



Wedding Ceremony of
Allan and Alison
On **December 04, 2016**

With great joy, we come together to join **Allan** and **Alison** in marriage.

This marriage is an event in the lifetime of a love. Neither I, nor all society, can join these two lovers today. Only they can do what they have chosen. They are joining themselves, each to the other. As they find union with one another, they proclaim that union today and pledge its future. We, by our participation in this celebration, recognize and honor their intention to dwell together as husband and wife.

Please turn and face each other.

Allan, please repeat after me:

I promise you **Alison**, that I will be your loving and loyal husband from now on. – I will share with you all of life's joy and sorrow, - pleasure and pain, - until death parts us.

Alison, please repeat after me:

I promise you **Allan**, that I will be your loving and loyal wife from now on. – I will share with you all of life's joy and sorrow, - pleasure and pain, - until death parts us.

Each of you has a ring for the other. You may place the ring on each other's finger.

As a ceaseless reminder of this hour, and of the promise you have made to each other, these rings also speak of the oneness you now experience as husband and wife.

Now you will feel no rain, for each of you will be shelter for the other. Now you will feel no cold, for each of you will be warmth to the other. Now you will feel no loneliness, for each of you will be a companion to the other. Now you are two bodies, but there is only one life before you.

And may your days be good and long upon the earth.

Because they have so affirmed, in love and knowledge of the other, so also do I declare that **Allan** and **Alison** are now husband and wife.

You may kiss the bride.

It is an honor for me to be the first to present to you Mr. and Mrs. **Emery!**