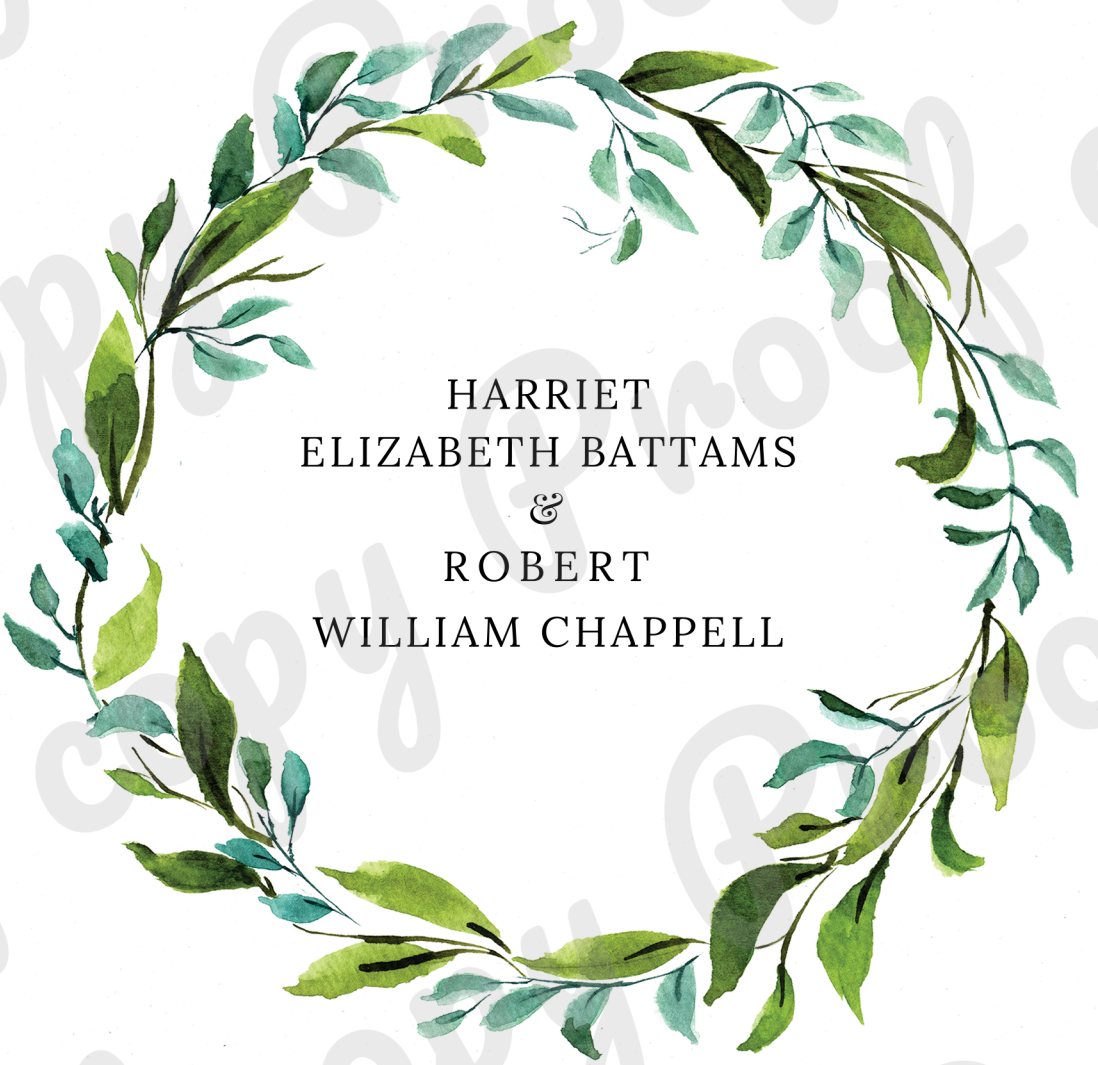


Welcome to the Wedding of



HARRIET
ELIZABETH BATTAMS
&
ROBERT
WILLIAM CHAPPELL

Saturday 16th September 2023 | 12 noon
St. Andrews Church | Biggleswade SG18 0AT

Vicar: Reverend Liz Oglesby-Elong

THE ENTRY OF THE BRIDE

Bridal Chorus - Richard Wagner

HYMN

Morning has broken, like the first morning;
blackbird has spoken, like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
Praise for them, springing fresh from the world!

Sweet the rains new fall sunlit from Heaven,
like the first dewfall on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,
sprung in completeness where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning
born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, praise every morning,
God's recreation of the new day!

THE PREFACE AND DECLARATIONS

THE COLLECT

READING

1 Corinthians 13 read by Rosie Chappell

ADDRESS

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 traveling along with you:

*And it's from the old I travel to the new;
Keep me traveling 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.

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.

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.

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.

THE MARRIAGE

The Vows

PRAYERS

HYMN

We pledge to one another,
before the Lord above,
complete and full and perfect,
this union of our love –
a love that will be patient,
a love that will be wise,
that will not twist with envy,
nor lose itself in lies;
a love that will not falter,
a love to hold us fast,
and bind us to each other
as long as life shall last.

We pray that God will guide us
through all the years to be,
our lives be shaped by courage,
hope and serenity.
Through joy and celebration,
through loneliness and pain,
may loyalty, compassion
and tenderness remain,
that those who share the blessing
of love that cannot cease,
may walk the paths of gentleness
into the place of peace.

THE BLESSING

SIGNING OF THE MARRIAGE DOCUMENT

MUSIC:

Your Song - Elton John

WITNESSES:

Elise Cruse
Marilyn Chappell
Matthew Chappell
Brody Battams
Rosie Chappell

EXIT OF THE BRIDE AND GROOM

Midsummer Nights Dream - Mandelsson

BRIDE & GROOM:
HARRIET BATTAMS & ROBERT CHAPPELL

FATHER OF THE BRIDE:
NICHOLAS BATTAMS

MOTHER OF THE BRIDE:
ELISE CRUSE

**IN LOVING MEMORY,
FATHER OF THE GROOM:**
DAVID CHAPPELL

MOTHER OF THE GROOM:
MARILYN CHAPPELL

BRIDESMAIDS:
GEORGIA BATTAMS
BROOKE BATTAMS
JADE BROAD

BESTMAN:
MATTHEW CHAPPELL

GROOMSMAN:
BRODY BATTAMS

Thank you all for being here to celebrate our special day.

We are truly blessed to have all your love and support as we embark on this new chapter in our lives together as husband and wife.

Lots of love always
The newly weds, Mr & Mrs Chappell.

