

**JONATHAN LLOYD GEERING**

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TRUE WISDOM COMES TO EACH OF US  
WHEN WE REALISE HOW LITTLE WE  
UNDERSTAND ABOUT LIFE, OURSELVES,  
AND THE WORLD AROUND US.

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# *Order of Service*

## *Celebrant*

*Brian Ross JP*

## *Commencing Music*

*Shostakovich — Symphony No. 5 in D Minor: III. Largo*

## *Welcome and Opening Words*

### *Reading*

*Ecclesiastes 3:1-13 read by Peter Ericson*

### *Hymn*

*Who Would True Valour See*

## *Remembering Johnny & Tributes*

*Life story read by Emma Ericson*

*Tributes from family & friends*

## *Life in Images*

*Mahler — Symphony No. 5 in C# Minor: IV. Adagietto*


## *Words of Thanksgiving*

### *Closing Words*

## *Recessional Music*

*Mahler — Symphony No. 9 in D: 4. Satz: Adagissimo*

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## Who Would True Valour See

Who would true valour see,  
let him come hither;  
one here will constant be,  
come wind, come weather.  
There's no discouragement  
shall make him once relent  
his first avowed intent  
to be a pilgrim.

Whoso beset him round  
with dismal stories,  
do but themselves confound:  
his strength the more is.  
No lion can him fright;  
he'll with a giant fight,  
but he will have a right  
to be a pilgrim.

Hobgoblin nor foul fiend  
can daunt his spirit;  
he knows he at the end  
shall life inherit.  
Then, fancies, fly away;  
he'll fear not what men say;  
he'll labour night and day  
to be a pilgrim.

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