



My name is Terry Drew Karanen. I've been an ordained minister for twenty-five years, serving couples of most religious, spiritual, and non-traditional beliefs. Your wedding ceremony will be custom designed by us together, making it an experience to remember for you as well as your guests.

The actual wedding ceremony is often the last thing couples plan! Yet, isn't that why you're getting married in the first place? To exchange your vows and celebrate your love in the company of your families and friends?

A growing number of people today in the United States consider themselves "spiritual, not religious," and it's no wonder why. Religions continue to divide our country and our world, even though their basic teachings are similar if not identical! I require no adherence to religious dogma or classes to take to perform your wedding. Over the past nearly three decades I've combined countless belief systems to create a wedding ceremony worth attending ... and remembering!

I've retired from active ministry as of 2019, and currently "re-wiring" my professional life. This means I'm going to have more time to serve additional couples in their search for an officiant. Let me help you navigate your wedding ceremony, as well as dealing with the nuances (and sometimes uncomfortable situations!) that occur when family and religious traditions collide with your current way of life.

This is not your mother's wedding, your father's wedding, or your grandmother's wedding. It's YOUR wedding - and believe it or not we can create something together that you'll love, and grandma will be raving about for years.

My fees are reasonable, but not the lowest around. You're paying for my time, my years of experience, and a spiritual background that is rich as it is diverse. I didn't decide to start doing weddings last week and got an ordination online so I could. My training took more than a decade, and also includes a Master of Social Work degree from Temple University, allowing me to address much of the social dynamics that play out in a wedding.

Your final cost is just as custom-made to your needs as is your ceremony itself. But I can almost guaranty you'll be paying less for my services (before, during, and even after your special day) that you will for most of the other services you're buying that day.

Get in touch and let's talk about what you're looking for. [Click here](#) and send me a message today!