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*Photography Services for the Land of Enchantment Wedding Package with Embracing Ceremony*

This agreement is between \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, and Poetic Images by Deanna, hereinafter referred to as "Clients," and "Photographer." Clients are retaining Photographer to photograph their wedding and edit the photographs. This contract contains the entire understanding between Poetic Images and Client.

Date of Wedding:	<u>Spouse 2</u>
Ceremony Start Time:	Name:
Photographer's (Discussed) Official Start Time:	Mailing Address:
Ceremony Location/Address:	Email:
	Phone:

<u>Spouse 1</u>	
Name:	<u>Additional Contact</u>
Mailing Address:	Name:
Email:	Mobile Number:
Phone:	

**Pre-Wedding Consultation:** The parties agree to a pre-event consultation to finalize details (shooting time, location changes, etc). We will contact you by phone the week of the wedding to ensure that there have been no last minute changes. The start time for the event cannot be changed within 48 hours of the wedding.

**Cooperation and Communication:** The Clients and the Photographer consent to happily cooperating and communicating with each other to achieve the best possible result within the understanding of this contract. The Clients also agree to give the Photographer sufficient warning of key events at the wedding to give the Photographer time to prepare. e.g. butterfly release, bouquet throwing, cake cutting, speeches, etc. Client understands that while the Photographer makes all best efforts, no particular photograph of any single moment or individual is guaranteed and that not all guests will be photographed. Also note that not all guests at weddings like having their photo taken. In such cases the Photographer will use her discretion but cannot be held responsible for a lack of photos of these people.

**Shot List:** A shot list of all family formal combinations is highly recommended. Not only will a formal shot list ensure that no family formals are missed, but it will also allow for that portion of the day to run as smoothly and as efficient as possible.

**The Schedule:** Our shooting schedule, style of working, and experience are designed to achieve a great set of wedding photos for the Clients, accomplished with good humor and enjoyed by all concerned. Both the Clients and the Photographer therefore agree that punctuality and cheerful cooperation are essential to producing outstanding photographic results. In cases where the wedding does not run on time (for example, extreme lateness by one of the Clients) we cannot guarantee to take our normal set of photos although in such circumstances we will do our absolute best to compensate.

**Harassment:** The Clients, their immediate family members, and the Event Guide, shall make sure that their guests treat the Photographer with utmost respect and dignity. Use of any foul language or any kind of harassment whether it be oral or physical shall entitle the Photographer to forthwith terminate the contract without being liable to give any notice or refund. This shall be in addition to any civil/criminal relief available to the Photographer.

**Paparazzi Wedding Guests:** All your guests will have phones and digital cameras and all your guests will want to photograph the Clients. In the spirit of cheerful cooperation the Clients agree to give the Photographers precedence over the guests in order to take the photographs required for the wedding services described above. We cannot be held liable for a lack of wedding photos if guests taking their own photos of the Clients continually interrupt the Photographer's work.

**Photography Time:** The Photography Time is the one hour minimum time Photographer will spend photographing. This time is continuous and commences at Photographer's "Official Start Time" stated in this contract regardless of actual start time at event. If event ends early for any reason or if Photographer is asked to stop photographing by Client or prior to time being completed, a refund will not be due to the Client. Photographer will provide additional photography time at the request of the Client at the Extra Photography Time Rate in no less than half hour increments.

**Copyright Law:** The copyright of photographs remains with the Photographer. The Photographer grants the Clients permission to make copies of the images provided by Photographer. The images taken by the Photographer are for personal use by the Clients and their friends and relatives. Sale, publication or any commercial use of the photographs is not allowed without prior written permission from the Photographer.

**Model Release:** The Clients grant the Photographer and its legal representatives, heirs and assigns, the irrevocable and unlimited consent to use the photographs of the Clients for editorial, competition, advertising and any other purpose and in any manner, to alter the photographs without restriction; and to copyright the images. The Clients hereby release the Photographer and its legal representatives, heirs and assigns from all liability and claims in connection with the images.

**Limit of Liability:** In the unlikely event the Photographer is unable to provide the services described in this agreement for any reason including but not limited to, illness, injury, emergency, act of God, sudden event, or other circumstances beyond the control of Photographer, a substitute photographer may be sent without additional cost and this contract will be transferable to said photographer. If the Client declines the substitute photographer, the Client may instead terminate this agreement, and receive a full refund of all monies paid.

The Photographers have working methods in place to prevent loss or damage to your images. However, there is the unlikely possibility that images may be lost, stolen, or destroyed for reasons beyond our control. In these circumstances liability is limited to the return of fees paid for the service or part thereof according to the percentage of images supplied. In the event that any refunds are due under the terms of this contract, Photographer will issue refunds to the person/entity that paid.

**Overtime:** If the Clients package coverage is not sufficient, overtime may be purchased at a rate of \$125 per 30 minutes. All overtime fees must be paid in full prior to posting the photos for proofing and/or the release of the CD from the Photographer to the Clients.

Client's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_