



ST MARY'S CALNE

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On behalf of St Mary's Calne, I would like to send our very best wishes to the Bangkok Patana School, especially to those of you who will be graduating today.

It is our mission at St Mary's Calne to enable each individual child to achieve their full potential and to grow into the person they are meant to be. Every pupil is encouraged to attain a deep creativity and spirit, which makes them truly who they are – an individual with a perceptive and inquiring mind, a generous heart, a grounded, and creative sense of self, and a joyous human being. This same ethos has remained constant at St Mary's Calne, since its foundation in 1873, and I think it is very much in evidence today. I would like to think that these same values are perhaps reflected in the work of your Founder, Rosamund Price, through whom we are all associated and who is responsible for the education you have received today. Even though it is over eighty years since Rosamund left us, we are enormously proud of her achievement and we are delighted that Victoria, a younger relative, is one of our current pupils.

It gives me great pleasure to think that the Bangkok Patana School might continue to instil some of the St Mary's values in their pupils, thereby connecting us across the continents, and I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all success and happiness in the bright futures that lie ahead of you.

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