

We pray for those who loved Patricia and were loved by her;  
Remind us dear Lord that  
Love is not love that alters when it alteration finds.  
Grant us  
in all our duties your help, in all our perplexities your guidance,  
in all our dangers your protection, and in all our sorrows your peace.  
Re-assure us that  
though loved ones be lost love is not,  
and death shall have no dominion.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ  
who was himself not contained by death  
but lives with you and the Holy Spirit one God now and in all eternity.  
Amen.

*A prayer written for a memorial service held in Westminster Abbey for Baroness Patricia Hollis, a brilliant strategic thinker, a passionate worker for social justice, and a thoroughly nice person.*