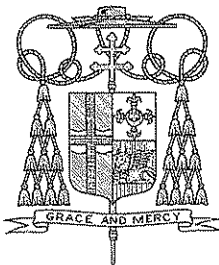


Priest/Deacon Arranging the Marriage:

Rev. \_\_\_\_\_

Church \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_



No. \_\_\_\_\_

Granted \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

ARCHDIOCESE OF OMAHA  
100 No. 62nd St.  
Omaha, Nebraska 68132

This petition for dispensation/permission is presented in behalf of:

**CATHOLIC PARTY**

**NON-CATHOLIC PARTY**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(name) (age)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(name) (age)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address, Town/City, Zip)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address, Town/City, Zip)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Parish)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Christian Denomination or Religion)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of intended marriage

- Baptized**                       **Non-baptized**
- I have certificate
- I do not have certificate

- INTER-CHURCH/MIXED MARRIAGE:** The baptism of the non-Catholic person has been established by an authentic certificate or verified by the sworn testimony of witnesses.
- MIXED MARRIAGE AND DISPARITY OF CULT AD CAUTELAM.** The baptism of the non-Catholic person, after due investigation, cannot be reliably established, or is doubtfully valid.
- DISPARITY OF CULT:** The non-Catholic person has **NEVER** been baptized or is invalidly baptized.

Give two canonical reasons for whichever box was checked:

- well founded hope of conversion for non-Catholic person
- danger of civil marriage or marriage before non-catholic minister
- validation of invalid union
- danger of apostasy if dispensation is not granted
- mutual assistance in advanced years
- all things necessary are prepared
- removal of public scandal
- other \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR THE CATHOLIC PARTY**

I reaffirm my faith in Jesus Christ and, with God's help, intend to continue living that faith in the Catholic Church. I promise to do all in my power to share the faith I have received with our children by having them baptized and reared as Catholics.

I, the undersigned priest do hereby attest that:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Catholic Party)

- 1) The Catholic party has freely and willingly accepted above mentioned obligation and that the non-Catholic party is fully aware of the responsibility of the Catholic party.
- 2) I have ascertained the freedom to marry of the contracting parties according to the proper canonical forms.
- 3) As a part of the premarital instruction on Christian marriage I have given specific teaching and explanation on the teachings of the Catholic Faith in the presence of both parties.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Priest/Deacon)

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Granted \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

### PERMISSION TO WITNESS A MARRIAGE IN A NON-CATHOLIC CHURCH

I have made proper consultation and arrangements with Rev. \_\_\_\_\_, for the purpose of seeking permission to witness the marriage of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Church.

(Non-Catholic minister)

(Catholic person)

(Non-Catholic person)

Address

City

State

Give two canonical reasons for the Permission:

\_\_\_ Close ties between non-Catholic person or family to the congregation

\_\_\_ Danger of civil marriage or marriage before non-Catholic minister

\_\_\_ Removal of public scandal

\_\_\_ Danger of apostasy if permission is not granted

Other \_\_\_\_\_

The parties, and the minister, know that I will use the Catholic Ritual in its integrity and function as the official witness for the exchange of vows.

(Date)

(Signature of Priest/Deacon)

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Granted \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

### DISPENSATION FROM CANONICAL FORM OF MARRIAGE

I hereby petition for a dispensation from the canonical form of marriage on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ (Catholic Person)

and \_\_\_\_\_ (Non-Catholic Person) to be married by Rev. \_\_\_\_\_ (Non-Catholic minister)

in \_\_\_\_\_ Church, located at \_\_\_\_\_ Address City and State

on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

Give two canonical reasons for the Dispensation:

\_\_\_ Close ties between non-Catholic person or family to the congregation

\_\_\_ Danger of civil marriage or marriage before non-Catholic minister

\_\_\_ Removal of public scandal

\_\_\_ Danger of apostasy if permission is not granted

Other \_\_\_\_\_

(Date)

(Signature of Priest/Deacon)