WEDDING REVIEWS

Michelle said...

Look no further than Pastor Bill! He will put your worries to rest about the wedding, and somehow in the process of getting to know you individually and as a couple he will incorporate the absolute best about you both and have your audience laughing, crying, smiling and really happy for you. Wedding: 06/08/2016

Joshua said...

Looking for a great officiant? This is the man to pick. Trust him and follow his plan, and he will stir up your wedding court, your beloved guests; and drown you in tears of happiness and joy. This man is follower of Christ Jesus our Lord. God is using this man in wonderful ways. Please pick him, he is worth every penny! Much love, Pastor Bill! I hope you continue doing what you do. I don't cry, but that day, you made tears of joy run down my face. You helped me search deep within my mind, soul, and spirit. It was truly a blessing. Thank you.

Wedding: 06/02/2016

Steph said...

Pastor Bill was the perfect choice for our wedding! In the wedding planning process he responded quickly and was very professional. He took the time to meet with us for a few hours in person to get to know us as a couple. For the actual wedding, he was timely to both our rehearsal and ceremony. He was able to incorporate our family/cultural traditions smoothly. He spoke very eloquently, like not from a script. My parents are hard to please and they loved him too! We wish he could've stayed with us for the reception! THANK YOU so much for being a part of our perfect day!

Wedding: 04/30/2016

MzHrly said...

Pastor Bill did an AMAZING job officiating our wedding ceremony! We were referred to Pastor Bill thru family friends and come to find out he was the "Preferred Pastor" at our venue, Carmel Mountain Ranch Country Club. Pastor Bill met with my Husband and I a few times before we got married to get to know us and he also met with us as our wedding day got closer to comfort my worries/stresses. Pastor Bill really listened to my husband and I's wishes, hopes and wants when it came to the ceremony and he delivered a ceremony that far exceed our expectations. Family and friends continually quote things they heard Pastor Bill say during our ceremony that they loved. THANK YOU PASTOR BILL FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART, FOR MAKING MY DREAM COME TRUE WEDDING CEREMONY COME TO LIFE! ***PICTURES TO COME*** Wedding: 04/02/2016

Erin said...

Pastor Bill was the perfect Officiant for our wedding! He took the time to get to know us as a couple and offer us counsel through our journey into marriage. He was personable, patient and kind. On the day of, he delivered with excellence and even a little humor. Everyone thought he was perfect! Would recommend to any of my friends and family looking for a great experience-regardless of your religious affiliation.

Wedding: 11/14/2015

Tiffany said...

He is awesome! He took the time to get to know us and totally geared our ceremony towards who we really are. It was humorous yet not cheesy but serious all the same. He's very professional but is very personable too so it was easy for us to trust him with get task at hand and we were very happy with the service he provided

Wedding: 10/08/2015

Andrew said...

We loved working with Pastor Bill. He came highly recommended by our wedding coordinator and we soon learned why. We came to know Pastor Bill before our ceremony through phone calls, email conversations, and an in-person meet and greet. Throughout the whole time his energy and compassion came through and we were very thankful to have been working with such a professional. Looking back on it, it is hard to believe that he was probably working with many other couples at the same time. He made us feel like a priority and as if we had his complete attention whenever we needed him. Also, a quick phone call from him a day or two before the wedding was such a nice and unexpected surprise in our hectic week. He really was there with us and was incredibly genuine. He went a long way to ease our nerves leading up to the big day. Our actual ceremony came out fantastic. Pastor Bill was very flexible with us and worked in our requests to craft the perfect flow for the ceremony. He had asked us for some of our thoughts about each other and incorporated those into the ceremony for each of us to hear for the first time. It was an emotional moment that had us tearing up, but Pastor Bill was also quick to inject a bit of humor into the ceremony to lighten the mood. All-in-all we felt like we had a perfect wedding and Pastor Bill started that off with our ceremony. Many quests remarked at how great he was and how special the ceremony was. Pastor Bill is an amazing person and we highly recommended him for anyone seeking an officiant in the San Diego area. Thank you Pastor Bill, Rebecca & AJ

Wedding: 09/19/2015

Kristen said...

Pastor Bill is so polite, charming and full of passion. From the moment my husband and I met him we were blown away by his personality. We couldn't stop smiling. He helped us put together a rehearsal on site, this helped us calm our nerves and was worth it. The ceremony was exactly how we wanted it, it was beautiful, and he could improvise on the spot. We forgot the veil part for the ceremony and with quick wit and thinking we pulled it together. It was AWESOME! We couldn't be happier. If you have no idea who you are looking for to be the officiant for your wedding, meet Pastor Bill. It was one of the most positive experiences for planning the wedding, and the ceremony was well worth it!

Wedding: 09/19/2015

Ashley said...

Pastor Bill went above and beyond for our wedding. From skyping us so we could meet him to calling me every few days to check on us and let us know he is praying for us, he made sure we knew he cared. Plus, our ceremony was absolutely incredible. It was the perfect amount of sincerity along with a little humor to keep the bride from crying. I couldn't have asked for anything more and I am so happy I picked Pastor Bill as my officiant. Thank you Pastor Bill! Wedding: 09/12/2015

Daniel said...

We had an uninvited guest, Hurricane Dolores that decided to pop into our outdoor wedding at Marina Village. Pastor Bill was a calm and very great presence as we were obviously scrambling with the ceremony moving inside from out. He nailed the ceremony and as both me and the Bride had our most amazing day of our lives he was able to make key changes as we were at times a bit off our game with vows and such due to the pressure of the weather situation. It went off without a noticeable hitch to our guests and we had such an amazing experience with him as our spiritual and worldly guide to matrimony. Thank you thank you for being there and everything you did to make our day that much better!

Wedding: 07/18/2015

Sharon said...

Bill was such an important part of our journey. He met with us on multiple occasions to get to know us and our story. The ceremony was such a touching and personal weaving together of our unique love story, personalities, and dreams for our lives. Many guests shared how meaningful the ceremony felt, and how many emotions it brought out. Bill did a beautiful job and made our day so special.

Wedding: 06/29/2015

Kevin said...

Although we didnt know Pastor Bill he provided us with a fantastic service. I have to admit that I wasn't expecting all that much as I didn't know Pastor Bill and I wasn't sure what I wanted from an officiant. But I can say I was totally surprised by how he personalized our ceremony and how the things he said not only sounded genuine but not sappy. Even our guests said they really liked what he said. We didnt want too much discussion of faith (as we are not all that religious - more spiritual) - and Pastor Bill hit the perfect note. I can say without any reservations that you will not be disapointed with Pastor Bill. He is not only a great officiant but a genuinely nice guy. Wedding: 06/20/2015

Brittany said...

Bill did our couples mentoring for us and was our pastor for our big day!! He is the best!! He made our day an even more memorable day. Couldn't have asked for better person to be there before us & God while I marry my best friend. Thank u again Bill for an amazing ceremony!!! Wedding: 06/07/2015

Kat said...

Me and Paolo found Pastor Bill through wedding wire, at first I was a bit hesitant to contact him, I was just intimidated by the fact that I will be talking to a pastor whom we've never met before. But after talking to him over the phone and exchanging emails, specially after we met him and talked to him in person, he made us feel at ease. He is very passionate on what he do, he is very much interested, and a genuine person. We would also recommend to take part on his relationship coaching materials, it help us see our weakness, which we didn't know we have. On the day of our wedding, he made time to meet and mingle with our family members. Everyone love how he ran our ceremony, his words are heartfelt. He is such a blessing to me and Paolo. Wedding: 06/06/2015

Bobby said...

Pastor Bill was an invaluable resource in both preparing and officiating our wedding. We underwent a cross-country move from Washington, DC to Arizona in the middle of our wedding planning and despite living in San Diego, Pastor Bill was flexible and understanding every step of the way. Despite not meeting face-to-face a couple days prior to the ceremony, our weekly Skype calls prior had us well acquainted in time for our big day. His pre-marriage counseling was invaluable and he used those sessions to weave facts and observations about us seamlessly into his sermon beautifully. Not only we were we thrilled with his work, he impressed everyone who attended our wedding too!

Wedding: 05/30/2015

Thomas said...

Spoken quite simply Pastor Bill should be at the top of your list when considering who will officiate your ceremony. In the chaos of planning out our wedding, two months before the ceremony we realized that we forgot one of the most important pieces. Who was going to marry us? After searching the entirety of weddingwire.com we began corresponding with a few officiants, but was far and away impressed by Pastor Bill's approach and ease in conversing. After we made our choice we began getting to know one another, and after only one meeting and a few

correspondence it was like we had known each other forever. We didn't have a coordinator and hadn't planned a wedding ceremony before, but at the rehearsal we followed his lead and felt confident that we could pull off the perfect ceremony the next day. That confidence was not misplaced as the day went off without a hitch. He kept the ceremony light and joyous. Afterwards everyone we spoke to at the ceremony could not stop giving us compliments as to how he lead the ceremony and added so much to our perfect day. Even weeks later we are still getting compliments about the job he did in making our special day all the more special. From this day forward when we speak to anyone looking for an officiant we will always recommend Pastor BIII. Wedding: 03/21/2015

Shannon said...

We live in Seattle and our wedding was in San Marcos, Ca so we looked on Wedding Wire to find a Pastor who was professional, genuine, and not cheesy! We found Pastor Bill through all the great reviews and he was exactly what we were looking for! We contacted him and he responded quickly. Since we live in Seattle, we didn't have a chance to meet him until our rehearsal but we did speak on the phone a few times. We talked about us, our relationship, and he sent us a packet of personal questions we had to fill out individually. Not going to lie, we were nervous having a Pastor marry us that didn't know us or had ever met us, but Pastor Bill did an incredible job! He came to the rehearsal and it totally made us feel at ease! He came early on our wedding day and had a chat with us and even mingled with our family and wedding party. He did an outstanding job at our ceremony! He was heartfelt, genuine and it felt like he had known us for a long time! So many people came up to us after the wedding and commented on how lovely the ceremony was and how great Pastor Bill was. I would definitely recommend Pastor Bill to anyone getting married!

Wedding: 03/06/2015

Shannon said...

Ok so this review is way, way, waaay over due! We got married on March 6, 2015. We found Pastor Bill through Wedding Wire and we thank our lucky stars we found him! We live in Seattle but our wedding was in San Marcos, California. Pastor Bill was quick to respond and we had several phone conversations throughout our engagement since we were unable to meet in person. Right away we liked him! We met him on our rehearsal day and he did a great job coordinating the rehearsal ceremony! The day of, he was here early, mingling with our bridal party and guests. He is very personable and friendly and chimed perfectly with everyone. He did a wonderful job with our wedding ceremony! We wanted to be spiritual without being super religious and we wanted to share our own vows. He was perfect! He was sincere, genuine, funny but not cheesy, and I swear the ceremony felt like he had known us forever! Everyone made so many wonderful comments and compliments on Pastor Bill. He was very well liked by our guests and couldn't believe we had only met him the day before! Thank you so much to Pastor Bill for making our ceremony better than we could imagine!!

Wedding: 03/06/2015

Jeanette said...

Wow - what can I say. Always a bit of a risk hiring in a Pastor who you have never met before to get your 81 year Mom married but Pastor Bill was the most charming minister, who immediately put everyone at ease and provided a really intimate and wonderful service. I cannot recommend him highly enough.

Wedding: 01/02/2015

Jen said...

Pastor Bill is a lifesaver! He stepped in at the last minute for us, when our planned officiant had a medical emergency. We literally met Bill on Thursday, he came to our rehearsal on Friday, and married us on Saturday. In a very short time, he was able to gather information about us and put

together a beautiful ceremony that was personalized to who we are. I received many comments throughout the night of how lovely the ceremony was and how engaging Pastor Bill is as a speaker. Because he included so many personal thoughts about our relationship, he fooled everyone into thinking that we've known him a long time as a couple. All in all, our ceremony was seamless and we are so grateful to Pastor Bill for stepping in and giving us a genuine, personalized ceremony with only a couple days of preparation.

Wedding: 11/22/2014

Kristin said...

Pastor Bill Yaccino was absolutely wonderful, my husband and I would recommend him to anyone if they are in need of a wedding officiant! We both loved everything he said during our ceremony, it was the perfect mix of religious, personal, meaningful, and funny, we wouldn't change a thing! We also had so many compliments throughout the night about Pastor Bill, everyone else thought he was great too!

Wedding: 10/24/2014

Private User said...

Pastor Bill is great. I'm happy we went with him for our wedding ceremony. He did a lovely job. I highly recommend him. He is very easy to talk to and a very nice guy.

Wedding: 2+ years ago

Laura said...

Pastor Bill did an amazing job with our wedding. He was kind and open minded to our special requests. We aren't very religious and were hesitant at first meeting with Bill but he was polite and accommodating. Everyone keeps telling us how nice of ceremony we had and an amazing job Bill did. He went above and beyond. He kept in contact with us up to the moment we said our vows. He was on time (early) for the ceremony, talked to us before the ceremony, and followed up with us after. Would definitely use him again for a vow renewal.

Wedding: 08/08/2014

Elizabeth said...

When we first met Pastor Bill Yaccino a year ago, it was such a pleasant surprise how comfortable he made us feel and how genuinely interested in how we met, what our interests were, all about us, and more. Obviously, this is a given for any Officiant in this type of profession, however it was a completely different feeling for us with Pastor Bill in regards to us knowing in our hearts that he really cared and was excited to play such a significant role in our wedding ceremony. He asked in depth questions of both of us, to get to know us personally, not only so that he could construct the perfect script for our big day, but also because it is important to him to advise all couples about marriage success. We would highly recommend you check out the couples check up, we found it extremely helpful and insightful. We also were impressed that thoughout the year, Pastor Bill would check in with us, wish us happy holidays, and let us know he was praying for us. It was so sweet and refreshing that even though our event was months away, he still took the time to check in on us. We decided to to have our ceremony geared towards a more traditional, Christian style. Our approach when planning the ceremony was to have a good mix of serious, humourous, and religious. Pastor Bill did the perfect balance of this, I was blown away at the altar with how it came to life, how tailored and unique it was for us. Not too much or too little of anything, it really did cater to, and was respectful of all different types of beliefs and backgrounds, which was across the board for our family and friends attending. We received numerous compliments from our guests on how touching and memorable it was. We had even debated writing our own vows, however with the verbiage that Pastor bill drafted, we thought this is perfect, this is exactly how we feel, and we couldn't say it any better. We are both so thankful and honored that Pastor Bill was our Officiant, hands down, the best decision for us! Wedding: 07/26/2014

Reb said...

Pastor Bill Yaccino did a great job as our wedding officiant! We were initially thinking about having a family friend officiate our wedding, but I am so glad that we went with Bill instead. When you hire Bill, you're not just hiring an officiant -- you're also hiring someone who will talk to you and craft a memorable ceremony, tailor-made for you and your families. Many people told us after the wedding that the ceremony was very touching and felt very warm and natural, and we can owe a lot of that to Bill! He was able to take our personal stories and readings that we liked, and weave them into an overall message of faith and love. He had "just the right amount" of sermon for us -- enough calling to scripture and prayer for our Catholic families, but not SO much that it would alienate our atheist/agnostic friends. Most of all, I really appreciated how reliable & flexible he was. Even with a lot of people running around and us changing our minds about the ceremony *mere hours* before it began, he took it all in stride and gave us a polished ceremony. Highly recommended!

Wedding: 06/28/2014

Private User said...

Pastor Bill was AWESOME. The ceremony started off on the right foot with Bill and his kind words which were very moving. The entire ceremony was very memorable and it was like he knew us for years. Bill made our wonderful day even more memorable than we anticipated. He calmed our nerves while on the altar and brought a great start to our joyous day. KWW & BMW Wedding: 2+ years ago

MaLinda said...

As a wedding coordinator, I have had the absolute privilege to work with Pastor Bill Yaccino on a couple of weddings - one of which, I was the one who referred him to my client because he is so fantastic. I will continue to refer him out to anyone I know who is looking for a great officiate. Pastor Bill is professional, SUPER friendly, SUPER helpful, very laid-back, and he has a way of really bringing the LOVE out in wedding ceremonies - and making it shine. He's also very funny in all the right moments, and serious when he needs to be. He will bring every element to the table that you will need to make your wedding day one you and your guests will not forget. It was a joy to work with him, and I look forward to more opportunities to do so!

Robyn said...

Pastor Bill did a fabulous job with our wedding! He was professional, sincere and made everyone feel comfortable. He cares about the couples he marries and is down to earth. He wasn't too preachy, but did a great job at weaving our faith into the ceremony. You can't go wrong with Bill! Wedding: 06/07/2014

Jenny said...

Pastor Bill did a fabulous job at officiating our wedding. He was kind enough to council us ahead of time and we enjoyed taking his recommended compatibility test. He took the extra time to get to know us, how we met, our likes, and dislikes, etc. in order to provide an very customized and special wedding ceremony. He seemed to enjoy performing the ceremony as much as we enjoyed getting married. He was sincere and awesome. We just loved him and I would recommend Pastor Bill for any wedding ceremony. We can't imagine having anyone else officiate our wedding. Thank you Pastor Bill. Jenny & Bob 5/5/2014

Wedding: 05/05/2014

Darya said...

My husband and I were looking to find an officiant that would be able to speak eloquently at our wedding and be able to personalize our ceremony without knowing us for too long. Pastor Bill was able to do both of these things! He was recommended to us by our venue (Carmel Mountain

Ranch Country Club) and as both my husband and I are not very religious, we were at first, a bit hesitant to contact a Pastor to perform our ceremony. All of our fears were put to rest the moment we met with Pastor Bill. He made us feel very comfortable and was very flexible in re-wording some of the more traditional portions of the ceremony to adapt to our preferences. The officiant was the last vendor we booked but it was not until we met and spoke with Pastor Bill that the reality of getting married set in and he couldn't have been more kind and gracious about helping us with the most important day of our lives! I would definitely recommend Pastor Bill to anybody looking to find a kind, thoughtful officiant who is willing to work with you to ensure that your ceremony is exactly what you want it to be.

Wedding: 03/30/2014

Rachel said...

I don't get to do this enough for the vendors I love! I am a wedding coordinator in San Diego. I deal with hundreds of vendors every year, and when a good one comes my way I really want to let them know! Having a great team of vendors for your wedding is very important, not only for the bride and groom, but also for the vendor team as a whole. The better each individual vendor is the better the whole team performs. Pastor Bill was just amazing for my bride Chelsea who got married on 1/04/14 at the Hotel Del. He responded to all my emails prior to the wedding very promptly. He gave me all the ceremony details ahead of time so I had a copy of them. He even called on the wedding day to check in and let me know he was arriving early. These are just the things that he did amazingly for me, but he also was fantastic for Chelsea and Robert. They really enjoyed working with him, and were so happy with how the whole ceremony went. I would recommend Pastor Bill in a heartbeat!

Wedding: 01/04/2014

Rizalyne said...

This officiant takes the time to get to know you and customize your ceremony based on the intimate details you share with him. He gave us a wedding ceremony to remember. Everyone was complimenting our ceremony and we all loved his special touch including all the guests that were able to witness th special. I felt like i fell in love with Frank all over again and it was definitely his words that had something to do with me crying at my own wedding and i seriously do not cry at weddings. His services really touched our hearts including my family members who also shared that the ceremony also made them cry. My husband and I will forever remember the best day of our lives and the well thought out and customized ceremony. Quality for an excellent price! Wedding: 11/10/2013

Private User said...

Pastor Bill, Leila and I would both like to thank you for making our wedding day so memorable filled with love and support. You really honored us at the ceremony as we anticipated you would! So many of our friends and family still compliment you for making it such a personable experienced expressing love, faith and family into our new life together! Love, Byron & Leila Wedding: 2+ years ago

Kat said...

Pastor Bill was such a blessing! He was so personal, genuine, & funny. Greg and I were very pleased with Pastor Bill as our officiant for our wedding. He kept God in the center of everything! Many of our guest told us how they LOVED the ceremony, and that "your Pastor was so good!" Thank you again Pastor Bill, we will always remember your words at our ceremony. Love, Kat & Greg Christmas

Wedding: 09/14/2013

Karyn said...

We were very happy with Pastor Bill's services and would be more than happy to recommend him to our newly engaged friends! During our search in finding an officiant for our wedding, we stumbled across Pastor Bill's amazing reviews. We live in Chicago, IL but our wedding was in Chula Vista, CA so much of our correspondence was over the phone and by email. Because he is such a warm, kind and easy-going person, we felt very comfortable with him immediately! We wanted to incorporate a few of our cultural traditions at the ceremony so Pastor Bill happily obliged, researched them and made it happen!

Wedding: 09/07/2013

Michelle said...

Pastor Bill officiated at our daughter's wedding and it was simply wonderful! Very personal and heartfelt...loved every word spoken. Everyone at the wedding commented on the beautiful service!! Thank you so much Pastor Bill...such lovely memories we will cherish forever! Wedding: 07/27/2013

Valerie said...

Pastor Bill was awesome! He met with us several times and is a super nice guy! He got to know us and made out ceremony one to remember! It could have not gone more smooth, he made it perfect! Everything we wanted included, or vows we wrote to each other, all the small ideas and touches he put on the entire ceremony were perfect! Thank you so much Pastor Bill! Highly recommend him, and absolute stand out guy! Val & Randy 7/20/13

Wedding: 07/20/2013

Ciesielski said...

Pastor Bill Yaccino performed our ceremony on September 29th at the Morton Arboretum, Lisle, Illinois. He arrived early, greeted our guests, organized the bridal party, and gave attention to detail. His service was just what we were looking for. A bit religious with some personal details with enough humor to keep our guest guessing if we really just met him or if we had know Pastor Bill for a long time. Pastor Bill even stayed after the ceremony to talk with our guests. His polite manner and easy to fill out survey sheets made Pastor Bill an easy choice for us. Pastor Bill also takes care of sending in the marriage certificate in a prompt manner. Our arrived within the week. Very professional, friendly, and well mannered. Thank you for making our ceremony a dream come true.

Wedding: 09/29/2012

Michelle said...

Pastor Bill went above and beyond to make our wedding day so incredibly memorable!! He went out of his way to meet with us to get to know us as individuals and as a couple before the wedding and then called to check in a few times before the actual wedding day. The wedding ceremony was so much more than we could have imagined. Pastor Bill made it so personal that a lot of our guests could not believe that we had not known him for years! Everyone, including us, was beyond impressed with Pastor Bill. We would not hesitate to recommend him to anyone! Wedding: 06/30/2012

Michelle said...

Pastor Bill Yaccino served as officiant for my 5-18-2012 wedding at Danada House in Wheaton, IL. He was a pleasure to work with... offered us advice, met with us to review our wedding plans, and was extremely accommodating. He is extremely passionate about working with couples and comes highly recommended!

Wedding: 05/18/2012