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*The Wedding
of*

ALEXANDER JAMES KNIGHT

and

BETHANY HANNAH LACEY

27.10.23

AT TWO IN THE AFTERNOON

SAINT ANDREW'S CHURCH | IRNHAM

Entrance of the Bride

Bridal March from *Lohengrin*
Richard Wagner

Welcome

Hymn

And did those feet in ancient time
walk upon England's mountains green?
And was the holy Lamb of God
on England's pleasant pastures seen?
And did the countenance divine
shine forth upon our clouded hills?
And was Jerusalem buildèd here
among these dark satanic mills?
Bring me my bow of burning gold!
Bring me my arrows of desire!
Bring me my spear! O clouds, unfold!
Bring me my chariot of fire!
I will not cease from mental fight,
nor shall my sword sleep in my hand,
till we have built Jerusalem
in England's green and pleasant land.

William Blake (1757–1827)

Preface

Declarations

Alexander, will you take Bethany to be your wife?
Will you love her, comfort her, honour and protect her,
and, forsaking all others, be faithful to her as long as you both
shall live?

Alexander: I will.

The Registration of the Marriage

As the registration documents are signed the organist will play
Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring (*J. S. Bach*)

The Blessing

Bride & Groom's exit

Wedding March from *A Midsummer Night's Dream*
Felix Mendelssohn

