

How does the process of hiring you usually work?

Step one: You email me the form on my website or call me and we “connect”.

Step two: If I'm available for your wedding, we set up a time for the 3 of us to meet.

Step three: After our meeting, you can pay a deposit & sign a contract which reserves your wedding date with me.

Step four: Short answer -I take care of the rest and you have a stellar wedding!

Note: For last-minute or elopement weddings, we usually don't meet (planning happens over the phone)

What do we do when we meet for the first time?

My goal when we meet is for us to get to know each other and discuss your wedding. At the end of our time, you will know what your wedding will look like, sound like, feel like, etc., if I officiate it. Therefore, you will know if you want to move forward with me.

How long have you been officiating weddings?

I think I officiated my first wedding sometime around 2001-ish. As a licensed minister/pastor I can legally marry people. I have performed around a 100 ceremonies of various styles, sizes, components and wishes.

What do you wear?

I wear a black suit and tie.

Do you attend the rehearsal?

I can attend the rehearsal if you need me to lead it or just want me there. I charge an additional fee for this (as most officiants do) but will be honest about whether I need to be there or not. In most cases I don't. I explain this when we meet.

What type of clients/weddings do you most find yourself working with?

I mostly work with younger couples getting married -those in their 20's & 30's. However, I have great success with any couple that desires a thorough & professional wedding, with a relational & personal approach.

Most of the couples I marry are not very religious or apart of a church. They are looking for a ceremony that highlights their love for each other and value/desire to be married.

Do you get the marriage license or us?

You both have to get the marriage license together. I send part of it in to the state after your ceremony. Go to this site for more info: <http://www.clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov/marlic.asp> I also explain this process when we meet.

Do you offer Pre-Marital Preparation?

Yes. I use a great tool by “prepare-enrich” to help couples prepare for marriage by better understanding each other. For more info go here: <http://www.azofficiant.com/yourofficiant.html>