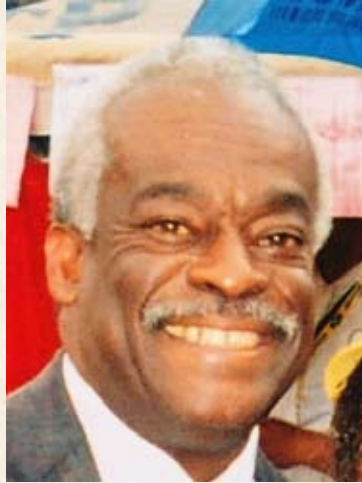


Celebrating The Life Of

Hugh Gordon Gooding



9th September 1949 – 29th July 2012

Friday, 10th August 2012 at 11.00 am

St. Aidan's Church, Roundhay Road, Leeds LS8 5QD.

Interment: Harehills Cemetery, Kimberley Road, Leeds, LS9 6LZ

Officiating Ministers: Rev'd Canon Alan Taylor &
Bishop Levi Bailey

Transportation will be provided from the church to the cemetery




Order of Service



1. Opening sentences & Welcome - Father Taylor
2. Opening Hymn – How Great Thou Art
3. Prayer – Pastor Bailey
4. Scripture Reading – 23rd Psalm – Gordon Gooding
5. Hymn – Beluah Land
6. Song Tribute – Voices in Praise Choir
7. Scripture Reading – Ecclesiastes 3 verses 1 - 14 – Thelma Thomas
8. Eulogy – Xina Broderick
9. Tributes – Nigel Gordon, Karon Reid, Albertha Gooding, Kai Gooding, Desmond Walters, Alvin Gonzales, Satpal Dhiman
10. Address – Pastor Bailey
11. Closing Hymn – Great is Thy Faithfulness
12. Viewing – Song Tribute by Voices in Praise Choir
13. Closing Sentences & Dismissal – Father Taylor





How Great Thou Art

Oh Lord my God
When I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds thy hands
has made
I see the stars
I hear the rolling thunder
Thy power throughout the universe displayed


Chorus:

Then sings my soul
My saviour God to thee
How great thou art
How great thou art (2)

And when I think
That God His son not sparing
Sent Him to die
I scarce can take it in
That on the cross
My burden gladly bearing
He bled and died
To take away my sin

Chorus:

When Christ shall come
With shout of acclamation
And take me home
What joy shall fill my heart?
When I shall bow
In humble adoration
And there proclaim my God how great thou art
Chorus:



Beulah Land



I've reached the land of corn and wine,
And all its riches freely mine;
Here shines undimmed one blissful day,
For all my night has passed away.

Refrain:

O Beulah Land, sweet Beulah Land,
As on thy highest mount I stand,
I look away across the sea,
Where mansions are prepared for me,
And view the shining glory shore,
My heav'n, my home forevermore!

My Saviour comes and walks with me,
And sweet communion here have we;
He gently leads me by His hand,
For this is Heaven's borderland.

A sweet perfume upon the breeze,
Is borne from ever vernal trees,
And flowers that never fading grow
Where streams of life forever flow.

The zephyrs seem to float to me,
Sweet sounds of Heaven's melody,
As angels with the white-robed throng
Join in the sweet redemption song.

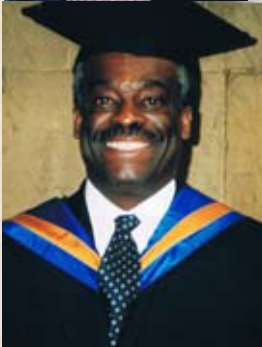





MIKE BENSON and THE SHADES











Hugh leaves behind

Children: Gay, Xina, Gordon, Abijah, Nigel & Karon

Grandchildren: Malachi, Lily, Sanai, Reuben, Eloise, Lucci,
Francesca, Nico, Jahzarah, Emmanuel, Aniyah,
Gabriella, Chloe, Elijah, Joshua & Jacob

Hugh's Business

Hugh poured his life into his business, which aptly reflects the high standards of professionalism associated with each one of his funerals. His business is highly regarded throughout the many diverse communities the business has served over the past five years and it was his dream that his legacy would continue on after him. It is for this reason that Hugh Gooding Funeral Services will remain an independently-owned, family-run business, bearing his name, in accordance with his wishes.

Please call 0113 210 7998 for any further information.



Great is thy faithfulness



Great is thy faithfulness, O God my father
There is no shadow of turning with thee
Thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not
As thou has been thou for ever will be

Chorus:

Great is thy faithfulness,
Great is thy faithfulness
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed thy hand hath provided
Great is faithfulness, Lord unto me

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest
Sun moon and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To thy great faithfulness, mercy and love

Chorus:

Pardon for sin, and a peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside

Chorus:





The family of Hugh Gooding would like to express their sincere and heartfelt appreciation to the many friends who have offered support, expressions of sympathy, practical kindness & prayers at this difficult time.

Many thanks to all of the staff on Ward 82 and Ward 97 Bexley Wing at St. James Hospital and to all friends and family who visited during his time in hospital.

We would also like to extend our thanks to the staff at the Robert Ogden Centre and Black Health Initiative for their kindness and support.

Thanks also to Pastor Bailey, Pastor Sonia Walker and to Chris, the Hospital Chaplain for their kindness, prayers & words of comfort.

There will be a collection after the service, in support of Cancer Research, Black Health Initiative and The Robert Ogden Centre. Please give generously.

Everyone is welcome to join the family for refreshments at:
Leeds West Indian Centre, 10 Laycock Place, Leeds LS7 3JA.