

In Loving Memory
of



Hugo Knowles

10th May 1996 - 1st March 2026

Tuesday 14th April 2026
at 11.00 am
Sherwood Forest Crematorium



Order of Service



PROCESSIONAL MUSIC
Adagio

WELCOME WORDS
by Celebrant, Katie Page

POEM

Death Is Nothing At All

Death is nothing at all.
I have only slipped away to the next room.
I am I and you are you.
Whatever we were to each other,
That, we are still.

Call me by my old familiar name.
Speak to me in the easy way
which you have always used.
Put no difference in your tone.
Wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow.

Laugh as we always laughed
at the little jokes we enjoyed together.
Let my name be ever the household word
that it always was.
Let it be spoken without effect.
Without a trace of a shadow in it.

Life means all that it ever meant.
It is the same as it ever was;
There is unbroken continuity.
Why should I be out of mind
Because I am out of sight?

I am waiting for you, for an interval,
Somewhere very near, just around the corner.

All is well.

Henry Scott Holland (1847 – 1918)



A TRIBUTE TO HUGO

REFLECTION AND VISUAL TRIBUTE

Music: How Great Thou Art

FAREWELL TO HUGO

CLOSING WORDS

POEM

Nobody Told Me

Nobody told me
how often I would see your face,
then blink and see another instead.

Nobody told me
that trying to recall the exact sound of your laugh
would keep me awake at night.

Nobody told me
that I would reach for my phone so often,
to heartbreakingly put it back down again.

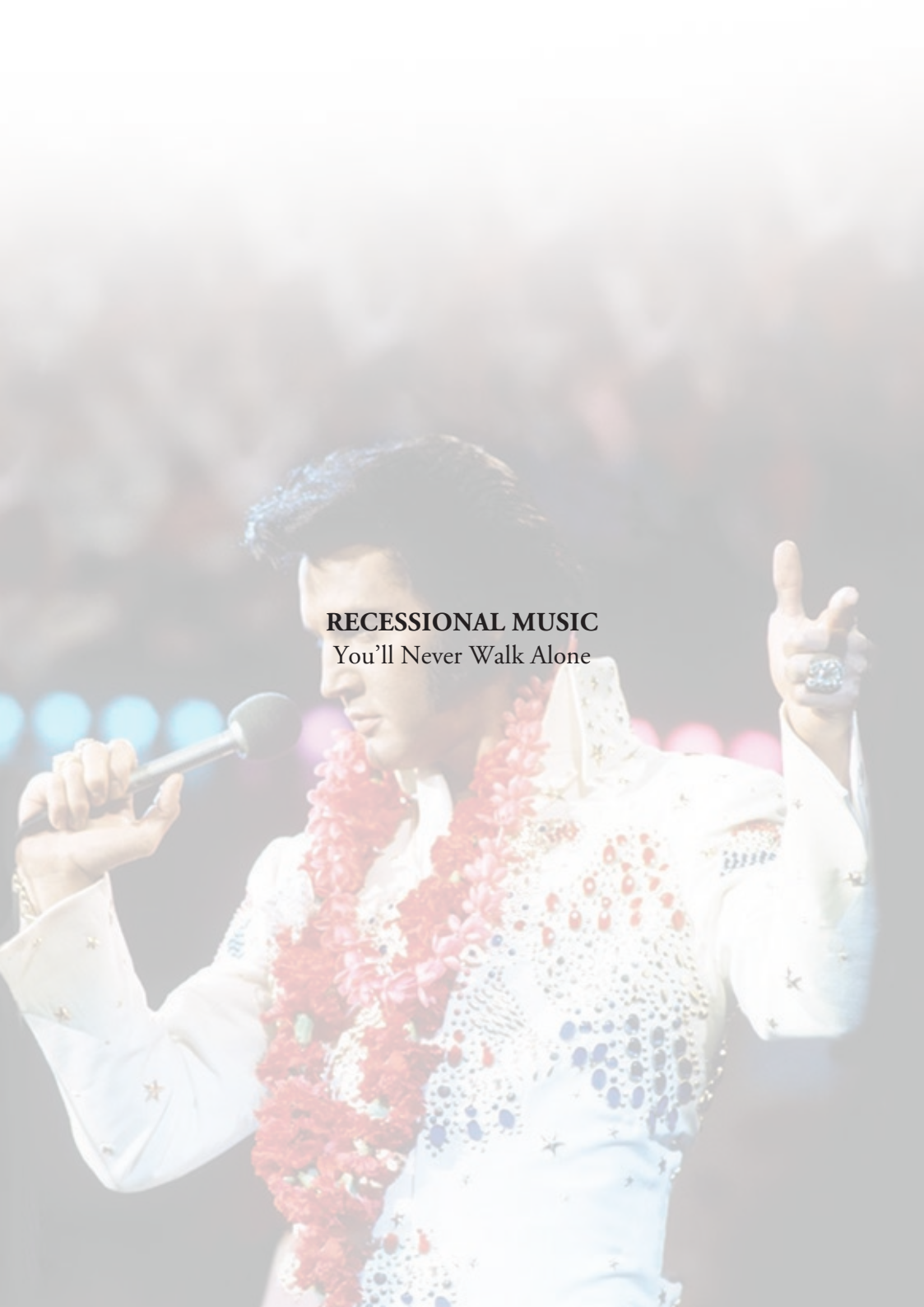
Nobody told me
that you were my moon and my sun,
my reason and my way,
my morning and my night.

Nobody told me
that your life would feel like a movie I made up in my head,
that I would seek out others who had seen it too,
just to feel you there for a moment.

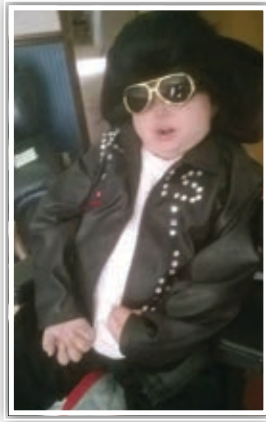
Nobody told me that food would lose taste,
that air would lack oxygen,
that I would miss you
this much.

I miss you
this much.
Nobody told me.

Donna Ashworth

A photograph of Elvis Presley performing on stage. He is wearing a white, sequined jumpsuit with a large red and pink floral lei around his neck. He is holding a microphone in his right hand and making a peace sign with his left hand. The background is a blurred crowd of people.

RECESSIONAL MUSIC
You'll Never Walk Alone



The family would like to thank everyone for their kind words and support at this sad time.

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