Traditional Wedding Vows

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Opening Words

Officiant:

We are gathered here today to witness and celebrate the union of two people in marriage. This is a special moment of promise, love, and commitment, as [Partner 1's Name] and [Partner 2's Name] join their lives in this sacred bond.

Declaration of Intent

Officiant to Partner 1:

Do you, [Partner 1's Name], take [Partner 2's Name] to be your lawfully wedded spouse — to have and to hold, in sickness and in health, in good times and bad, for richer or poorer, keeping yourself unto them for as long as you both shall live?

Partner 1: I do.

Officiant to Partner 2:

Do you, [Partner 2's Name], take [Partner 1's Name] to be your lawfully wedded spouse — to have and to hold, in sickness and in health, in good times and bad, for richer or poorer, keeping yourself unto them for as long as you both shall live?

Partner 2: I do.

Exchange of Vows

Partner 1 repeats after Officiant:

I, [Partner 1's Name], take you, [Partner 2's Name], to be my wedded spouse.

I promise to love and cherish you, to honor and comfort you, to stand by your side in joy and in sorrow, as long as we both shall live.

Partner 2 repeats after Officiant:

I, [Partner 2's Name], take you, [Partner 1's Name], to be my wedded spouse.
I promise to love and cherish you, to honor and comfort you, to stand by your side in joy and in sorrow, as long as we both shall live.

Ring Exchange

Officiant:

May these rings be a symbol of your unending love and faithful commitment to one another.

Partner 1 places ring on Partner 2's finger and says: With this ring, I thee wed.

Partner 2 places ring on Partner 1's finger and says: With this ring, I thee wed.

Pronouncement

Officiant:

By the power vested in me by the State of [Officiant's State], I now pronounce you [Husband & Wife]. You may now kiss [the Bride]

Optional Closing Line

Officiant:

It is my great honor to present, for the very first time...

[Partner 1's Name] and [Partner 2's Name] as a married couple!