



Renewal of Vows Ceremony of
«**Bride**» and «**Groom**» «**Last Name**»
On «**Renewal of Vows Date**»

Marriage is a journey – not a destination. It is the joining of two lives, while retaining the uniqueness of two personalities.

«**Groom**» and «**Bride**» are taking a break on that journey to renew their commitment to each other.

Marriage is an enriching experience that strengthens both husband and wife and allows them to face the world together.

«**Groom**» and «**Bride**», do you vow to be life partners, to adjust to each other, and to support each other, in health and in sickness, in joy and in sadness, in good times and bad?

«**Groom**» & «**Bride**» together: We do.

Life was given to each of you as individuals, you have learned to live together in harmony.

You have learned how to love each other and how to be loved in return.

Learning to love and live together is a challenge; one that you have willingly shared.

Shared challenges are a goal of all good marriages.

«**Groom**», please repeat after me:

«**Bride**», as much as I loved you – when I first made vows – to be your wedded husband, - the years we have spent together – have only made me love you more.

I promise to love you more each day - for the rest of my life.

«**Bride**», please repeat after me:

«**Groom**», as much as I loved you – when I first made vows – to be your wedded wife, - the years we have spent together – have only made me love you more.

I promise to love you more each day - for the rest of my life.

Today you begin your life anew and yet again take on new roles as life partners. Take heed to the words of an old Apache blessing:

“Now you will see no rain, for each of you will be shelter for the other.

Now you will feel no cold, for each of you will be the warmth for the other.

Now you are two persons, but there is only one life before you.

Go now to your dwelling to enter into the days of your life together.

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

«**Groom**» and «**Bride**», in so much as the two of you have agreed to continue living together in matrimony, have promised again to be life partners, and to love each other more each day, I declare you once again husband and wife.

Congratulations, you may kiss the bride.