

## **Kaili and Bryan – July 19, 2015**

### **INTRODUCTION**

Good afternoon. My name is Melissa Taylor and I have the privilege of performing this wedding ceremony today.

We will begin by passing around Bryan and Kaili's wedding rings. I encourage you to accept them into your own hands with a silent wish for their future. The last person to make a wish may come forward at any time and return them to me.

Kaili and Bryan stand before you to declare their commitment to each other in front of their family and friends and to celebrate with you on this wonderful occasion. Many of you have given them much happiness, love, warmth, and guidance through the various stages of their lives. Thank you for joining them as we realize that some of you have travelled a great distance and all of you crazy people made time to be here on insanely short notice. For that, Kaili and Bryan will be forever thankful.

Before we begin we would like everyone to think of the loved ones who can't be with us today. They are with us in our memories and our hearts.

Together, Kaili and Bryan have gone off the beaten path in search of challenge and adventure. When they met, they were two people with big dreams, but no idea how to accomplish them. It is because of the support and love they have for each other they were able to rewrite their story and chase their dreams. As a team they started new careers, travelled 13 countries and moved across Canada. These accomplishments made them realize how lucky they are to have found one another and every day their love continues to grow.

### **INTENT**

Bryan, Do you take Kaili to be your wife from this day forward? To live together and to comfort her in times of need? Do you promise to build a life filled with love and laughter, sharing all that is to come? (*I will*)

Kaili, Do you take Bryan to be your husband from this day forward? To live together and to comfort him in times of need? Do you promise to build a life filled with love and laughter, sharing all that is to come? (*I will*)

### **VOWS**

Bryan and Kaili, we now come to your vows. May I remind you that saying your vows is important but nothing is more rewarding than living them day by day. What you promise today must be renewed tomorrow and each day that stretches out before you.

*Bryan's Personally Written Vows*

### *Kaili's Personally Written Vows*

Kaili and Bryan, keeping these vows in mind, please take each other's hands in your own and remember these words:

These are the hands of your best friend, young and strong and full of love for you, that are holding yours on your wedding day, as you promise to love each other today, tomorrow, and forever. These are the hands that will work alongside yours, as together you build your future. These are the hands that will hold you when fear or grief fills your mind. These are the hands that will countless times wipe the tears from your eyes; tears of sorrow, and tears of joy. In your final years, these are the hands that even when wrinkled and aged, will still be reaching for yours, still giving you the same unspoken bond with just a touch.

### **RINGS**

Can I please collect the rings?

**Bryan**, Please repeat after me: Kaili, with this ring/ as a symbol of my love/ I give you my heart now/, forever and for always.

**Kaili**, Please repeat after me: Bryan, with this ring/ as a symbol of my love/ I give you my heart now/, forever and for always.

### **PRONOUNCEMENT**

May the love that has brought you together continue to grow and enrich your lives. It is my honour to now pronounce you husband and wife. You may seal your vows with a kiss.

### **SIGNING OF REGISTER**

### **INTRO OF COUPLE**

I am happy to be the first to introduce to you to Mr. & Mrs. Bryan and Kailani Sutton. Please join me in congratulating them.