

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF



SHARON
ANSON

1962-2026



Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Text: C. Wesley, 1707-1788 Music: J. Stainer, 1840-1901 Welsh Tune: Blaenwern

Love divine, all loves excelling,
joy of heaven, to earth come down,
fix in us thy humble dwelling,
all Thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, thou art all compassion,
pure, unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation,
enter every trembling heart.

Come, almighty to deliver,
let us all thy grace receive;
suddenly return, and never,
never more thy temples leave.

Thee we would be always blessing,
serve thee as thy hosts above,
pray, and praise thee, without
ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.

Finish then, thy new creation;
pure and spotless let us be:
let us see thy great salvation,
perfectly restored in Thee;
Changed from glory into glory,
till in heaven we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

Readings by Sharon's Sisters

Jacqui Butler

Psalm 46

Janet Williams

Poem: "Sharon was my Sister"

Sung Worship

Jamie Walker



King of Kings

Song by Brooke Ligertwood and Hillsong Worship

In the darkness we were waiting
Without hope, without light
'Til from Heaven You came running
There was mercy in Your eyes
To fulfill the law and prophets
To a virgin came the word
From a throne of endless glory
To a cradle in the dirt

Chorus

**Praise the Father, praise the Son
Praise the Spirit, three in one
God of glory, Majesty
Praise forever to the King of Kings**

To reveal the kingdom coming
And to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation
You did not despise the cross
For even in your suffering
You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation
Jesus for our sake you died

Chorus

And the morning that You rose
All of Heaven held its breath
'Til that stone was moved for good
For the Lamb had conquered death
And the dead rose from their tombs
And the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come
To the Father are restored

And the church of Christ was born
Then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this gospel truth of old
Shall not kneel, shall not faint
By His blood and in His name
In His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ
Who has resurrected me

Chorus

Source: Musixmatch

Songwriters: Jason Ingram / Brooke Ligertwood / Scott Ross Ligertwood

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Reckless Love

Cory Asbury

Before I spoke a word,
You were singing over me
You have been so, so good to me
Before I took a breath,
You breathed Your life in me
You have been so, so kind to me

Chorus

**Oh, the overwhelming,
never-ending, reckless love of God
Oh, it chases me down,
fights 'til I'm found,
leaves the ninety-nine
I couldn't earn it,
and I don't deserve it,
still, You give Yourself away
Oh, the overwhelming,
never-ending, reckless love of God**

When I was Your foe,
still Your love fought for me
You have been so, so good to me
When I felt no worth,
You paid it all for me
But You have been so, so kind to me

Chorus

There's no shadow
You won't light up
Mountain You won't climb up
Coming after me
There's no wall
You won't kick down
Lie You won't tear down
Coming after me



I Love You Lord, And I Lift My Voice

Laurie Klein

I love you, Lord, and I lift my voice
To worship you. Oh, my soul rejoice!
Take joy my king in what you hear
Let it be a sweet, sweet sound in your ear

Tribute from Hugo Anson (*Sharon's husband*)

Video

Family created film of Sharon dancing with children
Music "I hope you dance" by Lee Ann Womack

Message

Rev. Jack Walker

Prayers

Richard Mwaswala
Diane Kamalraj
Lidia Murza

The Committal



We Will Meet Him in The Air/There is a Day

Phatfish

There is a day
That all creation's waiting for
A day of freedom and liberation
for the earth
And on that day
The Lord will come
to meet His bride
And when we see Him
In an instant we'll be changed

The trumpet sounds
And the dead will then be raised
By His power
Never to perish again
Once only flesh
Now clothed with immortality
Death has now been
Swallowed up in victory

Chorus

**We will meet Him in the air
And then we will be like Him
For we will see Him as He is
Oh yeah!
Then all hurt and pain will cease
And we'll be with Him forever
And in His glory we will live
Oh yeah! Oh yeah!**

So lift your eyes
To the things as yet unseen
That will remain now
For all eternity
Though trouble's hard
It's only momentary
And it's achieving our future glory

Chorus

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If you would like to make a donation in thanks for Sharon's life, please give something to Grassroots. This will be used helping the many projects Sharon started, serving some of the most vulnerable children and families in Tanzania, Kenya, Romania, Egypt, Kyrgyzstan, India and Zambia.

**Following the service, everyone is welcome
at the Anson family home for a party celebrating
Sharon's life. Others will be speaking,
sharing stories and their memories.**

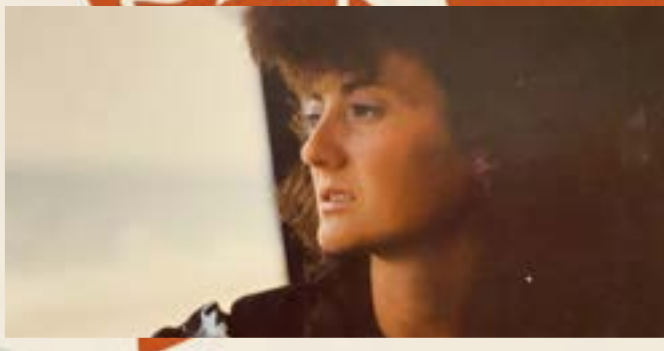
8 Meadow Way, Rowledge, Farnham, Surrey GU10 4DY
Food is being served from 1pm. Please say your own thanks and tuck in!

If you did not let the family know you were coming to the party,
please let others receive their food and then see what is left!









Kenya



Romania



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Tanzania



Zambia



India



The symbols used in this design have been chosen to reflect the national flowers of the nations Sharon regularly visited for Grassroots.