

WEDDING VOWS RENEWAL

One of the unique and meaningful events that can strengthen a marriage is the renewal of wedding vows in a special ceremony. At the church building or in a private setting. Friends and family may be invited. The wife may want to wear her wedding gown, etc. It may occur with several couples sharing in the special occasion. Some plan a "second honeymoon." Here is a renewal ceremony I have used.

COUPLE: _____

DATE: _____

Reminder of 1 Corinthians 13, "Love is the greatest" (Read):

HUSBAND REPEATS TO WIFE:

_____, I reaffirm my commitment to you and our marriage vows, from this day forward.

I reaffirm my promise to love and cherish you, and stand by you 'till death parts us.

I promise to continually support you in sickness and in health, for better or worse, richer or poorer, in good times and in bad times.

I promise to continue to cling to you, never turning to anyone else, so help me God.

I reaffirm the meaning of my wedding ring. It is a symbolic reminder of my endless love and commitment to you and our marriage.

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WIFE REPEATS TO HUSBAND:

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PRAYER: (By person officiating, or husband in a single ceremony).

I pronounce that you are still husband and wife (You may kiss your wife, again)

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