daughter of Bob and Jan Lamb. She grew up alongside her two sisters, Pauline (late) and Sheryl, and her three brothers, Michael, Nick, and Jeff.

On 12 December 1970, Diane married Gary Edwards. Together they raised two daughters, Carolyn, born in 1971, and Aimee, born in 1977.

Many will remember Diane for the love and care she poured into the things that brought her joy.



She was deeply committed to her family, as well as fitness, embracing everything from gym classes to Zumba, where she found energy, laughter, and lasting friendships.



She also took great pleasure in her gardens, which reflected her patience and nurturing spirit.



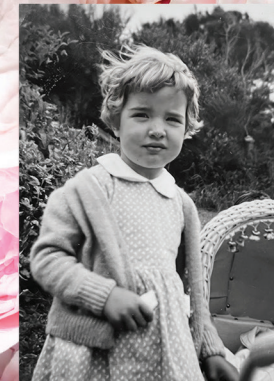
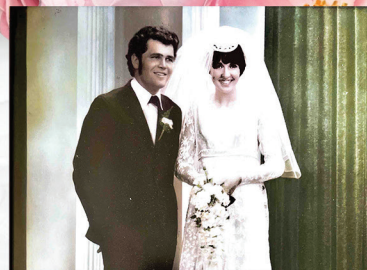
Diane cherished her dog, Bo, and loved their daily walks through gardens, bush tracks, and along the beach.



Work was never "just work" for Diane. She truly valued the team she worked with at Vercoe Brown & Associates and cared deeply for their clinic patients.

**Diane Edwards**

**Receptionist**



## God's Garden

God looked around his garden and found an empty place,  
He then looked down upon the earth and saw your tired face.

He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest.

God's garden must be beautiful; he always takes the best.

He knew that you were suffering, he knew you were in pain.

He knew that you would never get well on earth again.

He saw the road was getting rough and the hills were hard to climb.

So, he closed your weary eyelids and whispered, 'peace be thine'.

It broke our hearts to lose you, but you didn't go alone.

For part of us went with you, the day God called you home.