



APPROVED MARRIAGE VOWS

Option 1

Groom

I [Name of Groom], take you [Name of Bride], to be my wife.

Believing that God has called us together, I pledge to love you as Christ loves the Church and gave Himself up for her.

By God's grace, I will seek to lead our home, protecting and providing for you.

I will pray for you, love you and trust you.

And with God's help, He will always be the centre of our relationship and the One we together love, serve and honour.

Bride

I [Name of Bride], take you [Name of Groom], to be my husband.

Believing that God has called us together, I pledge to love you as the Church loves Christ.

By God's grace, I will encourage you as the leader of our home.

I will pray for you, respect you and trust you.

And with God's help, He will always be the centre of our relationship and the One we together love, serve and honour.

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Option 2

Groom

I, [Name of Groom], in the presence of God,
take you, [Name of Bride], to be my lawful wedded wife:
to have and to hold from this day forward,
for better, for worse
for richer, for poorer,
in sickness and in health,
to love and to cherish,
so long as we both shall live.
All this I vow and promise.

Bride

I, [Name of Bride], in the presence of God,
take you, [Name of Groom], to be my lawful wedded husband:
to have and to hold from this day forward,
for better, for worse
for richer, for poorer,
in sickness and in health,
to love and to cherish,
so long as we both shall live.
All this I vow and promise.

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Option 3

Groom

I [**Name of Groom**], take you [**Name of Bride**], to be my lawful wedded wife,
to have and to hold from this day forward,
for better, for worse,
for richer, for poorer,
in sickness and in health,
to love and to cherish, till death us do part,
according to God's holy law,
this is my solemn vow/promise.

Bride

I [**Name of Bride**], take you [**Name of Groom**], to be my lawful wedded husband,
to have and to hold from this day forward,
for better, for worse,
for richer, for poorer,
in sickness and in health,
to love and to cherish, till death us do part,
according to God's holy law,
this is my solemn vow/promise.

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Option 4

Groom

I, [Name of Groom], take you [Name of Bride], to be my lawful wedded wife.
I promise before God and these witnesses
to be your loving and faithful husband
in plenty and in want,
in joy and in sorrow,
in sickness and in health
for the rest of our lives.

Bride

I, [Name of Bride], take you [Name of Groom], to be my lawful wedded husband.
I promise before God and these witnesses
to be your loving and faithful wife
in plenty and in want,
in joy and in sorrow,
in sickness and in health
for the rest of our lives.

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Option 5

Groom

In the presence of God, I call upon the persons here present to witness that I **[Name of Groom]** take you **[Name of Bride]** to be my lawful wedded wife. With Christ as my example and God as my help, I promise to love you and cherish you with all my heart. From today I give up my independence to be joined with you in marriage. All that I am I give to you, and all that I have I share with you. In love, I promise to serve you and support you, to lead you and guide you, to care for you and protect you, to teach you and encourage you. I will remain faithful to you and you alone, as long as we both shall live. I give you my solemn promise.

Bride

In the presence of God, I call upon the persons here present to witness that I **[Name of Bride]** take you **[Name of Groom]** to be my lawful wedded husband. With God as my help, I promise to love you and cherish you with all my heart. From today I give up my independence to be joined with you in marriage. All that I am I give to you, and all that I have I share with you. In love, I promise to serve you and support you, to trust and obey you, respect and listen to you, honour you as the head of our family, be your closest companion and willing helper. I will remain faithful to you and you alone, as long as we both shall live. I give you my solemn promise.

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Option 6

Groom

In the presence of God, I call upon the persons here present to witness that I **[Name of Groom]** take you **[Name of Bride]** to be my lawful wedded wife.

With Christ as my example and God as my help, I promise to love you and cherish you with all my heart.

From today I give up my independence to be joined with you in marriage.

All that I am I give to you, and all that I have I share with you.

In love, I promise to serve you and support you, to lead you and guide you, to care for you and protect you, to teach you and encourage you.

I will remain faithful to you and you alone in times of sorrow and joy, in sickness and health, in poverty and riches, or wherever God leads us, as long as we both shall live.

I give you my solemn promise.

Bride

In the presence of God, I call upon the persons here present to witness that I **[Name of Bride]** take you **[Name of Groom]** to be my lawful wedded husband.

With God as my help, I promise to love you and cherish you with all my heart.

From today I give up my independence to be joined with you in marriage.

All that I am I give to you, and all that I have I share with you.

In love, I promise to serve you and support you, to trust and obey you, respect and listen to you, honour you as the head of our family, be your closest companion and willing helper.

I will remain faithful to you and you alone in times of sorrow and joy, in sickness and health, in poverty and riches, or wherever God leads us, as long as we both shall live.

I give you my solemn promise.

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Option 7

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I [**Name of Groom**], take you [**Name of Bride**], to be my lawful wedded wife,
to have and to hold from this day forward,
for better, for worse,
for richer, for poorer,
in sickness and in health,
to love and to cherish, till death us do part,
this is my solemn vow.

Bride

I [**Name of Bride**], take you [**Name of Groom**], to be my lawful wedded husband,
to have and to hold from this day forward,
for better, for worse,
for richer, for poorer,
in sickness and in health,
to love and to cherish, till death us do part,
this is my solemn vow.