

## MARRIAGE CEREMONY

WE ARE GATHERED HERE in the presence of this witness to join this man and this woman in the bonds of Holy Matrimony.

Let me admonish you both to always remember that love and loyalty are the foundation of a happy and enduring marriage, and that marriage is a relationship in which the independence of the parties is equal. If the vows you are about to take are kept inviolate, then your lives will be contented and peaceful and the relationship you are establishing will survive all troubles.

\_\_\_\_\_, do you take \_\_\_\_\_ to be your wedded wife, to love her, to protect her, to provide for her; and do you promise to always be unto her a dutiful and faithful husband?

\_\_\_\_\_, do you take \_\_\_\_\_, to be your wedded husband, to love him, to inspire him, and do you promise to always be unto him a dutiful and faithful wife?

Place the ring on the finger of your bride's left hand and repeat after me: *With this ring, I thee wed, and with my heart's deepest affection, I thee endow.*

And now, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_, having exchanged your marriage vows and having pledged your love and affection in the presence of these witnesses and evidenced the same by the giving of a ring; therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the Justice of the Peace of Tonopah Township, County of Nye, State of Nevada, ***I pronounce you husband and wife.***

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*Jennifer Klapper, Justice of the Peace*