

## **CIVIL CEREMONY #2**

***Minister:*** Groom and Bride, today you celebrate one of life's greatest moments and give recognition to the worth and beauties of love, as you join together in vows of marriage.

**GROOM:** (BRIDE), I take you to be my lawfully wedded wife. Before these witnesses, I vow to love you and care for you as long as we both shall live. I take you, with all your faults and your strengths, as I offer myself to you with all my faults and my strengths. I will help you when you need help, and will turn to you when I need help. I choose you as the person with whom I will spend my life.

**Bride:** I do!

**BRIDE:** (GROOM), I take you to be my lawfully wedded Husband. Before these witnesses, I vow to love you and care for you as long as we both shall live. I take you, with all your faults and your strengths, as I offer myself to you with all my faults and my strengths. I will help you when you need help, and will turn to you when I need help. I choose you as the person with whom I will spend my life.

**GROOM:** I do!

Groom and Bride, in so much as the two of you have agreed to live together in Matrimony, have promised your love for each other by these vows, I now declare you to be Husband and Wife!

**You may kiss your bride!!**