

FUNERAL SONGS

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What song do you want played at your funeral? Daniel Mudie Cunningham has been asking that question of artists and artworkers throughout 2007. Over 150 people answered it in all manner of ways that ranged from the profound to the playful. Some of the songs selected deliberately tug at the heartstrings, while others make you want to drop everything and dance. The idea for Funeral Songs is based in personal experience. Weeks before the artist's brother unexpectedly died in 2000, he'd mentioned what song should be played at his funeral. Amid the grief, the song choice was forgotten.

Now recalled several years on, the song features in Cunningham's curated readymade archive of music you can live or die to.

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Proud Mary
Silver Springs (Demo Version)
That's the Way
Last Night I Dreamed That Somebody Loved Me
Make Me Smile (Come Up and See Me)
Glory
Journey of the Sorcerer
Drinking Woman
Were You A Witness [pt.3]
I'll Be Seeing You
Gravity
Heroes
Hallelujah
Doctor Who Theme
You're The Best Thing That Ever Happened To Me
Length of Love
When Doves Cry
Fire
Vogue
Take Another Little Piece of My Heart
Love Will Tear Us Apart
Sisters Are Doin' It For Themselves
Throw Your Arms Around Me
The Ship Song
Beautiful Day
New Sensation
Popcorn
Ain't No Sunshine
Hurt
Into the Night
You Only Live Once
Blue Melody
Soon This Space Will Be Too Small
Ding-Dong! The Witch Is Dead
Little Room
Little Spanish Flea
Pet Cemetary
Back in the USSR
As Tears Go By
Puff the Magic Dragon
All Cats Are Grey
Tell Me More And More And Then Some
The Big Ship
Que Sera, Sera (Whatever Will Be, Will Be)
Sunshine On My Shoulders
Dark End of the Street
Teardrop
Here Comes the Sun
And When I Die
Pump Up the Jam
White Flag
When The Saints Go Marching In
Nothing Compares 2 U
Failure
Land
Perfect Day
Ruby Don't Take Your Love to Town
Heavenly Pop Hit
River Man
And I Am Telling You I'm Not Going
Thank You For Hearing Me
Gett Off
Various Times
Sorry, Wrong Show
Monkey Gone to Heaven
Different Drum
End of the Line
California Dreaming
Crying
In this Heart
The Weeping Song
Viorar vel til loftárása
The Homecoming Queen's Got a Gun
Ghostbusters
Avalon
Whiter Shade of Pale
Backwards Voyager
Are You Leaving Us
When I Am Laid in Earth from Purcell's Dido & Aeneas
Plante un arbre
Sonny's Burning
Float On
Heaven
Sand River
New Dawn Fades
Psalm 23: The Lord is My Shepherd
Carnival of the Animals: XIII. The Swan
Bohemian Rhapsody
Twin Peaks Theme
Oompa Radar
My Way
I Remember a Time When Once You Used to Love Me
Die Another Day
Hammond Song
I've Had the Time of My Life
Hyber-ballad
Rock 'N Roll
Undertow
It's Oh So Quiet
Say Goodbye
Sing Sing Sing
Pour Some Sugar on Me
Say a Little Prayer
Don't Worry Kyoko (Mummy's looking for her hand in the snow)
Always with Me, Always with You
Everything is Free
I Wanna Be There
Lovin' You
O Happy Day
Humor Me
Heart and Soul
Killed by Death
4th Movement Symphony #3 Text by Freidrich Nietzsche
3 Gymnopedies
Cheek to Cheek
I Just Wasn't Made For These Times
Motion Pictures
There is a Light That Never Goes Out
The Rose
True Colors
Perfect Day
Liar
Sarlo Akrobata
Maraire: Kutambarara ("Spreading")
En Bateau
Never Going Back Again
Avalon
Stayin' Alive
This is My Life
Feelin' Good
Into My Arms
The Long Road
Danny Boy
Ladies and Gentlemen We are Floating In Space
God's Away on Business
Fame
These Days
Hallelujah
Adagio in G minor
Se Telefonando
Miserere
I Found a Reason
More Than This
Northern Sky
Let Down
Puccini: Madama Butterfly - Un Bel Di, Vedremo
Candle
Down in a Hole (Unplugged)
Is That All There Is?
Goodbye Yellow Brick Road
You Set the Scene
Kinders van die Wind
Depressing Karaoke Bar
The Shoes of the Fisherman's Wife are Some Jive Ass Slippers
Wake Me Up Before You Go-Go
4' 33"
I Am What I Am
Bloody Mother Fucking Asshole
Macarena
There is a Light That Never Goes Out
Calling All Angels
Porcelain
The Lord's Prayer
Heaven Can Wait
Sailing
The Rocky Road to Dublin
The Pearl Fisher's Duet

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Tina Turner
Fleetwood Mac
Led Zepellin
The Smiths
Steve Harley & Cockney Rebel
Liz Phair
Joby Talbot
Will Oldham
Diamanda Galás
Sarah Vaughan
Bic Runga
David Bowie
Jeff Buckley
Ron Grainer & Delia Derbyshire
Gladys Knight & The Pips
Interpol
Prince
Arthur Brown
Madonna
Janis Joplin
Joy Division
Eurythmics & Aretha Franklin
Hunters and Collectors
Nick Cave & The Bad Seeds
U2
INXS
Hot Butter
Bill Withers
Johnny Cash
Julee Cruise
The Strokes
Tim Buckley
Lhasa De Sela
Ella Fitzgerald
The White Stripes
Herb Alpert & The Tijuana Bras
The Ramones
The Beatles
Marianne Faithfull
Peter, Paul & Mary
The Cure
Nina Simone
Brian Eno
Doris Day
John Denver
Ry Cooder
Massive Attack
The Beatles
Blood, Sweat and Tears
Technotronic
Dido
Mahalia Jackson
Sinéad O'Connor
Swans
Patti Smith
Lou Reed
Kenny Rodgers
The Chills
Nick Drake
Jennifer Holiday
Sinéad O'Connor
Prince
The Fall
Stephin Merritt
Pixies
Linda Ronstadt with The Stone Poneys
Traveling Wilburys
The Mamas & The Papas
Roy Orbison feat k.d. lang
Sinéad O'Connor
Nick Cave
Sigur Ros
Julie Brown
Ray Parker Jr
The Avaloners
Procol Harum
Dirty Three
Andrea Rieniets
Kirsten Flagstad
Richard Anthony
The Birthday Party
Modest Mouse
Icehouse
Beth Gibbons & Rustin Man
Joy Division
Huddersfield Choral Society & Wyn Morris
Barry Wordsworth & LSO
Queen
Angelo Badalamenti
Goldfrapp
Frank Sinatra
Dirty Three
Madonna
The Roches
Bill Medly and Jennifer Warnes
Bjork
Daft Punk
Leonard Cohen
Bjork
The Muppets
Benny Goodman Big Band
Def Leppard
Aretha Franklin
Yoko Ono
Joe Satriani
Gillian Welch
Model 500
Minnie Riperton
Lauren Hill
Pere Ubu
Joy Division
Motorhead
Gustav Mahler
Eric Satie
Fred Astaire
The Beach Boys
Neil Young
The Smiths
Jessica Olivieri & Hayley Forward
Cyndi Lauper
Lou Reed
Henry Rollins
Niko Kao Ja
Kronos Quartet
Debusay
Fleetwood Mac
Roxy Music
The Bee Gees
Shirley Bassey
Nina Simone
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Nusrat Fateh Ali Khan & Eddie Vedder
The Muppets
Spiritualized
Tom Waites
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Mina
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Cat Power
Bill Murray
Nick Drake
Radiohead
Maria Callas
Sonic Youth
Alice in Chains
Peggy Lee
Elton John
Love
Laurika Rauch
Lisa Andrew
Charles Mingus
Wham
John Cage
Shirley Bassey
Martha Wainwright
Los del Rio
The Smiths
Jane Siberry feat. k.d. lang
Moby
Kamahl
Meatloaf
Rod Stewart
The Dubliners
Andre Bocelli & Bryn Terfel



▲ Daniel Mudie Cunningham, *Porcelain*, 1985/2007
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