

Sorrow not  
if, in these days  
and on this earthly plane,  
things contrary to your wishes  
have been ordained and manifested by God,

for days of blissful joy,  
of heavenly delight,

are assuredly in store for you.

Worlds, holy and spiritually glorious,  
will be unveiled to your eyes.

You are destined by Him,  
in this world  
and hereafter,  
to partake of their benefits,  
to share in their joys, and  
to obtain a portion of their sustaining grace.

To each and every one of them  
you will no doubt attain.

BAHÁ'U'LLÁH



# Amara Rose Olson

JULY 5th - AUGUST 17th



## Memorial Devotion

OCTOBER 11th, 2024

“To hold that the spirit is annihilated upon the death of the body is to imagine that a bird imprisoned in a cage would perish if the cage were to be broken, though the bird has nothing to fear from the breaking of the cage. This body is even as the cage, and the spirit is like the bird: We observe that this bird, unencumbered by its cage, soars freely...

... should the cage be broken, the bird would not only continue to exist, but its senses would be heightened, its perception would be expanded, and its joy would grow more intense... for there is no greater paradise for the grateful birds than to be freed from their cage.”

‘ABDU’L-BAHÁ



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# Order of Program

## WELCOME

Grant, Melodi, Darren and Strider are so thankful for your presence here today as we come together to pray for the soul of sweet baby Amara

## PRAYERS & REFLECTIONS

Lev & Negin will share passages from the Bahá’í Faith, followed by a poem recited by April, a prayer read by Arash, and a blessing given by Kenzie. Anyone may share a prayer or passage bringing comfort, then David will read a closing prayer

## MEMORIAL STONE

An engraved river stone will be placed at the memorial fountain just outside of the Sanctuary, followed by constructing a floral mandala

## RECEPTION & ART

Please join us at Hummingbird Hill for some light refreshments & collecting stories, words of comfort, poems, and art in our guestbook photo album