



WE WARMLY WELCOME YOU TO
THE MARRIAGE CEREMONY OF

Joanna Channon



Matthew Brain

ON 23RD NOVEMBER 2024

ST MARYS CHURCH

CHARLTON-ON-OTMOOR

AT 1.30PM

THE ENTRY OF THE BRIDE

THE WELCOME

Revd Lisa Holmes

HYMN

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever child-like, no cares can destroy,
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace,
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

THE PREFACE

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 on high,
And they left me there on a cross to die

Dance, then, wherever you may be...

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 you may be...

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 you may be...

THE DISMISSAL & FINAL BLESSING

May you always have love and laughter in your home everyday. May you live long and healthy lives as partners in every way. May you discover your purpose and may all your dreams come true. May nothing but blessings be poured out on you.

THE DEPARTURE OF THE BRIDE AND GROOM

"Sweet Caroline" by Neil Diamond

THE WEDDING PARTY

Bridesmaids

Lisa Mountain
Jodie Harper
Jessica Brain
Grace Mountain

Best Men

David Harper
Chris Douglas

Page Boys

Harry Mountain
Stanley Mountain

Ushers

Jon Weeks-Pearson
Dean Doyle

Witnesses

Kirsty Weston
Steve Mountain

"You know you are in love when you can't fall asleep because reality is finally better than your dreams" **Dr Suess**