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"My subject is War, and the pity of War.
The Poetry is in the pity.
All a poet can do is to warn."
Wilfred Owen

Words from the Missa pro Defunctis and the poems of Wilfred Owen

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