

“No Frills Ceremony”

Welcome to the wedding of **Corey Smart and Alex Good.**

My name is James McDonald, Humanist Officiant, and I have the privilege of performing this ceremony today.

On behalf of Corey and Alex, thank you for sharing their special day.

We are gathered here to witness the formal joining of Corey Smart and Alex Good in legal matrimony according to custom and law.

Some words about love:

Love is not something you find. Love finds you.

What is the difference between I like you and I love you? When you like a flower, you pick it. When you love a flower, you water it every day.

You don't marry someone you can live with. You marry someone you *can't* live without.

First, we have **The Declaration**

Corey: Do you solemnly declare that you know of no legal impediment that prevents you from marrying Alex Good.

Corey: “I do.”

Alex: Do you solemnly declare that you know of no legal impediment that prevents you from marrying Corey Smart.

Alex: “I do.”

I invite you now to declare your **Intentions:**

Corey: Do you, Corey Smart, take Alex Good to be your lawfully wedded spouse.

Corey: “I do.”

Alex: Do you, Alex Good, take Corey Smart to be your lawfully wedded spouse.

Alex: “I do.”

The Rings

Corey, please place the ring on Alex's finger, and repeat after me:

Alex, I give you this ring that you may wear it as a lasting reminder of our marriage vows and as a symbol of my love and commitment to you.

Alex, please place the ring on Corey's finger, and repeat after me:

Corey, I give you this ring that you may wear it as a lasting reminder of our marriage vows and as a symbol of my love and commitment to you.

Pronouncement

Corey and Alex, you have consented in marriage, and have declared your solemn intentions before these witnesses and in my presence. Therefore:

I, James McDonald, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Humanist Association of Canada and the Marriage Act of the Province of Ontario, do hereby pronounce you, Corey Smart and Alex Good, to be lawfully married.

May you enjoy a lifetime of peace and contentment
as you live day-to-day as a loving married couple.

It is now my pleasure to introduce to you the married couple:
Corey and Alex!

Kiss

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