

Friends and relatives, Bride / Groom have invited us here to celebrate and witness one of the most exciting days of their lives. Today is the beginning of a brand new life for them, individually, and as a union that they have never before experienced. So we come together to be an essential part of this most happy, and holy occasion, and above all to support this beautiful new life together.

We were invited here to share this opportunity and express this joy in all ways. Let's join them in word, play dance and song so that the love and joy of this day will be magnified and offered as a wonderful symbol of this union. This day is the result of the agreement of the hearts of this couple, or ministers and magistrates would be powerless to act for we do not marry souls. It is the Spirit within them that makes this marriage, but it is fitting that an outer acknowledgement, and celebration witness this occasion.

Bride / Groom Marriage is a great adventure as well as an expression of our love. It requires all of our being. Our minds must be like elastic, expanding beyond the place where we are now. We learn to keep our mind open so that each new day we are willing to see our partner new and different, grown beyond yesterday, to see them change, and see ourselves grow and change as well. Not like each other, but growing in expansive, dynamic ways.

All of the preparation for today is just the beginning. Much like all the events in our life, getting ready for a new home, or school; you search, purchase, plan, etc. you get the pencil case, the colors, find the bus stop; but you haven't attended one day of school. You have a lot to learn and love. Begin by letting go of the ideas and opinions of society, friends and others. This is the first day of your married life together, lets find all the wonderful, powerful, potential possibilities that this beautiful union expresses.

We thank Infinite Spirit for your opportunity to pray together, and for all those placed in your love and care, as you share your bodies, your place, your time, your love and your energy. You will always have Spirit with you as your very best friend, your perfect guide, your greatest advocate. The Spirit of Goodness is with you now and remains forever. Practice taking time to get acquainted, listen and commune with this Spirit. Turn off the radio, take a minute before you go to sleep and just LISTEN. Each step of your infinite journey will be a well lighted path, a blessing if you learn to listen to the best source for all of your questions. It is there for you right now. Listen!!!!

Remember, you have chosen marriage and only as you are willing to grow and change together will that relationship continue to reward you. The commitment to the relationship remains constant.