



*Our family would like to thank you  
for attending the funeral service today.  
It is a comfort to know that we are surrounded by the  
love and thoughts of family and friends who join with us  
as we reflect, pay tribute and share our memories of*

*Lilly*

We invite you to join us after the service from 12.30pm at  
Perth Flying Squadron Yacht Club, Esplanade, Dalkeith.



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*Lilly Anne Flobbs*  
29th January 2012 ~ 3rd October 2018

*You are loved little one.*



*A Child of Mine*

*I will lend you, for a little time,  
A child of mine, He said.  
For you to love the while she lives,  
And mourn for when she's dead.*

*It may be six or seven years,  
Or twenty-two or three.  
But will you, till I call her back,  
Take care of her for Me?*

*She'll bring her charms to gladden you,  
And should her stay be brief.  
You'll have her lovely memories,  
As solace for your grief.*

*I cannot promise she will stay,  
Since all from earth return.  
But there are lessons taught down there,  
I want this child to learn.*

*I've looked the wide world over,  
In search for teachers true.  
And from the throngs that crowd life's lanes,  
I have selected you.*

*Lilly*

*Now will you give her all your love,  
Nor think the labour vain.  
Nor hate me when I come  
To take her home again?*

*I fancied that I heard them say,  
'Dear Lord, Thy will be done!'  
For all the joys Thy child shall bring,  
The risk of grief we'll run.*

*We'll shelter her with tenderness,  
We'll love her while we may,  
And for the happiness we've known,  
Forever grateful stay.*

*But should the angels call for her ,  
Much sooner than we've planned.  
We'll brave the bitter grief that comes,  
And try to understand.*

By Edgar Guest