

## **THE PREFACE**

### **THE DECLARATIONS**

Gracious God, our hearts are filled with great happiness on the wedding day of Vicki Ann Carradine and Jason Mark Tomlin. They come before you, pledging their lives and their hearts to one another.  
Grant that they may be ever true and loving, living together in such a way as to never bring heartbreak into their marriage.

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

**All:** We will.

### **FIRST READING**

A reading from Corinthians 13:4-8 by Chloe Earlam & Jack Carradine

### **THE COLLECT**

## **SECOND READING**

A reading from Ecclesiastes 4:9-12 by Tanya Ward

## **THE ADDRESS**

## **THE MARRIAGE**

The Vows  
The Giving of the Rings  
The Proclamation of the Marriage  
The Blessing of the Marriage

## **HYMN**

### **Lord Of The Dance**

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.

Chorus:

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 wouldn't follow me.  
I danced for the fishermen,  
For James and John —  
They came with me  
And the Dance went on.

Chorus

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.

Chorus

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.

Chorus

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.

Chorus

## **THE PRAYERS FOR THE MARRIAGE**

Each time Reverent Jeremy Andrew says the bidding "Lord of Life and Love", the congregation is invited to respond with the words "Hear our prayer".