

# Banns of Marriage Application

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| 2<br>*Full name<br>(block capitals)                             | 3<br>*Age at proposed<br>date of wedding            | 4<br>*Condition<br>(strike out what does<br>not apply) | 5<br>Rank, profession,<br>or occupation                           | 6<br>*Address at time<br>of publishing banns<br>(and telephone no.) | 7<br>Father's full name<br>(if deceased add deceased)  | 8<br>Father's rank, profession,<br>or occupation |
|---|---|--|---|---|--|--|
| (Man)   |   | Bachelor<br>Widower                                    |   |   |  |  |
| (Woman)   |   | Spinster<br>Widow                                      |   |   |  |  |
| 9<br>Nationality  | 10<br>Date of birth                                 | 11<br>Have you been<br>previously married?             | 12<br>If so, was the previous<br>marriage terminated<br>by death? | 13<br>Have you been baptized?<br>If so, where?                      | 14<br>*Since when have you<br>lived at the<br>address in 6 above?                                  | 15<br>*Which is your parish<br>church?           |
| (Man)   |   |  |   |   |  |  |
| (Woman)   |   |  |   |   |  |  |
| 16<br>Are you related, or connected<br>by marriage? If so, how? | 17<br>*At what church<br>do you wish to be married? |  | 18<br>*On what date?  | 19<br>At what time?   | *I hereby certify that to the best of my belief<br>the answers to the above questions are correct. |  |
| (Both)  |   |  |   |   | Signature  |  |
|   |   |  |   |   | Signature  |  |
|   |   |  |   |   | Date   |  |
| For use by clergy   |   |  |   |   | Future address   |  |
|   |   |  |   |   | Dates for publication of banns   |  |

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| 1<br>Groom's name (last, first, middle initials)<br>and date of birth   | 2<br>Bride's name (last, first, middle initials)<br>and date of birth | 3<br>Address of bride and groom<br>(and residence) | 4<br>Parish of residence | 5<br>Parish of intended wedding | 6<br>Date of proposed wedding | 7<br>Date of completion of application |
|---|---|--|--------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| <p>NOTES</p> <p>(Numbers refer to sections overleaf)</p> <p>At least seven days notice is required before the first reading of banns.</p> <p>(3) If either of you will not be 18 by the proposed date of the wedding, the priest will need to know whether the consent of parents or guardians has been obtained.</p> <p>(4, 11, 12) The Church's official rules do not permit the marriage in church of anyone who has been divorced from a husband or wife who is still alive. Anyone in this position should consult their parish priest.</p> <p>(6) Make sure you include the name of the town, county, and postcode.</p> <p>(15) This means the Church of England parish in which you <i>live</i>. If either of you lives in a different parish from that in which the marriage is to take place, you have to arrange for the banns to be read there too and obtain a banns certificate.</p> |   |  |                          |                                 |                               |  |
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