

## Dear Bride & Groom:

Congratulations on your decision to “tie the knot”! For over 32 years, I have performed hundreds of wedding ceremonies and helped couples start off right! If you do not have a Wedding Minister at this time and would like additional information about my services, I would love to chat with you. Some of the things I offer and value about weddings are:

- The minister has an important role that needs to allow the family to relax and enjoy the day, while providing professional services that highlight the importance of the day.
- Humor and a personal touch make for a world of difference in a wedding. I don't do “cheesy” weddings!
- I serve couples best by helping them plan exactly the type of ceremony they desire, not a prescribed script that I force on them.
- I am happy to perform weddings indoors or outdoors, formal or informal, long or short – all depending on the preference of the couple.
- Prior to the wedding, many couples desire to invest in Marriage Preparation that seeks to solidify and prepare the couple for a stronger, healthier marriage. I offer coaching and resources so you can do this on your own.
- I have been in fulltime Christian ministry for over 32 years, and am a licensed pastoral minister currently serving in the Chicago area.

Here are the wedding services I offer:

Ceremony Officiant (\$950; reduced fees on case-by-case basis) This includes as many meetings as needed with the couple to get acquainted and plan a wedding celebration that is memorable, meaningful, and fun! Time is also spent discussing wedding ceremony ideas and flow. This includes the day of wedding services – I always arrive early! Please include parking if the venue requires off street parking, and/or travel allowance if greater than 1 hour travel.

Rehearsal Coordinator (Optional \$200) Some couples need help at a rehearsal to plan and coordinate placement, sequence of events, etc. In some cases, the facility or hall you are married in has a coordinator, but not always.

Marriage Preparation Because I highly recommend using the SYMBIS Assessment ([www.symbis.com](http://www.symbis.com)) - an online tool you can use in the privacy of your own home on your time. SYMBIS gives you an in-depth look at your relationships strengths and growth areas. You can get immediate access to your “Marriage Action Plan”. Go to [www.symbisassessment.com](http://www.symbisassessment.com) to get started - and email me so I can send you an invitation to take the assessment. It's a great way to prepare for the joy and challenges of marriage! I enjoy spending face-to-face time with couples in 2 or 3 session follow up coaching! (optional \$350)

If you would like additional information, or would like to set up a time to meet, please visit my website. You will find some comments from couples I have served recently. I look forward to hearing from you soon. And again, congratulations! Enjoy the journey!

Sincerely,

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