

# Dr. Seuss Wedding Ceremony

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Officiant:

Welcome- welcome everyone!

We've come together to have some fun!

Gather 'round and we'll start this attraction-

Cue the music- LIGHTS! CAMERA! ACTION!

(music plays as Bride & Groom walks to us)

Let me make it clear why we've come here today

There's two people in love who have something to say!

This man and this woman have been talking a lot

Their decision's been made to now tie the knot.

They want family and friends, even strangers to hear

They've chosen this time- on this day- in this year.

So we've gathered together to witness their vows

And join them in marriage as our law allows.

The Bride and the Groom have come a long way  
Not just in distance to get here today.

As unique as a seashell, as deep as the sea-  
They have truly a love that's meant to be!

Soul-mates and best friends in the garden of life  
They wish now to become husband and wife!

Will both of you answer me right now,  
These questions as your wedding vows?

BOTH:

Yes we will answer you right now  
Your questions as our wedding vows-

Officiant:

Will you love him if he's rich?

Will you love her in a ditch?

From today til time does end-  
And be each other's true best friend?

BRIDE: Yes~ I will love him if he's rich

GROOM: And I will love her in a ditch.

BOTH: From today until the end of time

GROOM: I'll be hers

BRIDE: And he'll be mine

Officiant:

Will you Bride love Groom for rich or poor?

Will you love with all your heart?

Will you love til death do part?

Will you love through good and bad?

Even in times, be they happy or sad?

BRIDE: I will love him through good and bad  
I will love for rich or poor  
And in times happy or sad  
I will love him til the end  
Because he's truly my best friend.

Officiant:

Will you, Groom, take Bride as your wife  
and love her and hold her your entire life?  
From this day on and ever more  
No matter what life has in store?

GROOM:

Yes, I will have and I will hold  
Just as I've already told,  
Yes, I will love her all my life,  
Yes, I will take her as my wife!

Officiant:

Then if you'll both have, and if you'll both hold,  
From now until the stars grow cold,

And if you'll love through good and bad,

And whether you're happy or sad,

And love in sickness, and in health,

And when you're poor, and when in wealth,

And if you'll love with all your heart,

From now until death do you part,

And if you'll love each other through

and through,

Please answer with these words:

I DO!

Bride: I DO!

Groom: I DO!

Officiant yells:

THEY DO! ... YAHOO!

We need to continue with a few more things,  
So let's proceed- May I have the rings?

Groom- place this ring on Bride's finger

And repeat after me:

To you my dear, I give this ring,  
for it is special, not just bling,  
wear it proud, as you have vowed,  
for you are mine, til the end of time.

(put ring on brides finger)

Bride- place this ring on Groom's finger

And repeat after me:

To you my love, I give this ring,  
For it's your sweet love, that makes me sing,

And now I give my heart so true,  
For the rest of my life, to be with you.

(put ring on grooms finger)

One last thing before you go-

I really want you both to know:

I wish you a life full of sunshine

hearts full of cheer-

And a love that grows deeper year after year!

Now I, by the authority vested in me,

Declare that husband and wife you shall be!

You're married now!

So kiss the bride-

But please, do keep it dignified!