

## Vow Options

### OPTION 1

I, \_\_\_\_\_, take you, \_\_\_\_\_, to be my spouse/husband/wife;  
And I promise,  
Before God and these witnesses,  
To be your loving and faithful spouse/husband/wife;  
In plenty and in want;  
In joy and in sorrow;  
In sickness and in health;  
as long as we both shall live.

### OPTION 2

I \_\_\_\_\_ give myself to you, \_\_\_\_\_  
that we may live in the covenant of marriage,  
and I promise,  
before God and these witnesses,  
to cherish you,  
to encourage you,  
and to uphold you;  
to comfort you in sorrow  
and laugh with you in joy,  
to remain faithful to you  
and nurture my love for you  
throughout all our days

### OPTION 3 (based on Romans 12:9-18)

\_\_\_\_\_, I promise to love you  
and to honor you,  
holding fast to what is good,  
and rejoicing in hope.  
I promise to be patient in suffering  
and to persevere in prayer,  
to weep with you when you weep  
and rejoice when you rejoice,  
now and through all of our days.

OPTION 4

\_\_\_, I promise to stand beside you  
in adversity and triumph,  
through heartache and exceeding joy,  
and in the ordinary days of life together.  
I promise to encourage you in your endeavors  
and in the way of the Lord.  
I vow to live in the joy of knowing  
you are God's intended gift to me  
and by God's grace  
I will be your partner/spouse/wife/husband and companion  
for the rest of our days.

OPTION 5

\_\_\_, I give myself to you.  
Through joys and sorrows,  
triumphs and troubles,  
in times of plenty and times of want.  
I will remain faithful to you  
and love you through all of our days.

OPTION 6

\_\_\_, I bind myself to you this day  
and promise to love you and cherish you,  
to support you and comfort you,  
to honor you and keep faith with you  
as long as we both shall live.

OPTION 7

I, \_\_\_, promise to love you with my heart,  
with my mind and my whole self.  
In all things, I promise to understand,  
to forgive,  
and to take delight in you.  
I will keep these promises on good days and on bad days,  
when I'm confident and when I'm afraid,  
when our life together is joyful,  
and when our life is difficult.  
As I have from the beginning of our relationship,  
I will give myself to you with humility and with passion  
all the days of our lives.

OPTION 8

I \_\_\_\_\_, take you. \_\_\_\_\_.  
to be my love, my partner, my spouse/husband/wife;  
and I promise  
to dwell with you in faithfulness;  
to live in the spirit of mutuality,  
sharing equally in our common life.  
I will support you in times of struggle  
and share your deepest hopes to our life's end.

OPTION 9

\_\_\_\_\_, my beloved,  
I give myself to you---  
heart and mind,  
body and soul,  
now and always.

OPTION 10

With you, \_\_\_\_\_,  
I will share my life--  
all that I am,  
all that I have been,  
all that I will become.  
This I promise.

OPTION 11

I, \_\_\_\_\_, take you, \_\_\_\_ to be my spouse/partner/husband/wife.  
All that I am I give to you,  
and all that I have I share with you.  
Whatever the future holds,  
for better, for worse  
for richer, for poorer,  
in sickness and in health,  
I will love you and stand by you  
as long as we both shall live.

OPTION 12

I, \_\_\_\_\_ take you, \_\_\_\_\_ to be my spouse/partner/husband/wife.  
All that I am I give to you,  
and all that I have I share with you.  
Whatever the future holds,  
whether sickness or health,  
poverty or prosperity,  
conflict or harmony,  
I will love you and stand by you  
as long as we both shall live.  
This is my solemn promise.

OPTION 13

I \_\_\_\_\_, offer myself to you, \_\_\_\_\_.  
to be your friend, to be spouse/partner/husband/wife,  
your lifelong companion;  
to share my life with yours;  
to build our dreams together;  
to support you through times of trouble,  
and rejoice with you in times of happiness.  
I promise to treat you with respect, love, and loyalty  
through all the trials and triumphs  
of our lives together.  
This commitment is made in love,  
kept in faith, lived in hope,  
and eternally made new.

OPTION 14

I take you, \_\_\_\_\_ to be my spouse/partner/husband/wife.  
to laugh with you in joy;  
to grieve with you in sorrow;  
to grow with you in love;  
serving humankind in peace and hope;  
as long as we both shall live.

OPTION 15- Write your own

## Exchange of Rings

### OPTION #1

\_\_\_\_\_, I give you this ring as a sign of our covenant,  
In the name of the Father,  
And of the Son,  
And of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

### OPTION #2

This ring I give you,  
As a sign of our constant faith  
And abiding love,  
In the name of the Father,  
And of the Son,  
And of the Holy Spirit.

### OPTION #3

\_\_\_\_\_, I give you this ring  
as a sign of my love,  
a pledge of my faithfulness,  
and a reminder of the covenant we make this day.

### OPTION #4 (Song of Solomon 5:4,16)

\_\_\_\_ I take your hand  
and give you this ring.  
You are my beloved  
and my friend.

### OPTION #5

\_\_\_\_, I give you this ring  
as a sign of our unending love  
and abiding trust.

### OPTION #6

This ring I give you  
as gift and symbol  
of our union in marriage;  
and of the greater circle of love  
in which we are forever known,  
and held,  
and remembered of God.

### OPTION #7

\_\_\_\_\_, I give you this ring with God's blessing,  
as a symbol of our all that we have promised,  
and all that we shall share.