

Forever Yours Weddings



We are gathered here today to celebrate one of life's greatest moments, to give recognition to the worth and beauty of love.

What is love?

- ♥ A word we often use with vagueness and sentimentality.
- ♥ We may assume that love is some rare and mystical event, when in fact it is our natural state of being
- ♥ Love organizes our large and sometimes unpredictable world.
- ♥ Love given between two people is the greatest gift bestowed upon humans.
- ♥ Love is given to us by our family or by our friends and we learn to love by being loved.
- ♥ When we love, we see things other people do not see.
- ♥ To be loved is to be seen, and known, as we are known to no other.
- ♥ One who loves us, gives us a unique gift: a piece of ourselves, but a piece that only they could give us.

Marriage requires Love!

Vows

Groom do you take **Bride** to be your wife?

Do you promise to love, honor, cherish and protect her, forsaking all others and holding only unto her?

Bride do you take **Groom** to be your husband?

Do you promise to love, honor, cherish and protect him, forsaking all others and holding only unto him?

Rings

Groom, take **Bride's** ring, place it on her finger and repeat after me.

I **Groom** take thee, **Bride** to be my wife. To have and to hold, in sickness and in health, for richer or for poorer, and I promise my love to you forevermore.

Bride, take **Groom's** ring, place it on his finger and repeat after me.

I **Bride**, take thee **Groom** to be my husband. To have and to hold, in sickness and in health, for richer or for poorer, and I promise my love to you forevermore.

Wedding rings are an outward and visible sign of an inward spiritual grace and the unbroken circle of love, signifying to all the union of this man and this woman in marriage.

Pronouncement

As the two of you come into this marriage uniting you as husband and wife, and as you this day affirm your faith and love for one another, I would ask that you always remember to cherish each other as special and unique individuals, that you respect the thoughts, ideas and suggestions of one another. Be able to forgive, do not hold grudges, and live each day that you may share it together. As from this day forward you shall be each other's home, comfort and refuge, your marriage strengthened by your love and respect for each other.

So, by joining hands right now and looking into each other's eyes, let it be known that you are joined, body and soul in this lifetime, and that this bond is sacred and eternal. And now that you have stood before me and exchanged these rings and these vows, it gives me great pleasure to pronounce that you are Husband and Wife.

GROOM, YOU MAY NOW KISS YOUR BRIDE!

*May I introduce for the first time,
Mr. and Mrs. _____*