

Opening Sentences

In Lent we stopped to think with our minds.

On Easter Day we act on impulse with our hearts.

In Lent we gave up something good.

On Easter Day we celebrate with a feast.

In Lent with sorrow we looked inside and said to God
'Sorry'.

**On Easter Day with joy we tell the world 'We are
forgiven'.**

In Lent we walked the way of the cross.

On Easter Day we are raised from the dead with Jesus.

Yesterday everything ended.

Today everything begins.

With joy we proclaim:

Alleluia! Christ is risen

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

The Lenten Cross

I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

Galatians 2:20

On this resurrection day we transform the Lenten cross of suffering into the glory of new life in Christ.

We remove from the cross the bag of money.
Jesus has purchased our salvation.

We remove from the cross the towel and the bowl.
Jesus is the servant King.

We remove from the cross the cup of suffering.
Jesus took up our pain and bore our suffering.

We remove from the cross the whip.
By his wounds we are healed.

We remove from the cross the crown of thorns.
Jesus now wears the crown of glory.

We remove from the cross the palm branches.
We lift them high to welcome the risen Lord.

We remove from the cross the nails.
Death could not pin him down.

Jesus has been transformed from death to life.
We shall follow where he has led.

We come to worship the risen Lord.
**We come with our strengths and our weaknesses,
Our confidence and our uncertainty,
Our laughter and our tears,
Our hopes and our disappointments.**
We come alone, and we come together
For the risen Christ calls us to be his friends,
his disciples and his witnesses.

The cross is decorated with flowers during worship songs.

Main talk

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Lawyers face ban on A&E adverts

By Sophie Borland Health Editor

HOSPITALS are set to be banned from letting ambulance-chasing lawyers advertise on wards and in waiting rooms.

The Health Secretary will introduce fines for trusts that continue to allow law companies to distribute flyers on their premises.

Jeremy Hunt said he was becoming 'increasingly concerned' at how lawyers are 'intimidating' patients and families.

He also paid tribute to the Mail for exposing the 'aggressive and opportunistic tactics' used by these firms to win new business.

Earlier this year an investigation by this newspaper showed how trusts were routinely agreeing contracts with lawyers to advertise in waiting rooms and corridors.

One hospital in Dudley, West Midlands, is paid £12,000 by a firm to display flyers telling patients that there is 'no shame in making an honest claim'.

The crackdown is part of a major blueprint for the NHS announced this week to save

NHS BOSS: KICK OUT HOSPITAL BLOOD SUCKERS

From the Mail, January 4

millions that could be invested in better care. Last year the health service paid out an estimated £440million to personal injury lawyers as part of compensation claims for patients.

This could have funded 88,000 hip and knee replacements, 440,000 cataract operations or 15,000 nurses for a year.

The fines are to be imposed later this year after a review by NHS England, which runs the health service. Any hospitals that allow lawyers to advertise on their premises will be in breach of their contract with the NHS.

They will initially be given a warning by the local health trust. If a hospital then fails to remove flyers, it will be fined.

The review will establish the size of the fines as well as how the rules will be policed.

Mr Hunt said: 'I'm increasingly concerned that the presence of personal injury law firms in the NHS - some of whom are pursuing extremely aggressive and opportunistic tactics to win new business - is distracting for staff and intrusive for patients and families.'

'Allowing these firms to advertise or base themselves in our hospitals goes against the spirit of what the NHS is all about.'

Simon Stevens, chief executive of NHS England, said: 'We want lawyers out of hospitals and doctors out of court.'

NHS chief slams homeopathy bill

THE NHS should stop funding controversial homeopathy, its boss said yesterday.

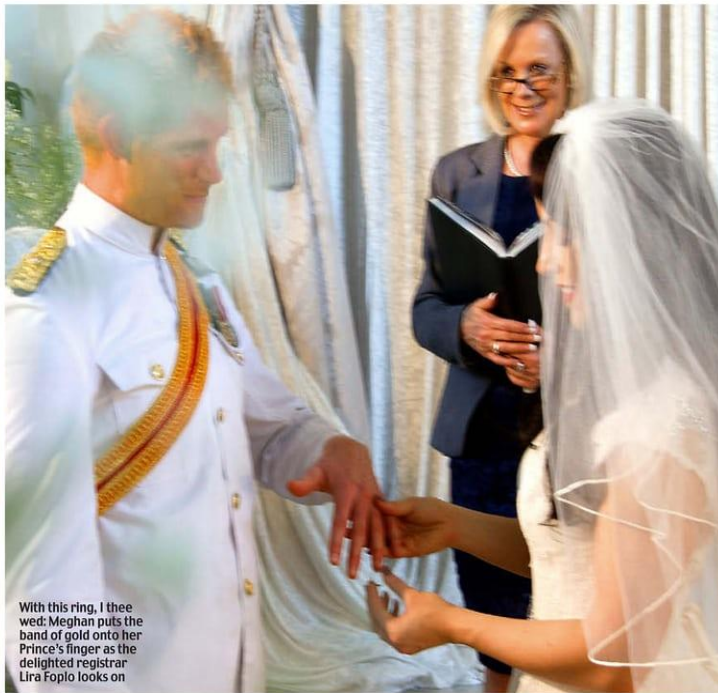
Simon Stevens said the alternative medicine acts as a 'placebo at best, adding it is 'absurd' for doctors to prescribe it.

HARRY'S SECRET WEDDING!

They didn't want a fuss, so fooled the media by plumping for \$300 Vegas marriage



The tender touch: Harry cheekily guides his bride into the chapel



With this ring, I thee wed; Meghan puts the band of gold onto her Prince's finger as the delighted registrar Lira Foplo looks on



Man and wife: Harry holds Meghan lovingly after she throws her bouquet



PRINCE HARRY has married his girlfriend Meghan Markle in a secret ceremony in Las Vegas. And, in what will surely go down as the most unlikely Royal Wedding of all time, there was no pomp, no pageantry...and not a single VIP guest.

Today the Mail publishes exclusive pictures and details of the extraordinary event that happened earlier this week.

Meghan, 35, looked elegantly beautiful in a plain, mid-length white wedding dress. Her face was covered by a veil and she carried a simple posy of white peonies.

The Prince, 32, looked very dashing in the white tropical uniform of the Blues and Royals and sported a short, stubby beard at the request of his bride, who reportedly prefers this look on him.

WORLD EXCLUSIVE by Claudia Connell

they met. The Prince, fifth in line to the throne, and American actress Meghan, have been dating for just under a year.

Insiders say that while they both wanted to marry, neither wanted the fuss, expense or attention of a big, public wedding.

for their \$55 marriage licence at the city's Marriage Bureau.

The following day they made things legal at the Viva Las Vegas wedding chapel - built in 1963 and decorated in Grecian style, complete with fake pillars.

It's a far cry from the gothic beauty of Westminster Abbey, where Prince Harry was expected to have married.

Following the short ceremony they headed off for a quick wedding breakfast celebration at the exclusive Friday Las Polo restaurant.

There was to be no honeymoon for the newlyweds as Meghan was due back in Toronto, where her TV show *Suits* is filmed, and Harry had to break the news of his unconventional wedding to his grandmother, the Queen.

Our insider said: 'Harry hopes Her Majesty will understand his reasons - she certainly can't be as cross with him as she was the last time he was in Vegas!' A reference to the

PS: And we're not kidding — here's Meghan training to be a world leader



MEGHAN was always destined for great things. In September she was pictured, far left, at the One Young World Summit in Canada, with former Irish president Mary Robinson, Pakistani poet Fatima Bhutto and Saudi rights activist Loulain

Picture: ALISSA JACKSON









Waddya mean?
That wasn't you
who just said
"Good morning"?









O DEATH,
WHERE IS THY STING?
O GRAVE,
WHERE IS THY VICTORY?

[1 CORINTHIANS 15:55]



HE IS RISEN!



by Yongsung Kim
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Closing sentences

When we meet with grief or sorrow

Jesus walks beside us

When we are anxious for tomorrow

Jesus walks beside us

When we are lonely or with strangers

Jesus walks beside us

When we are facing threats or dangers

Jesus walks beside us

When we try to live without him

Jesus walks beside us

Even when we start to doubt him

Jesus walks beside us

At each turn and each decision

Jesus walks beside us

He was dead, but he is risen

Jesus walks beside us