

## FAREWELL TO DI

Di has been nursing for many years

For some she managed to bring out our fears.

She is resilient, reliable and sometimes tough

But if you wanted to know something, she knew her stuff.

Di started nursing when she was only sixteen

She was sickly, pale and very lean.

The matron thought she wouldn't finish the course

She studied and studied and worked like a horse.

She started at our hospital on the surgical ward

It was only a small ward, sometimes she got bored.

Everyone liked Di, she was really nice

Everything she did was so precise.

In 2004 the ward moved across the way

Di didn't want to go, she wanted to stay.

She looked after babies, gynae patients and new mums

She learnt to do heel pricks, feel a fundus and check bums.

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Di excelled at everything, she was a really good nurse

There were times when we were busy you would hear her curse.

She could move beds, do bladder scans, ECG's, change IV's

Whatever she did she did it with ease.

With all the changes, you have taken them in your stride

Di you can look back at nursing and burst with pride.

You are a colleague, a friend and will be missed by all

Happy Retirement Di, enjoy and have a ball.