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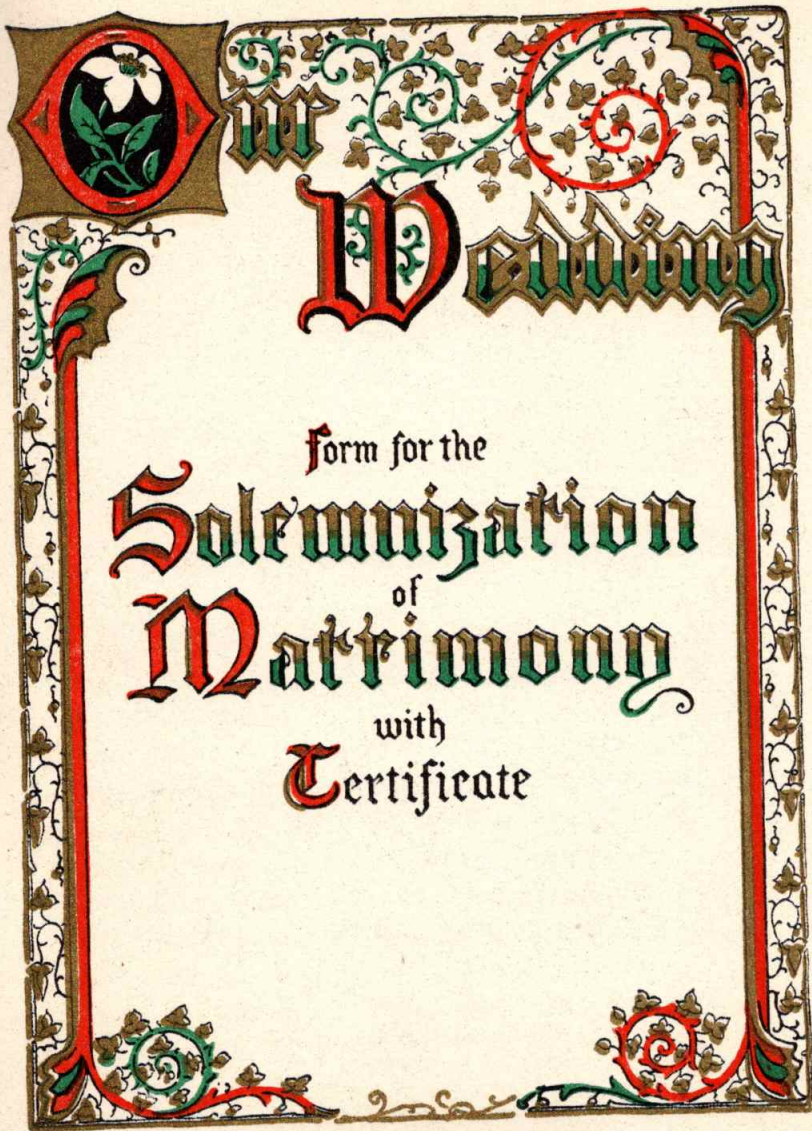
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Form for the
Solemnization
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The Order for the
Solemnization of Matrimony

*¶ At the time appointed, the persons to be married—
having been qualified according to the law of the state
and the standards of the church—standing together
facing the minister, the man at the minister's left hand
and the woman at the right, the minister shall say:*

Dearely beloved, we are gathered here in the sight of God, and in the presence of these witnesses, to join together this man and this woman in holy matrimony; which is an honorable estate, instituted of God, and signifying unto us the mystical union which exists between Christ and his Church; which holy estate Christ adorned and beautified with his presence in Cana of Galilee. It is therefore not to be entered into unadvisedly, but reverently, discreetly, and in the fear of God. Into this holy estate these two persons come now to be joined.

¶ Speaking to the persons to be married, the minister shall say:

I require and charge you both, as you stand in the presence of God, to remember that love and loyalty alone will avail as the foundation of a happy and enduring home. No other human ties are more tender, no other vows more sacred than those you now assume. If these solemn vows be kept inviolate, and if steadfastly you endeavor to do the will of your heavenly Father, your life will be full of joy, and the home which you are establishing will abide in peace.

¶ Then shall the minister say to the man, using his Christian name:

_____, wilt thou have this woman to be thy wedded wife, to live together in the holy estate of matrimony? Wilt thou love her, comfort her, honor and keep her, in sickness and in health; and forsaking all other keep thee only unto her, so long as ye both shall live?

¶ The man shall answer:

I will.

¶ *Then shall the minister say to the woman, using her Christian name:*

_____, wilt thou have this man to be thy wedded husband, to live together in the holy estate of matrimony? Wilt thou love him, comfort him, honor and keep him, in sickness and in health; and forsaking all other keep thee only unto him, so long as ye both shall live?

¶ *The woman shall answer:*

I will.

¶ *Then may the minister say:*

Who giveth this woman to be married to this man?

¶ *The father of the woman, or whoever giveth her in marriage, shall answer:*

I do.

¶ *Then the minister (receiving the hand of the woman from her father or other sponsor) shall cause the man with his right hand to take the woman by her right hand, and say after him:*

I _____, take thee,
_____, to be my
wedded wife, to have and to hold, from this day
forward, for better, for worse, for richer, for
poorer, in sickness and in health, to love and to
cherish, till death us do part, according to God's
holy ordinance; and thereto I plight thee my troth.

*¶ Then shall they loose their hands; and the woman,
with her right hand taking the man by his right hand,
shall say after the minister:*

I _____, take thee,
_____, to be my
wedded husband, to have and to hold, from this
day forward, for better, for worse, for richer, for
poorer, in sickness and in health, to love and to
cherish, till death us do part, according to God's
holy ordinance; and thereto I plight thee my troth.

*¶ Then shall they again loose their hands; and the man
may give unto the woman a ring, on this wise: the
minister, taking the ring, shall say:*

This ring is an outward and visible sign of an
inward and spiritual grace, signifying unto
all the uniting of this man and this woman in
holy matrimony, through the Church of Jesus
Christ our Lord.

¶ Then the minister may say:

Let us pray.

Bless, O Lord, the giving of this ring, that he who gives it and she who wears it may abide forever in thy peace, and continue in thy labor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

¶ The minister shall then deliver the ring to the man to put upon the third finger of the woman's left hand. The man, holding the ring there, shall say after the minister:

In token and pledge of the bow between us made, with this ring I thee wed; in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

¶ In case of a double-ring ceremony, the minister shall deliver the other ring to the woman to put upon the third finger of the man's left hand; and the woman, holding the ring there, shall say after the minister:

In token and pledge of the bow between us made, with this ring I thee wed; in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

¶ Then shall the minister say:

Let us pray.

O eternal God, creator and preserver of all mankind, giver of all spiritual grace, the author of everlasting life; send thy blessing upon this man and this woman, whom we bless in thy name; that they may surely perform and keep the vow and covenant between them made, and may ever remain in perfect love and peace together, and live according to thy laws.

Look graciously upon them, that they may love, honor, and cherish each other, and so live together in faithfulness and patience, in wisdom and true godliness, that their home may be a haven of blessing and a place of peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

¶ Then shall the minister join their right hands together and with his hand on their united hands shall say:

Forasmuch as _____
and _____ have
consented together in holy wedlock, and have witnessed the same before God and this company, and thereto have pledged their troth each to the other, and have declared the same by joining hands, and by giving and receiving a ring; I pronounce that they are husband and wife together, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Those whom God hath joined together, let not man put asunder. Amen.

¶ Then, the husband and wife kneeling, the minister shall say:

Let us pray.

Gur Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

¶ Then shall the minister add this blessing:

God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless, preserve, and keep you; the Lord graciously with his favor look upon you, and so fill you with all spiritual benediction and love that you may so live together in this life that in the world to come you may have life everlasting. Amen.



What therefore **God** hath
joined together, let not
man put asunder.

Mark 10. 9.

Certificate
of **M**arriage

Be it known that
on the 21st day of August
in the Year of our Lord 1948

Raymond J. Tomaszewski
and
Kathryn R. Randall
were by me

United in **M**arriage

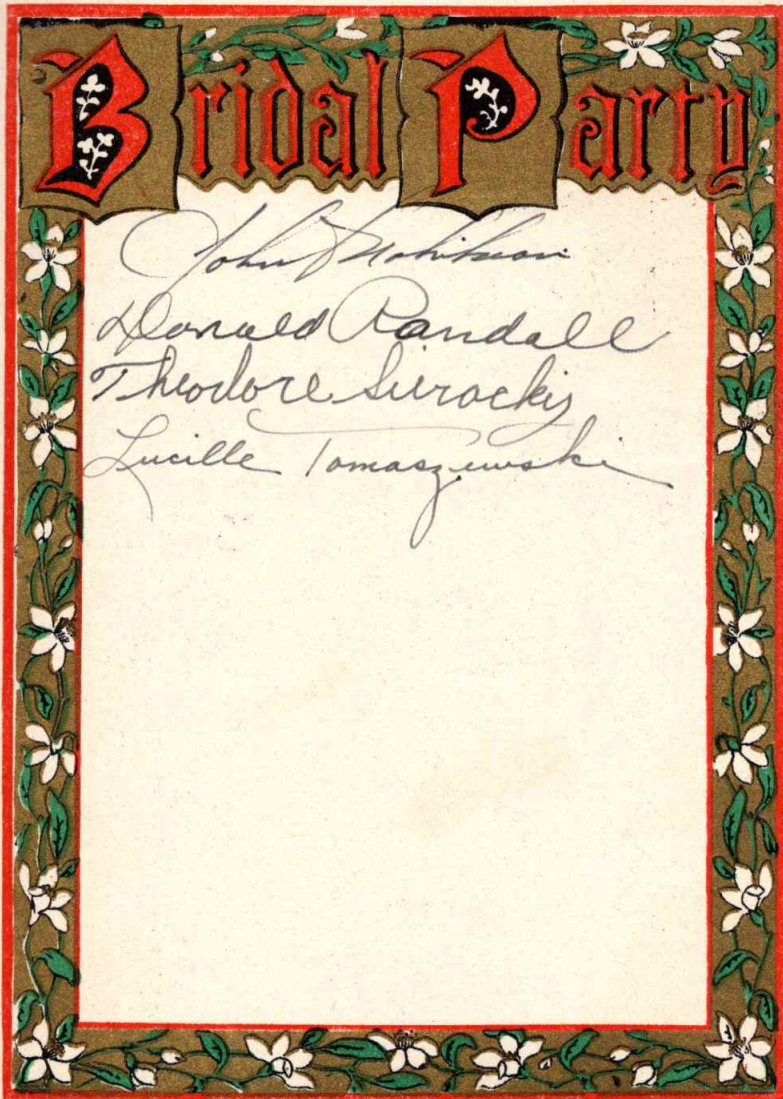
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Michigan
at Rochester

Richard O'Leary

Witnesses Lucille A. Tomaszewski
Donald H. Randall

What is there in the vale of life
Half so delightful as a wife
When friendship, love, and peace combine
To stamp the marriage bond divine?
The stream of pure and genuine love
Derives its current from above,
And earth a second Eden shows
Where'er the healing water flows."
Cowper.



Bridal Party

John Hobbs
Donald Randall
Theodore Sierocki
Lucille Tomaszewski

As unto the bow the cord is,
So unto the man is woman,
Though she bends him, she obeys him.
Though she draws him, yet she follows;
Useless each without the other."
Longfellow.

Congratulations
of Guests

Lois Lamb
Joyce Lamb
John R. Lamb
Mr. and Mrs. Lansing Gilbert
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brown
Mr. and Mrs. James Jonker
Eddie & Annie Jonker
Mr. and Mrs. Levi Strong & Janet
Mr. and Mrs. Don Litchell
Mrs. H. Murawski
Mr. and Mrs. Florian Sohan
and Flora Jean
Mrs. Ross W. Zeffe
Genevieve Janet Paer
Ghea Janet Paer

Congratulations
to our Guests

Margaret Peters
W. Woodworth
Mary and Fyle Berry
Betty Hall
Claude Hall
Tom Hall
Mr and Mrs. Morse
Nancy Morse
Frances Wolven
Reva Randall
Dorced Randall N D
Jack Judy

Booby

Congratulations
of Guests

J. M. Fabrick
Mrs. S. M. Fabrick
Mr. + Mrs. H. V. Tolson
Georgia S. Hyde
Grace Mathews
Edna H. Haner
Mrs. L. R. Brink
Myrtle Mae Miller
Frank + Ernest Swankle
Pat Green
Mary Lou Cooper
Arnold La¹⁰⁰⁰mere
Dick "zeke" Moberg
Paul ~~Ann~~ Manning
~~Wickup~~

Congratulations
of Guests

Joan Van't Poer
Barbara Sunnock
Elnema Sabo
Robert Sparrow
Earl & June Woodworth
Mrs. E. M. Hubbard
Mrs. Valer Bellinger Marilyn
Mrs. Samuel Young & Gloria Jean

