

ORDER OF SERVICE



ANNA MUNDAY
AND
GEORGE NICHOLLS

WELCOME YOU TO
THE CELEBRATION OF
THEIR MARRIAGE

21ST MAY, 2022 AT 2.00 IN THE AFTERNOON

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, DICKLEBURGH

CELEBRANT: REV'D SARAH WALSH

THE ENTRY OF THE BRIDE

Prince of Denmark's March, Jeremiah Clark

INTRODUCTION and WELCOME

HYMN

I danced in the morning when the world was begun,
and I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,
and I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth -
At Bethlehem I had my birth.

*Dance then wherever you may be,
I am the Lord of the dance, said he,
And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be
And I'll lead you all in the dance said he.*

I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee
But they would not dance and they would not follow me.
I danced for the fishermen for James and John -
They came with me and the dance went on
Dance then wherever...

I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame,
The Holy people said it was a shame:
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me high
and they left me there on a Cross to die.
Dance then wherever...

I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black.
It's hard to dance with the devil on your back,
they buried my body and they thought I'd gone -
But I am the dance and I still go on.
Dance then wherever...

They cut me down and I leapt up high -
I am the life that'll never, never die.
I'll live in you if you'll live in me,
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.
Dance then wherever...

THE PREFACE and DECLARATIONS

*When the Bride and Groom have made their Declarations
the celebrant will ask the congregation:*

Will you, the families and friends of George and Anna, support
and uphold
them in their marriage, now and in the years to come?

*All reply: **We will.***

THE READING

A reading from Song of Solomon 2.10-13; 8.6,7,
read by William Munday

THE MARRIAGE

including the vows, the giving of Rings and the Proclamations

BLESSING OF THE MARRIAGE

PRAYERS

- *ending with and saying together:* The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven;

hallowed be thy Name;

thy kingdom come;

thy will be done;

on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses;

as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation;

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

the power and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen

HYMN

One more step along the world I go
One more step along the world I go
from the old things to the new
keep me travelling along with you.

*And it's from the old I travel to the new,
keep me travelling along with you.*

Round the corners of the world I turn,
more and more about the world I learn,
all the new things that I see
you'll be looking at along with me
And it's from the old...

As I travel through the bad and good
Keep me traveling the way I should
Where I see no way to go
You'll be telling me the way, I know
And it's from the old...

Give me courage when the world is rough
Keep me loving though the world is tough
Leap and sing in all I do
Keep me traveling along with you.
And it's from the old...

You are older than the world can be
You are younger than the life in me
Ever old and ever new
Keep me traveling along with you
And it's from the old...

Sydney Carter, (1915-2004) c1971

BLESSING

SIGNING OF THE MARRIAGE DOCUMENTS

Processional music as the Bride and Groom leave the Church
Arrival of the Queen of Sheba (from Solomon), G F Handel