



Non-Religious Wedding Ceremony

This is what we offer

Introduction:

We are gathered here to share in the “true love and joy” that (Groom’s Name) and (Bride’s Name) have found with each other. There will be tears of sadness and tears of joy, times of conflict and times of happiness. I ask you to remember this advice:

Never go to bed angry.

Let your love be stronger than your anger.

Learn the wisdom of compromise, for it is better to bend than to break.

Believe the best of your beloved rather than the worst.

Confide in your partner and ask for help when you need it.

Remember that true friendship is the basis for any lasting relationship.

Give your spouse the same courtesies and kindnesses you bestow on your friends.

Say “I love you” every day.

Vows:

(Groom’s Name) and (Bride’s Name). I remind you that marriage is a precious gift, a lifelong commitment, and a challenge to love one another more completely each and every day.

Please join hands and look into each other’s eyes.

(Groom’s Name), with this understanding, do you take (Bride’s Name) to be your wedding wife to live together in marriage? Do you promise to love her, comfort her, honor and keep her for better or worse, for richer or poorer, in sickness and in health, forsaking all others and to be faithful only to her, so long as you both shall live?

Groom: “I do.”

(Bride’s Name), with this understanding, do you take (Groom’s Name) to be your wedded husband, to live together in marriage? Do you promise to love him, comfort him, honor and keep him, for better or worse, for richer or poorer, in sickness and in health, forsaking all others and to be faithful only to him, so long as you both shall live?

Bride: “I do.”





Rings (optional):

May I have the rings please?

The ring, an unbroken, never-ending circle, is a symbol of committed and unending love.

(Groom's Name), as you place this ring on (Bride's Name)'s finger, repeat these words after me: This ring, a gift for you, / symbolizes my desire / that you be my wife / from this day forward. /

As this ring has no end / neither shall my love for you.

(Bride's Name), as you place this ring on (Groom's Name)'s finger, repeat these words after me: This ring, a gift for you, / symbolizes my desire / that you be my husband / from this day forward. / As this ring has no end / neither shall my love for you.

Couple's favorite song or reading (optional):

Reminder:

(Groom's Name) and (Bride's Name), in your journey of life together, remind yourselves often of the love that brought you together. Give the highest priority to your love. When challenges come, remember to focus on what is right between you. In this way, you can ride out the storms. And when clouds hide the sun in your lives - remember, even if you lose sight of it for a moment, the sun is always there.

Pronouncement:

(Groom's Name) and (Bride's Name), you have committed yourselves to each other in marriage by the exchanging of vows, and by the giving of the rings. With the authority vested in me by the State of Nevada, and with great joy, I now pronounce you husband and wife.

May you live together in blissful happiness from this day forward.

You May Seal Your Vows with a Kiss!

Congratulations, Mr. and Mrs. _____!

We are flexible in you replacing your "own words" vows. We want you to be happy and remember this day forever!

